

Dear Parents/Guardians,

This packet is in your child's snow day folder because they are receiving speech therapy services in school. These activities are designed to be quick ways for your child to try to use his/her correct speech sounds or language skills with you in a short conversation or activity. If you are unsure of what communication skills your child is working on, please refer to his/her IEP or feel free to contact me at jenna.tews@springfield.mntm.org.

Please try to complete two boxes per snow day. These activities are designed to be verbal, so your child does not have to write down his/her answer and turn that in. Please mark the activities you completed and sign the bottom of the sheet. As incentive, if your student turns in the sheet when we are back, he/she will receive a bonus sticker on his/her sticker chart.

I have included a different sheet for each month in which a snow day may occur. Your student only needs to do activities for the current month. If we do not have a snow day in a particular month, please feel free to discard it.

Again, please feel free to contact me with any questions.

Thank you,

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NOVEMBER

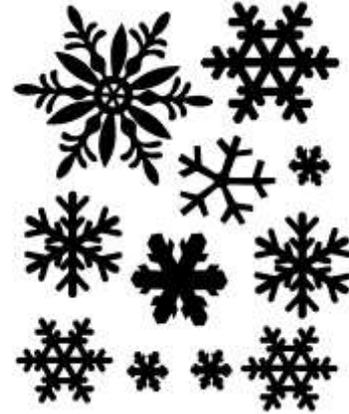
SPEECH ACTIVITIES

Please complete at least 2 activities per snow day with an adult. Use your good speech sounds and language when doing the activities. Return this paper to Ms. Tews when we are back in school for a bonus sticker on your sticker chart! Make sure an adult signs your homework!

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Tell a joke.	The weather is getting chilly! What do you need to stay warm?	What would you do if you won a million dollars?
If you could meet any famous person, who would that be? Why?	Name 4 things that you are thankful for.	Explain what you know about Thanksgiving.
Talk about why you're proud to live in America.	Read a book out loud.	Describe what foods you would serve if you were in charge of Thanksgiving dinner.
If you could travel anywhere in the world, where would you go? Why?	If you could only eat one food every day for a month, what would it be? Why?	Who is your hero? Why?

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DECEMBER

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If you could have any wish come true, what would you wish for? Why?	Talk about one way that you were helpful today.	If you could be in charge for one day, what would you do?
Describe how to make a snowman.	What holiday does your family celebrate in December? How do you celebrate?	What is your favorite book? Why?
Talk about the craziest thing you've ever eaten.	Read a book out loud.	If you could stay up all night, what would you do?
If you could ask for any gift in the world, what would it be? Why?	Name 3 ways people can help others in need.	Talk about 3 of your favorite memories from this year.

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JANUARY

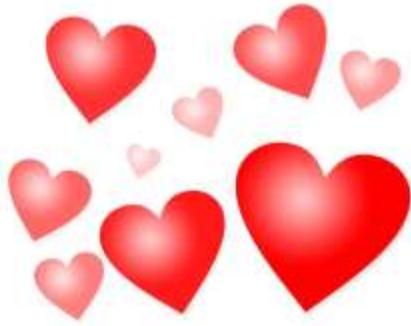
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It's a new year! Talk about a goal you'd like to set for yourself.	Name 3 things you can do in your house in a snow storm.	Talk about things you like and don't like about winter.
How would you feel if you couldn't play video games for a whole month?	If you were going to make an awesome snow fort, what would it look like?	Read a comic book or comic strip out loud.
Talk about your biggest talent or ability.	Read a book out loud.	What do you want to be when you grow up? Why?
If you were stranded on a deserted island, what 3 things would you want to have with you? Why?	What is something you'd like to learn to do? Why?	Play Simon Says.

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FEBRUARY

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If your whole family lived in a zoo, what animals would each of you be?	Name all the people in your life that love you.	If you could be a superhero, what would your power be and what would you be called?
Name 2 things you might give your sweetheart on Valentine's Day.	Write a poem and read it to someone.	Call someone you love to say hi.
What should you do if you see someone being bullied?	Read a book out loud.	If you could write a book, what would it be about?
Who is your best friend? Why are they such a good friend?	If you could have any pet in the world, what would you want? Why?	If you could be the teacher for a day, what rules would you make? What would you teach the kids?

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MARCH

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What would you do if you found a pot of gold.	If you could design a brand new school, what would you include in it (e.g., waterslide, rollercoaster)?	What classes would you create if you were in charge of the school (e.g., treasure hunting, sledding)?
How would you catch a leprechaun?	If you could design your own bedroom, what would it look like?	If you could have a weird pet, what would it be? Why?
They say that the Irish are lucky...name 3 reasons why you are lucky.	Read a book out loud.	Do you have a good luck charm? What is it?
Name all of the colors in a rainbow.	What season do you like best? Why?	Do you like snow? Why or why not?

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