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Winter Bookmarks

Color and cut out the outlines for a fun bookmark.

Visit your local library to borrow a book or visit:



Tumble Book Library

A curated collection of children's eBooks for grades K-6 including animated picture books, read-along chapter books, graphic novels and math stories.

Find these eBooks at HCPLC.org/Kids







Build a Snowman

Cut out the outlines below. Glue them together to build your snowman.





Winter Crossword

Read the clues below and fill in the grid.



- **2.** Cloth worn around the neck.
- **3.** A figure made by stacking snowballs.
- **4.** A black-and-white bird that can't fly.
- 6. A small vehicle for sliding on snow.
- 9. Frozen water that falls from the sky.





Become a Storyteller

Use the winter scene to create a story. Need help getting started? What does it look like? What does it feel like?





Join our free six-week Storytelling Workshop series for students in grades 2-7! Participants will learn to tell engaging stories and may have a video of their storytelling shared on the Library's YouTube channel.

Registration is recommended for the entire series. Limited to 25 students per workshop location. Scan for series information and to register your child for the workshop:



Funded by the Friends of Storytelling of Tampa-Hillsborough County.





There are 10 winter items, count and color each set as you find them. Write the number in the box that you counted for each.





Winter * Word Search

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Find the words listed below in the grid.

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Happy New Year!

Can you snowboard home? Count down the seconds it takes to find the correct path.



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Winter Nap

Winter is the coldest season of the year. In winter, the days are shorter and the nights are longer. Many animals go into a deep sleep called hibernation to save their energy.

Use the word bank to spell the name of each animal that hibernates below the correct picture.



Creative Arts Theatre Company at the library



Attend a children's theater performance that focuses on dramatic and imaginative play.

In a once-upon-a-time kingdom, magic is outlawed! The inhabitants – including fairies and even a talking dog - must do whatever they can to break a spell that puts the prince to sleep.

This delightful twist on Sleeping Beauty invites young audiences to enjoy a fantastical, wonder-filled journey where being true to yourself and working with others ends up saving the day.

Recommended for ages 4 and up.



Scan for more information

