

Suggested Book List

Snow Crystals by W.A. Bently & W.J. Humphreys
Snowflake Bently by J. Briggs Martin
Peter Spier's Rain by Peter Spier
Snow is Falling by Franklyn M. Branley
Warm Clothes by Gail Saunders-Smith
Listen to the Rain by Bill Martin Jr & John Archambalt
The Snowy Day by Ezra Jack Keats
The Snow Speaks by Nancy White Carlstrom
I Like the Rain by Claude Belanger
Rain and Hail by Franklyn M. Branley
Rain by Robert Kalan
James and the Rain by Karla Kuskin
First Snow by Emily A. McCully
What Causes It? A Beginning Book About Weather by Jane Belk Moncure
Rain Rain Rivers by Uri Shulevitz
Rain Drop Splash by Alvin Tressalt
Umbrella by Taro Yasmina

Riddle sample:

I have 6 sides.
I am one of a kind.
I float down from the sky.
What am I?

Tic-Tac-Toe Game

2 players/teams

materials:tic-tac-toe board, word cards with meanings on reverse

Mix up word cards, place in a stack

3 Options to play:

1. one team reads a definition, other team produces the matching vocabulary word to place a marker on the board;
2. one team reads a word and the other team produces the definition;

one team reads a word and the other team produces a sentence using that word correctly.

First team to place 3 markers in a row wins.

Songs:

Rain Rain go _____ (away)
Come again another _____ (day)
Little Johnny* wants to _____ (play)
Rain, Rain go to _____ (Spain)
Never show your faces _____ (again)
*replace with students names