



## Winter Reading for Early Literacy

Reading aloud everyday helps children with hearing loss build literacy skills. Here are five “winter” books with specific concepts, skills, and activities for incorporating LSL strategies into your reading time.

### Reading List

The Mitten

Bear Snores On

#### **The Three Snow Bears**

The Snowy Day

Baby Loves Winter

# The Three Snow Bears

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A winter take on the classic story of “The Three Bears.”

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## Word Focus...

Floating , Breakfast, Biggest, Igloo, Delicious, Big, Middle Size, Small, Furry Boots, Fancy, Lumpy, Soft, Cozy, Boomed, Huffed, Squeaked, Inches Away, Gruff, Soft And Squeaky Voice

## Activity Ideas

**Compare this and that!** Find times throughout the day to make comparisons: big, middle, small, round, square, hot, cold, lumpy, or soft.

**Compare both books!** Read the classic version of this story “The Three Bears” and make comparisons to this one.

**Where in the world?** Look on a map and talk about where the story might have taken place, and then talk about other places, people, and animals in the world.

## More On The Web

**Find hands-on activities** for “The Three Snow Bears” here: [www.libraryadventure.com/hands-on-activity-for-the-three-snow-bears-by-jan-brett/](http://www.libraryadventure.com/hands-on-activity-for-the-three-snow-bears-by-jan-brett/)

**Read the author’s Newsnotes** about vocabulary from the story here: [janbrett.com/newsnotes/three\\_snow\\_bears\\_newsnotes\\_page\\_1.htm](http://janbrett.com/newsnotes/three_snow_bears_newsnotes_page_1.htm)