

Singing Time – 12/1/19

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through my unique example.

Wiggle Songs for Transition Time

241b – Snow Is Falling All Around
248 – Falling Snow
249 – Once There Was a Snowman
148 – I Want to Live the Gospel
170 – The Things I Do

JR. OPENING EXERCISES:	10:10 – 10:15 AM
JR. SINGING TIME:	10:15 - 10:35 AM
SR. OPENING EXERCISES:	10:40 – 10:45 AM
SR. SINGING TIME:	10:45 – 11:00 AM

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Introduction

SAY: Did you know that Heavenly Father made everything in the world to teach us something? Today, we're going to see what we can learn from snow/wintertime!

"The heavens declare the glory of God; and the firmament sheweth his handywork" (Psalm 19:1).

Glory = intelligence, light, and truth

"...The scriptures are laid before thee, yea, and all things denote there is a God; yea, even the earth, and all things that are upon the face of it, yea, and its motion, yea, and also all the planets which move in their regular form do witness that there is a Supreme Creator" (Alma 30:44).

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Singing Time Lesson Plan

ASK: What are some things that are fun to do in the winter? Let's sing about them!

SING: *Fun to Do - 253b*

Actions (winter activities): (Children choose a snowflake to decide which activity to do)

[Drinking hot chocolate](#)

[Ice skating](#)

Making a snowman / snow fort

[Making snow angels](#)

Skiing

[Sledding](#) (slide around on chairs)

Throwing snowballs

ASK: What are some things you don't like about winter?

SING: *If You're Grumpy...Freeze Like This - 267b*

If you're grumpy...when it's icy (pretend to lose balance)...freeze like this! (Strike an off-balance pose)

If you're grumpy...when you fall down (fake fall)...freeze like this! (Strike a fallen pose)

If you're grumpy...when it's snowy (make snow with fingers) and the wind is cold (Make fists near chest) and blowy (spin around like wind)...if you're grumpy when it's winter, freeze like this! (Hug arms across chest and say brrrr).

SAY: The scriptures tell us that there must be "opposition" in all things. That means that there are positives and negatives in every experience in our lives. For example, there are things we like AND things we don't like about winter. Winter teaches us that we can find things to be happy about even in situations we don't like.

"For it must needs be, that there is an opposition in all things...Wherefore, all things must needs be a compound in one;" (2 Nephi 2:11).

SING: *Smiles – 267a*

Actions: Frown, wag finger, head down & look under chair, smile

ASK: What is something that chases away...?

- Cold (Target answer: heat)
- Snow (Target answer: sunshine)
- Grumpiness: (Target answer: kindness)
- Loneliness: (Target answer: friends, love)

ACTIONS:

Smile: Wave hand across mouth in smile shape

Sunshine: Cross hands in arc above head

Brightens: Move arms back & forth over head

Twinkle: Flick fingers

Chases: Fake run after each other

SING: *A Smile is Like the Sunshine – 34*

SAY: When we choose to be happy in hard times just like Jesus did, we sparkle just like snowflakes! *"...and men are, that they might have joy" (2 Nephi 2:25).* Play [Sparkle Game](#)

SING: *Jesus Wants Me for a Snowflake – 60* ...to sparkle every day...a snowflake...

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SAY: Every snowflake is different, and so are we! Each of us set good examples in different ways. Jesus needs each of us to be exactly who we are to help lead others to Him.

SING: *Every Star is Different – 142 OR We Are Different, 263 OR I Am Like a Star - 163*

Actions:

Every – point
Star – Flash hands
Different – Make hands into Ds and move apart
So is every child – Nod head and pat kids on head
Bright and happy – Hop
Meek and mild – Fold arms

1: Sing again and play the dancing snowflake game (based on this [Snowflake Game](#)).

- 1) Stand in a circle.
- 2) Sing as you walk around the snowflakes.
- 3) When the music stops, you stop.
- 4) The person near the sparkly snowflake chooses an activity.
- 5) Sing again, doing that activity: hop, hula, jump, skip

2: [Make a Snowflake with Your Bodies Game](#)

- 1) Form a circle with your class.
- 2) Sing the song.
- 3) Make a singing snowflake with your bodies.
- 4) Use your heads, arms, hands, feet, and legs.
- 5) Make your snowflake different from other classes.

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Key Principle	Page	Song	Activity
	253b	<i>Fun to Do</i>	Actions (winter activities)
	267a	<i>Smiles</i>	Actions
	34	<i>A Smile is Like the Sunshine</i>	Actions
	60	<i>Jesus Wants Me for a Snowflake</i>	...to sparkle every day ...a snowflake, a snowflake... Sparkle Game or Fingerlights
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	OR		1: Actions
	263	<i>We Are Different</i>	Every – point Star – Flash hands Different – Make hands into Ds and move apart So is every child – Nod head and pat kids on head
	OR		Bright and happy – Hop Meek and mild – Fold arms
	163	<i>I Am Like a Star</i>	2: Dancing Snowflakes Game

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