

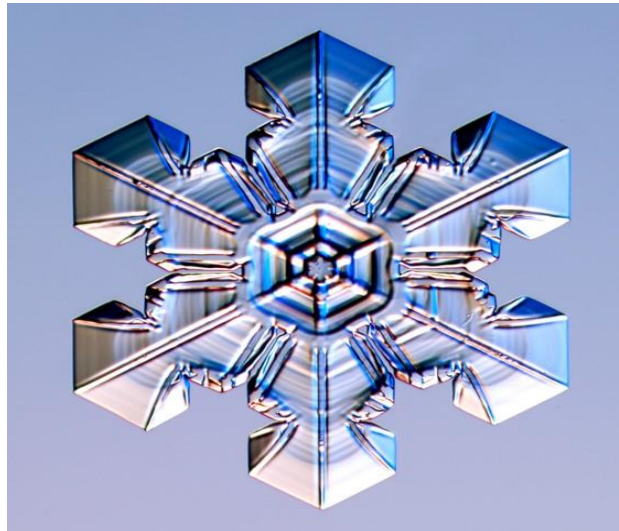
Winter descriptive writing

- Learning objective: Write a piece of descriptive writing, using a wide vocabulary and figurative language.



Winter Words

Starter activity: How many winter words can you think of?



Winter Words

- Create a bubble diagram – imagine, like Filippo, you have seen snow for the first time.
- Try and dwell on the five senses:
*taste *touch *sight *sound *smell



What do you see?

What does the snow feel like?

What colour is the sky?

What does the air smell like?

What colours do you see?

What do you hear?

How do you feel about the winter wonderland?

Is there anything that really stands out to you?

I stepped out into a winter wonderland. The sight was as exciting as a Christmas card. Suddenly, the cold air stung my cheeks so I pulled my scarf up closer to my face. As I looked around and I saw snow. It was a white blanket covering the trees, ground, and houses. I was surprised by how quiet everything seemed. The only sound I could hear was my boots crunching in the snow. The smell of damp pine trees made the air feel fresh and clean. I felt so peaceful to be walking in such a magical place.

Winter Words

- Now that you have a wide winter vocabulary in your word bank, write a winter descriptive piece of writing which begins with...

I looked out of the window to see a blanket of snow on the ground...

- Remember to use figurative language –
- Similes, metaphors, personification