



## Hillside School School Closure Activities



*Below are some ideas of activities that you and your child/children could take part in in the event of a School Closure.*

- Refer to the most current Learning Leaflet for ideas.
- Discuss the weather, how it makes you feel and link to seasons.
- Look out of your window and draw what you see.
- Play board games.
- Create a 'weather picture' using a variety of materials. e.g. snowy picture, leaves etc.
- Read a book.
- Go and play outside - sledging, explore a forest, build a snowman etc.
- Cook/bake some food - discuss the steps, measure ingredients, describe tastes.
- Stories - watch/listen/read with discussions of likes and dislikes.
- Write an imaginative story or keep a diary of what you have been up to on your School Closure days.
- Use of computer for Educational games (see website list)
- Revisit phonic sounds/ spelling words already covered to date and do some activities with them e.g. rainbow spelling, bubble writing, drawing pictures of the words etc.
- Design a toy - What is it made of? How does it work? Design a poster for it.
- Research a Personal Topic - find facts and present your information in a format of your choice e.g. presentation, report, booklet, talk
- Work on the alphabet/alphabetical order
- Number Revision - number stories, times tables, addition & subtraction
- Revisit any topics that children have had difficulties with this year.
- Continue with any spelling/ reading homework if it has been issued.

### **Educational Websites to Explore**



[www.bbc.com/bitesize](http://www.bbc.com/bitesize)  
[www.topmarks.co.uk](http://www.topmarks.co.uk)  
[www.ictgames.com](http://www.ictgames.com)  
[www.kidsknowit.com](http://www.kidsknowit.com)  
[www.arcademics.com](http://www.arcademics.com)