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WINTER



Complete the following sentences.

Before it snows, \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

After it snows, \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

If it snows, \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

When it snows, \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_



**Teaching Basic Writing Skills**

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**Directions:** Use the following words in sentences about Winter.



Winter is fantastic because \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Winter is fantastic but \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Winter is fantastic so \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_



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Write sentences using the following words.

although / winter



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when / snows

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if / blizzard

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*Expand the following sentences.*



**School closed.**

**when** .....

**where** .....

**why** .....

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**They played.**

**who** .....

**where** .....

**why** .....

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**Write a question about the picture.**

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# TEACHING BASIC WRITING SKILLS



## Quick Outline

T.S. Winter can be an exciting season.

1. NE U.S. / begins 3rd week in Dec./about 3 mos.  
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2. temp.↓ / snow/ ice /winter storms  
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3. warm clothing /out of storage  
.....
4. activities + sports  
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C.S. As you shovel the sidewalk, think about winter and all its fun!

Sample Paragraph from Quick Outline

Winter can be an exciting season. In the northeastern United States, this chilly season begins around the third week in December and lasts about three months. Temperatures become colder and snow, ice and winter storms keep everyone on their toes! Warm coats, mittens, hats and snow boots come out of storage. Winter activities and sports such as ice skating, sledding, skiing, and ice hockey keep everyone busy. As you shovel the sidewalk, think about winter and all its fun!