

## Snow by P.D. Eastman

### Dialogic Reading Questions/Prompts:

- What are some things he has to wear to go out in the snow?
- Do you like the snow?
- Point out or ask about feelings/facial expressions in the pictures.
- Do you ever catch snowflakes on your tongue when it's snowing?
- Do you ever do that (make pictures with your back) in the snow?
- Point out footprints in the snow and talk about who made them/what other animals make footprints in the snow.
- What do you think they're going to do? (As they're climbing the hill to go sledding)
- What else are they going to do?
- Point out the sizes of the snowballs. (practice describing words)
- Is the snowball going to run over the dog? (As it's rolling down the hill)
- Point out that the snowman is taller (practice comparison words) than both of them and they're using teamwork to build it.
- What's going to happen to the snowman? (When the sun comes out)
- Do you think they'll be able to save the snow? - Talk about why the snow stays frozen in the freezer.

### Extension Activity Ideas:

- Try some fun activities outside in the snow with your families, like the ones you saw in the story! (Snow Angels, Build Igloo or Snowman, Snowball Fight, Sledding or Skiing, Look for footprints in the snow)

