

THEME: ICE

# MYSTERY BAG

ICE CUBES OR SOMETHING FROM FREEZER (USE A WATERPROOF BAG!)





## EXPLORATION RESOURCES

- COLOURED ICE CUBES (USE PAINT OR FOOD COLOURING MIXED INTO WATER THEN FREEZE)
- PAPER

















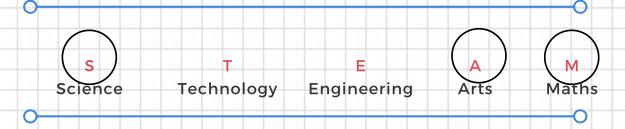






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### Questions/Ideas:

**Observations:** What does the ice feel like? Can we break it?

Can you see through it? How is it different to water?

Making Ice: How can we make our own ice? Shall we see how long it takes? What time is it when we put the water in? Let's check the trays every hour.

**Coloured Ice:** Why does the ice make marks on the paper?

What colour will we get if we mix these two ice cubes?

**Melting:** What happens when ice gets warm? Where do you think ice will melt most quickly? Shall we test out some different places?

**Salt:** What happens when we put salt onto ice? Let's test. Let's try putting salt onto ice and then laying string on top. Why do you think it sticks?

### Learning:

<u>Science</u>: freezing, melting, properties of water, predicting and investigating

Art: painting with ice cubes, mixing colours

<u>Maths</u>: measuring and comparing time, telling the time

Problem Solving: identifying places for ice to melt quickly

