

Blizzard

WINTER WHITEOUT READING COMPREHENSION



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WINTER WHITEOUT

Welcome, young adventurers, to the frosty world of the Winter Whiteout, also known as a blizzard! Have you ever seen the world disappear under a blanket of snow? Well, that's what happens during a blizzard. Let's journey together and uncover the secrets of this icy phenomenon!

THE BIRTH OF A BLIZZARD

Imagine cold air from the North Pole meeting warm air from the south. When these two air masses clash, magic happens! The moisture in the air freezes into tiny ice crystals, forming what we know as snowflakes. When millions of snowflakes come together, they create a blizzard.



WHERE BLIZZARDS ROAM

Blizzards are like snow dragons that roam the land, covering everything in sight with their icy breath. They can happen in many places around the world, from snowy mountains to bustling cities. No place is safe from the grip of a blizzard!



THE POWER OF THE STORM

During a blizzard, snowflakes dance in the air like tiny ballerinas, swirling and twirling with the wind. The wind gusts fiercely, whipping up the snow and making it hard to see anything. It's like nature's own snowstorm dance party!

SAFETY IN THE STORM

During a blizzard, prioritize safety by remaining indoors whenever possible. Cozy up with blankets and hot cocoa as you admire the snowfall from the warmth of your home. When venturing outside becomes necessary, layer up with warm clothing, including a sturdy coat, hat, gloves, and boots, to protect against the cold. By taking these precautions, you can ensure both comfort and safety during the storm.

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FUN FACTS ABOUT BLIZZARDS

Did you know that the word "blizzard" comes from an old word meaning "a violent blow"? Blizzards can last for hours or even days, covering everything in a thick blanket of snow. Also, the most dangerous part of a blizzard is the strong wind, not necessarily the snowfall.



CONCLUSION

Now you're equipped with the knowledge to face the mighty Winter Whiteout! Embrace the beauty of the snow and the power of the storm, but always remember to stay safe and warm. Winter is a wonderland waiting to be explored, so bundle up and let the adventures begin!

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WINTER WHITEOUT

DIRECTIONS CHOOSE THE CORRECT ANSWER.

1. What is another name for a blizzard?

- a) Snowstorm
- b) Heatwave
- c) Tornado
- d) Hurricane

2. What happens when cold air from the North Pole meets warm air from the south?

- a) Rainfall
- b) Thunderstorm
- c) Blizzard
- d) Earthquake

3. Where can blizzards occur?

- a) Only in tropical regions
- b) Only in cities
- c) In various places around the world
- d) Only in deserts

4. What forms when millions of snowflakes come together during a blizzard?

- a) Rainbows
- b) Snowdrifts
- c) Sand dunes
- d) Clouds

5. What is the most important safety advice during a blizzard?

- a) Go outside and play
- b) Stay indoors if possible and keep warm
- c) Dance in the snow
- d) Run around in circles

SHORT ANSWER QUESTIONS

1. What is a blizzard?
2. Where do blizzards commonly occur?
3. What happens when cold air from the North Pole meets warm air from the south?
4. What safety advice is given during a blizzard?
5. What is the origin of the word "blizzard"?

6. What dances in the air like tiny butterflies?

- a) Raindrops
- b) Snowflakes
- c) Leaves
- d) Butterflies

7. What should you wrap yourself in when indoors during a blizzard?

- a) Wet towels
- b) Warm blankets
- c) Plastic bags
- d) T-shirts

8. What does the word "blizzard" mean?

- a) A gentle breeze
- b) A violent blow
- c) A sunny day
- d) A calm night

9. What is the most dangerous part of a blizzard?

- a) Heavy snowfall
- b) Icy roads
- c) Strong winds
- d) Extreme cold

10. What is Winter often referred to as?

- a) Summer's friend
- b) Spring's buddy
- c) Autumn's pal
- d) A wonderland

ANSWER KEY

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1. a) Snowstorm
2. c) Blizzard
3. c) In various places around the world
4. b) Snowdrifts
5. b) Stay indoors if possible and keep warm
6. b) Snowflakes
7. b) Warm blankets
8. b) A violent blow
9. c) Strong winds
10. d) A wonderland

SHORT-ANSWER QUESTION

1. A blizzard is a powerful snowstorm with strong winds.
2. Blizzards commonly occur in cold regions like Canada, Russia, and parts of the United States.
3. When cold air from the North Pole meets warm air from the south, it creates a blizzard.
4. The safety advice during a blizzard is to stay indoors if possible and keep warm.
5. The origin of the word "blizzard" comes from an old word meaning "a violent blow."

ANSWER KEY
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