

25 THINGS TO DO IN WINTER

- ✓ 1 Make a mobile mud pit in a wheelbarrow
- 2 Wear a raincoat and gumboots and stomp in the biggest, wettest puddles you can find
- 3 Make a bonfire with an adult and cook damper on a stick
- 4 Visit Morialta Falls Conservation Park and hike up to the waterfalls
- 5 Sketch a tree that has lost its leaves and then decorate it
- 6 Make a dirt or mud track for toy cars
- 7 Make bubbles outside and see if it's cold enough for them to turn into ice
- 8 Have a fort/cubby building competition with your friends
- 9 Go on a winter picnic (take a thermos of hot chocolate or hot soup – yum!)
- 10 Watch a spider spin its web
- 11 Make a birdfeeder to hang in your backyard and watch who comes to visit
- 12 Pretend you're a modern-day explorer and go on a photo taking expedition
- 13 Have an outdoor shower by shaking a branch that is wet with dew or raindrops
- 14 Use herbs from your garden to make a potion
- 15 Find some bush to sit in then listen with your eyes open and then with your eyes closed
- 16 Make leaf boats and float them down a stream or in a puddle
- 17 Grab a Garbag and slide down a grassy, wet hill
- 18 Get Inked with some mud tattoos
- 19 Make a rain gauge so you can measure the rain in your backyard
- 20 Build a mini bridge or stepping stones across a winter creek
- 21 Put on your gumboots and rain coat and head to the beach to play chicken with the waves
- 22 Play hide and seek in a forest
- 23 Collect snails and watch the trails they make
- 24 Explore the treasures washed up on the beach after a storm
- 25 Spend an entire day outside, no matter the weather, and see how many things you can do

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Remember to play safe and let a grown-up know where you're planning to go. Don't forget your sunscreen, hat and water bottle.