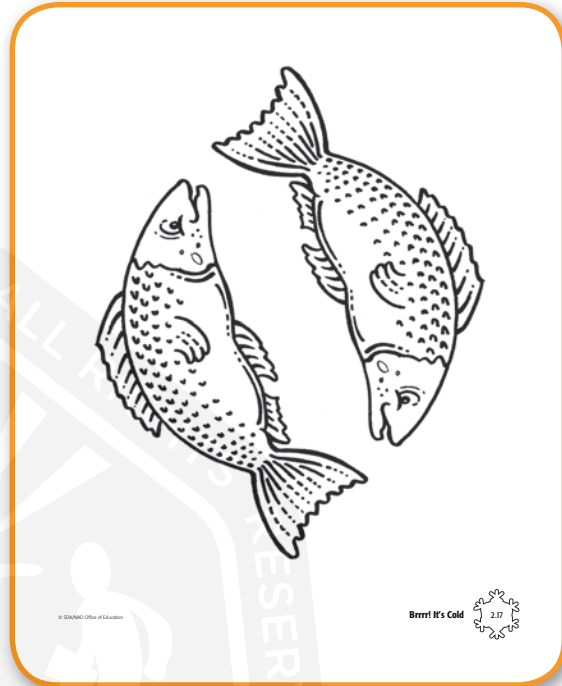




### **Dramatic Play: Ice Fishing**

Use Blackline 2.17 to copy the fish shapes onto a variety of colors of construction paper. Cut out the fish and laminate them for durability. Attach a paper clip to the mouth of each fish. Tie one end of a string to a dowel and the other end of the string to a magnet. Place the fish in a large box and cover it with a sheet of foam board with a hole large enough to “fish” through. The children can practice counting and sorting the fish they have caught.



### **Dramatic Play: Summer Tents**

In the summer, Inuit looked for new hunting and fishing grounds. They used skins to make tents. The tent was the summer dwelling of all northern peoples. Help the children spread sheets or blankets over tables and chairs to create summer tents.

### **Dramatic Play: My Igloo**

The children can repeat this fingerplay while sitting in their igloos.

My igloo is round with a tiny door. (Make circle with hands, then hold hand low to ground.)

It's made of cold ice and snow. (Pretend to shiver.)

The inside is covered with blankets and fur. (Spread hands over wide area.)

So it's warm when the winter winds blow. (Hug self to keep warm.)

### **Dramatic Play: Winter Wear**

Provide a variety of winter clothing for the children to wear: jackets, gloves, scarves, mittens, hats, boots, etc. Talk about how seasonal changes affect what people do and what clothes they wear. Children may wear these “dress-up clothes” as they work and play in the “Arctic Center.”