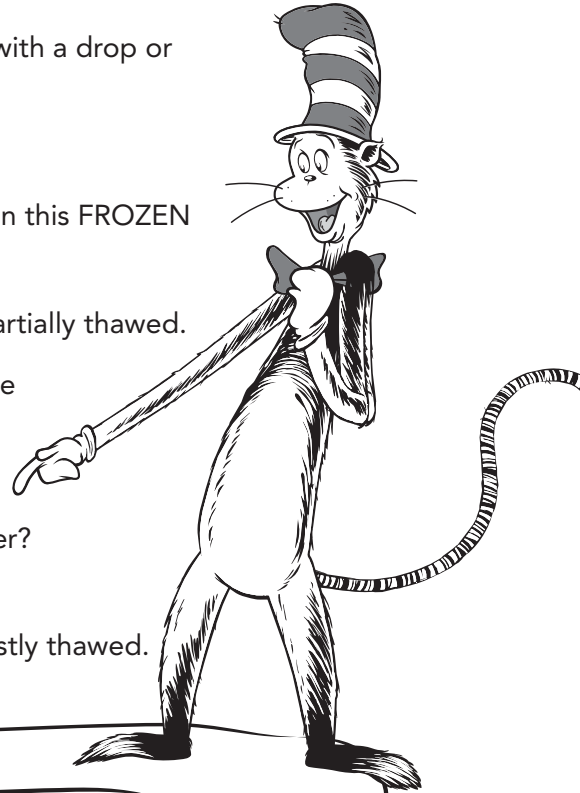




My Ice Observations

Explore vocabulary and science with your child by observing changeable states using ice!

- 1 First, make some colored ice by freezing some water colored with a drop or two of food coloring.
- 2 Once the ice is frozen, take it out and put it on a small plate.
- 3 Have your child look at the cube and draw a picture of the ice in this FROZEN state in the first column.
- 4 Leave the ice cube out for 15-30 minutes or until the cube is partially thawed.
- 5 Have your child draw a picture of her second observation in the second column.
- 6 Talk to your child about the changes she sees. Work with her on comparison words: is the cube bigger/smaller? wetter/dryer? Is there more/less water on the plate?
- 7 Repeat again in another 15-30 minutes or until the cube is mostly thawed.



Observation #1

Observation #2

Observation #3

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