

Ex 1

Bitterly cold
Snowed under with
Powdery
Bundled up
Thaw out
Poised
to light up like a Christmas tree
break the ice
warm up to sb
Cold snap
Winter blues

- a) extremely and unpleasantly cold
- b) to have so much work that you have problems dealing with it all
- c) like powder
- d) to put warm clothes on yourself or someone else
- e) If you thaw out, you gradually get warm again after being very cold
- f) calm and confident
- g) to look very happy or excited about something
- h) to make people who have not met before feel more relaxed with each other
- i) thinking in the same way as someone else
- j) to begin to like or enjoy someone
- k) a short period of cold weather
- l) a feeling of depression or deep unhappiness associated with experiencing the cold and darkness of winter

Ex 2

It was _____ outside, so I wore my thick coat, scarf, and gloves.
I'm completely _____ homework this week — I don't know where to start!
The snow was soft and _____, perfect for making a snowman.
Before going outside, she made sure she was fully _____.
After sitting by the heater for a while, my hands finally began to _____.
The model stood _____ on the stage, ready for the performance to begin.
When she saw her best friend enter the room, her face seemed _____ with excitement.
I told a funny story to help _____ during the first day of class.
At first, he was shy, but he slowly started to _____ everyone at the party.
There was a sudden _____ last week, and temperatures dropped below freezing.
I always feel a bit of the _____ in January when the days are short and gray.