Remove a small patch of snow with WorldEdit without flattening terrain

Snow layers and full snow blocks can require different filters. A wide air replacement may also remove buildings or ice that you meant to preserve. Identify the actual block types on a test path and keep the selection shallow enough to exclude underground spaces.

Work through the change

1. Inspect several snowy blocks and note whether each is a layer, a full block or decoration from a resource pack. Keep a short untouched path for comparison.
2. Select a narrow section of the path and record its corner coordinates. Check the replacement or utility command in your WorldEdit help before deciding how to target the snow.
3. Run one filtered operation on the trial section. Avoid a broad replace-to-air command covering everything above the terrain, especially beside roofs, fences and plants.
4. Walk the entire test path and inspect its edges. Check that the original surface, slabs, lighting and plants remain in place before extending the same method to another small section.

Check the result

The path should reveal its existing surface with no holes or changed roofline. Snow may return if weather and biome conditions still allow it. Resolve that ongoing world behaviour separately instead of running increasingly large edit commands to hide the symptom.

Inspect roof edges and stair recesses before extending the operation. Thin snow layers can be easy to miss from above, while removing a full snow block may expose an unexpected cavity. Treat cosmetic resource-pack differences as a reason to inspect block data first.

Recover or stop safely

Undo the trial if any protected material changes and review the filter against the actual block data. Keep the original selection coordinates in your notes. For a large seasonal change, make a world backup and plan the weather policy before continuing.

Related guidance and maintainer reference

For the broader setup, read Use WorldEdit selections, limits and undo safely. Check the installed plugin version before applying syntax from the official WorldEdit documentation.

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