

Christmas



Task	How many people	Checked
1. Christmas in England		
2. Vocabulary		
3. Funny Christmas Creature		
4. A Letter to Santa		
5. Alphabet Challenge		
EXTRA	<p>If you finished early or have time in between you can get extra points here.</p>	

1. Christmas in England



Read the text about **Christmas in England**. Then get into a group of four people. One of you asks your teacher for an envelope (=Kuvert). In the envelope you will find 20 paper strips with questions or answers. Deal out the paper strips in your group. Now one by one ask your questions and see who has the right answer to them.

Christmas in England

In England, families often celebrate Christmas together, so they can watch each other open their gifts and eat turkey together! Most families have a Christmas tree (or maybe even two!) in their house for Christmas. They decorate the tree and also the rest of their houses. English people use holly, ivy and mistletoe to make their homes beautiful.



Children believe that Father Christmas or Santa Claus leaves presents in stockings or pillow-cases. These are normally hung up by the fire or by the children's beds on Christmas Eve. Santa uses the chimney to get into the houses.



Santa uses his sleigh to carry all the presents and to travel to the houses. Flying reindeer pull the sleigh. They all love to eat carrots. Santa has nine reindeer. Their names are Rudolph, Prancer, Dancer, Donner, Blitz, Dasher, Vixen, Comet and Cupid. People all around the world know



Rudolph because of his red nose. Santa's reindeer are not his only helpers. He has many elves who help him with all the preparations for Christmas. They all live together on the North Pole.



Play the QUESTIONS and ANSWERS Game

Get an envelope from your teacher



Then answer these questions:

What are typical Christmas decorations?

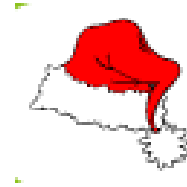
Where does Santa Claus leave the presents?

What are Santa's helpers called?

What form of transport does Santa use to deliver presents?

2. Vocabulary

Draw a line from the picture to the correct word



bell

hat

candle

chimney



Santa

reindeer

elves

sleigh

Fill in the missing letters! If you don't know the word, read the text about England again and look for the words.



s_o_k_ng



if



mis_le_oe



w_ea__



gin_er_rea__



_a_e



p_d_ing



_an_y
_ane



__cora_ions



_e_ls



ca_d_e



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3. Funny Christmas Creatures

This year Santa's reindeer are on strike! Therefore, Santa has decided to travel to Earth with a group of flying moucadogs and snabats.

Read the article of the Daily News.

Daily News

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Santa's Reindeer on Strike

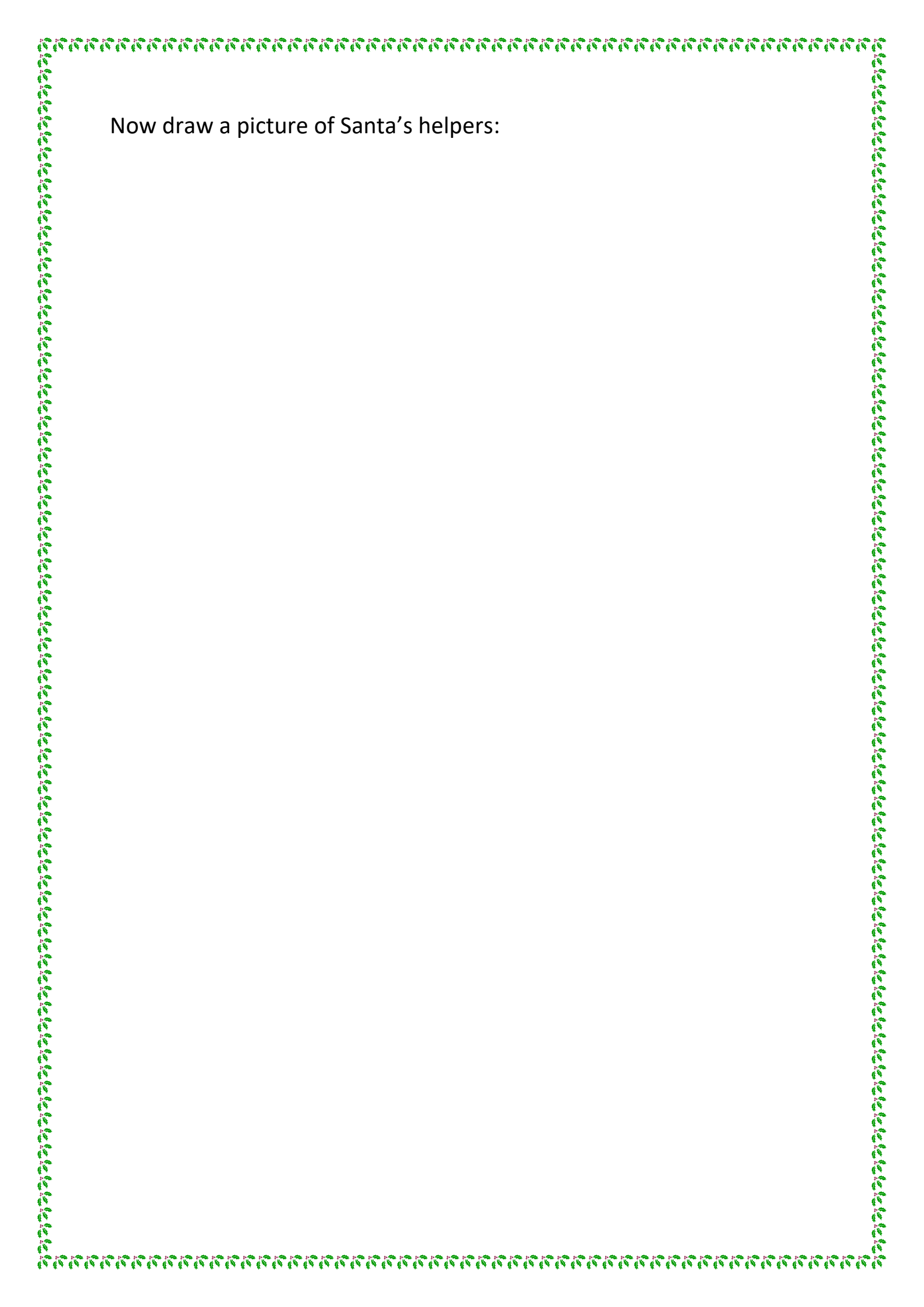
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This year children around the world will see strange animals flying across the sky. Santa's reindeer are on strike, therefore Santa had to work out an alternative plan. This year a group of strange creatures will be pulling Santa's sleigh.

Unfortunately the rest of the article got lost. Continue the **article** about the flying moucadogs and snabats. Tell the readers what the flying moucadogs or snabats look like.

- Describe them in detail
- Say what is special about them and what they are good at.

The two **best articles win a prize** in the last lesson!



Now draw a picture of Santa's helpers:

4. A Letter to Santa

Take a tablet and go to <http://www.letter4santa.com/>. There you can write your letter to Santa and get an answer. Then complete this letter:

Dear Santa,

This Christmas, I am _____ years old.

This year, I have been... good all of the time
 good some of the time
 naughty (but nice!)

What I would like most this Christmas is...

_____ and _____

And I promise to leave out _____ for you!



Merry Christmas, Santa!

Love, _____

P.S. Please Say "Hi" to _____ for me!

5. Winter Alphabet Challenge

Can you come up with a Winter themed word for each letter of the alphabet?



A

B

C

D

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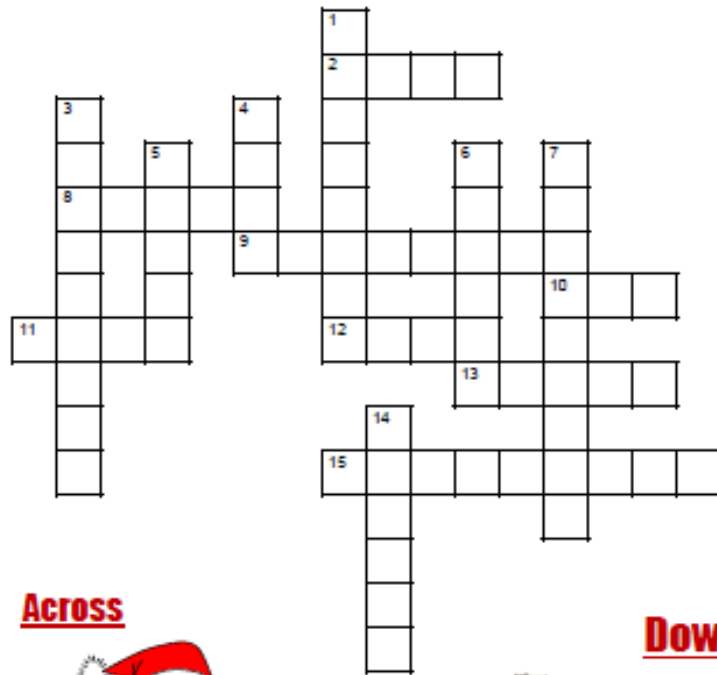
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Extras- Crossword

Christmas - Crossword

Name: _____

Class: _____



Across

Down



Extras - Poems

Choose one poem and learn it by heart (=auswendig). Tell it one of your teachers.

A little Christmas tree

*I'm a little Christmas tree
Glittering, glittering merrily!
A star at my head
Gifts at my feet
And on all my branches
Candy canes so sweet*

(glittering = glitzern, merrily = fröhlich, gifts = presents, branches = Zweige)

Santa Claus

*Santa Claus is big and fat
He wears black boots
And a bright red hat.
His nose is red
Just like a rose
And he "ho ho hos"
From his head to his toes.*

(boots = Stiefel, toes = Zehen)

Extras - Christmas Word Scramble

Put the letters into the right order. Then connect the word you get to the right object.

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candy cane

lanced

lebbau

solitteem

slelb

erte

yhlol

astan scula

bragereding

wather

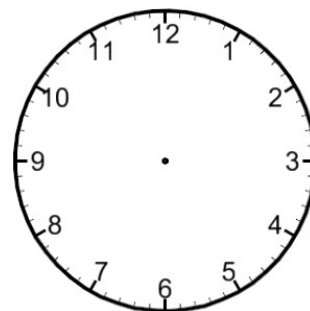
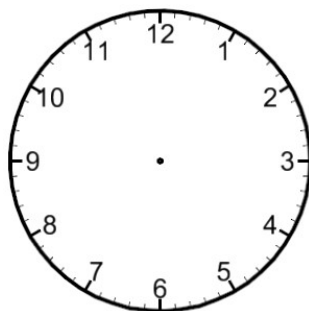
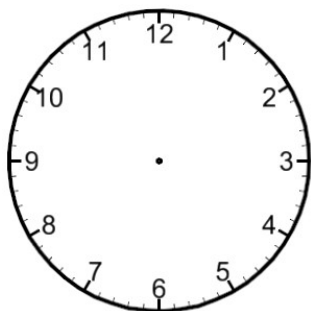
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Last Lesson

Christmas Story



Drawing a Funny Creature

