

Nota para madres y padres :

Bienvenidos al nuevo curso 2024/2025.

Tal como el año pasado, les proporcionamos este cuadernillo de actividades para Literacy.

Las actividades están directamente relacionadas con lo que se trabajará en clase

Por eso, es importante que no vayan adelantando la realización de estas, sino que sigan las indicaciones que les iremos dando a lo largo de este trimestre.

Muchas gracias por su colaboración. Asesor/a lingüístico/a

Back to School





It's September once again, Take your sharpener, crayons and pen. Everything ready? Have a look. Don't forget your reading book! A pencil, a rubber, now your bag's full. Put on your coat and get ready for school. First we have maths with some difficult sums. We can count numbers on fingers and thumbs. Next there's a class about planets in space Where we learn to put each one in the correct place. In the literacy class we can learn how to spell. Then we tidy our things up when we hear the bell. Finished at last, we all go out to play. Twelve o'clock is my favourite time of the day! After playtime, the library is where we go. There are books about everything we want to know. In art class, with colours - red, yellow and green We paint the most beautiful pictures you've seen! Then we tidy our scissors, our crayons and our glue When the hands of the clock point to twelve and to two!

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Name:

Class:

Date:

School

Can you find all the school words?

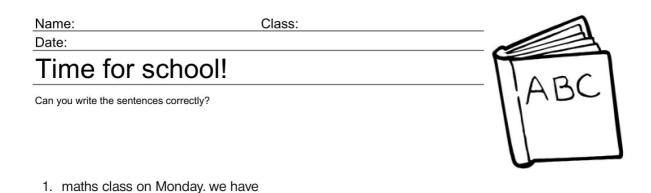


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secretary	classroom	physical education	reading
literacy	caretaker	mathematics	headteacher
monitor	toilets	gym	art
playground	language	music	office
computer room	music room	canteen	library

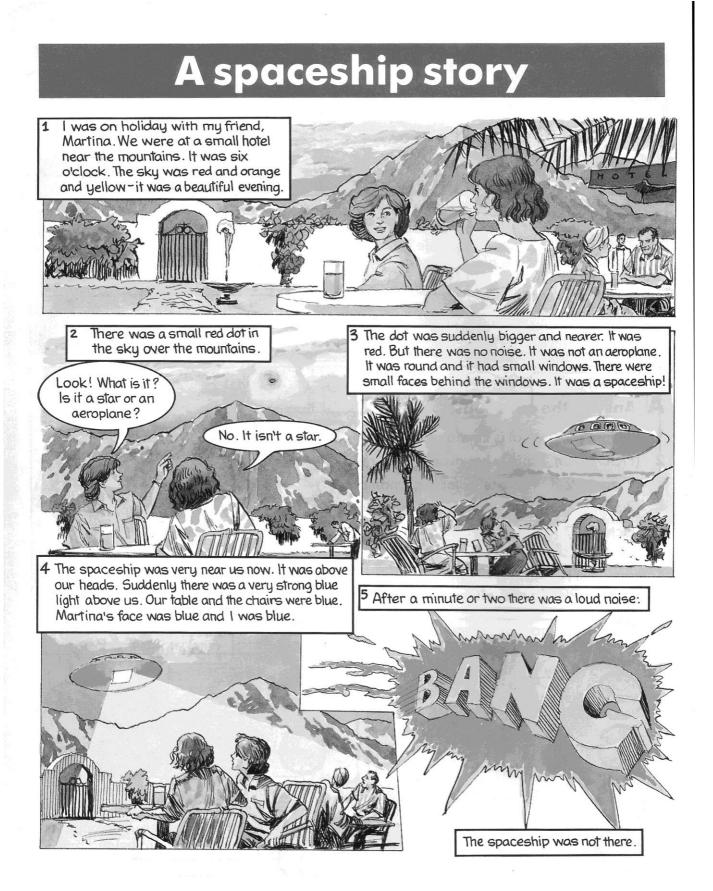
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Year 4



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- 5. the have don't afternoon. classes in we
- 6. school nine o'clock. at starts
- 7. use computers. we learn how to
- 8. at we finish classes two o'clock.
- 9. we draw and paint. in the art class
- 10. play the we in class music the recorder.

Year 4





Exercises

A True or false?

- 1 Two girls were on holiday.
- 2 The hotel was near some mountains.
- 3 There was a yellow aeroplane over

the mountains.

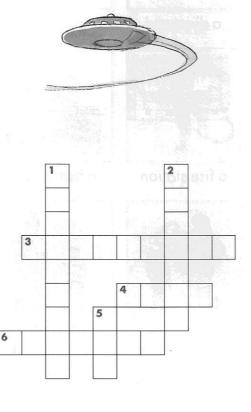
- **4** There was a spaceship in the garden of the hotel.
- 5 Martina's face was orange and red.

B Make sentences.

- 1 were . We on holiday
- 2 . small sky in There dot red a was the
- 3 had . windows spaceship The small
- 4 was There . light us above blue strong a
- 5 table were blue Our . chairs the and

C Write the words in the squares.

- 1 There was no noise. It was not an
- 2 I was on with Martina.
- **3** The spaceship was in the sky, over the
- 4 Was it a or an aeroplane?
- **5** The red was suddenly bigger.
- 6 The spaceship had small



Children from around the World

My name is David. I live in a small town in Australia. I don't live near a big city but there are lots of things to do here. I go swimming and

surfing in the sea. I also like to play rugby and I sometimes go fishing with my dad. The weather here is very good. It's always warm so I can wear shorts every day!

> My name is Natasha. I live in a big city in Russia. Our flat is tiny and we have to share the kitchen and the bathroom with our neighbours. In winter here it is very cold and it snows a lot. I wear a fur hat and coat to school. I wear boots, too. In summer we go to our house in the countryside. There I like to play outside and climb

trees.

My name is Moktar. I live in the desert in Mali. My family does not stay in one place. We need food and water for our goats and camels. It difficult to find food and water in the desert, so

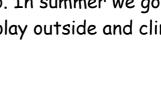
have to move around from place to place. My home is a tent. I wear a white cloth round my head to protect me from the hot sun.



My name is Kathleen. I live in a small village in Ireland, far from any big city. We have a small house with a big garden. We have two goats and some hens. In summer it's warm, so I play in

the garden with my pet kitten, Jess. In winter it's usually cold, so I sit on the sofa and watch television.





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Children from around the World : Activities

- A : Complete the sentences with the correct name :
- 1) _____ lives in a tent.
- 2) _____ has a pet kitten.
- 3) _____ goes swimming in the sea.
- 4) _____ wears a fur hat to school.
- B : True or False? (Correct the false sentences)
- 1) David lives in a big city. _____
- 2) In Australia the weather is very good. _____
- 3) Natasha's family lives in a very small flat. _____
- 4) She plays outside in winter. _____
- 5) Moktar's family stays in one place. _____
- 6) His family have camels and goats.
- 7) Kathleen lives in a big house. _____
- 8) She likes to watch television in the winter.
- C: Write some information about YOU.

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In summer			
In winter			

IRELAND



Ireland is a small country in the north of Europe. It is an island. Northern Ireland is part of the United Kingdom, but the rest of the island is an independent republic.

The capital city of this republic is Dublin and other important cities are Galway and Cork. There are also a lot of small towns and villages and some people live on farms in the countryside.

People in Ireland speak English or Gaelic and a lot of people can speak both. Lots of students from Spain, Italy and other countries go to Ireland to learn English, especially in the summer.

In the summer the weather is usually warm but it sometimes rains. In winter it can be cold and sometimes snowy.

Ireland is very popular with tourists, too. There is an important international airport in Dublin with connections all over the world. Tourists like to visit Dublin to listen to Irish musicians playing traditional Celtic music. They also visit Galway and some tourists like to spend time in the countryside to escape from noisy cities.

Use the information to complete this table:

Country	
Capital City	
Important cities	
Currency	Euro
Languages	
Weather	
Culture	

The Tower of London

Where is it?

The Tower of London is on the River Thames, near Tower Bridge.

How can you get there?

By bus, by car, by underground (The Tube) and by boat.

How old is The Tower of London?

It's over 900 years old. It's very strong. The walls are four metres thick! It's called "The Tower of London" but there are 21 towers.

What is it famous for?

It's famous for the Crown Jewels, but also for ravens, Beefeaters and ghosts!

Who are Beefeaters?

They are special guards. There are 48 Beefeaters at the Tower. They live there. They usually wear blue and red clothes, but on special days they wear red and gold clothes.

What are ravens?

Ravens are big, black birds. Every day they eat 150 grams of meat, eggs and special biscuits made with blood. There are six ravens at the Tower. The legend says that White Tower will fall down if they leave.

What are the Crown Jewels?

They are the Queen's special jewels, but she only wears them once a year. There are 2,868 jewels on the crown!

Who lives in The Tower of London?

In the past, Kings and Queens lived there, but now the Queen of England lives in Buckingham Palace. However, some people say that ghosts live in Salt Tower! They say that they only come out at night.



Find these numbers in the text : What do they refer to?

900	4	21	48	150	6	2,868

True or False? Correct the false sentences.

- I) The Tower of London is near Tower Bridge.
- 2) There are more than 30 towers.
- 3) The Beefeaters are big, black birds.
- 4) The Queen of England lives in the Tower of London.
- 5) Some people say that ghosts live in Salt Tower.

Tower of London

Complete the spaces : one word in each.

- I) We went to the Tower of London ______ underground.
- 2) The Queen wears her crown ______ special days.
- 3) London is famous ______ its double-decker buses.
- 4) I don't want to visit that place _____ night.
- 5) The special guards live _____ the Tower of London.



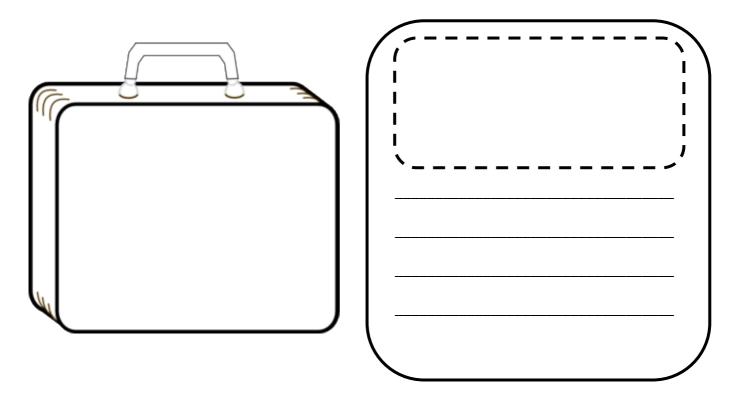
Katie in London

Complete these sentences with the correct wor 1) The big lion was in 2) Ghosts of Kings and Queens live in the 3) The lion crossed the	
 4)You can see the whole city from the top of th 5) The famous clock tower is called 6)The buses in London are red 	
7) The Queen of England lives in8) In London there are lots of beautiful	

Big Ben	London	Eye	Trafalg	ar Square	parks	Tower Bridge
Buckingham	Palace	Tower of L	ondon	double-decke	rs	River Thames

2) We are going to visit London! What are you going to take? Write a list.

What places do you want to visit? Draw and write. What places do you want to visit? Draw and write.



HALLOWEEN

Halloween is celebrated every year on October 31st. It is one of the oldest festivals in the world. It started a very long time ago when Celtic people celebrated New Year on November 1^{st.}. On the night



before was the festival "Samhain" when people believed that ghosts came back to the Earth.

Celtic people lived in different parts of Europe, especially Ireland and Scotland. In those countries Halloween is still a very important festival, with parades and parties, but now most people do not believe in ghosts.

Nowadays people all around the world like to dress up at Halloween to have fun. They carve pumpkins to make lanterns to decorate houses, shops and schools. There are Halloween parties with prizes for the most original costumes. Lots of children dress up and go to visit friends and neighbours to ask for sweets; this is called "trick or treat". Typical Halloween costumes include witches, skeletons, vampires and monsters!

Complete the sentences with words from the text:

1) Halloween _____. Many years ago.

- 2) Celtic people _____ New Year on November 1st.
- 3) People ______ that ghosts came back to the Earth.
- 4) Celtic people ______ in Scotland and Ireland.

+What about you? Do you like to celebrate Halloween?

Halloween Find all the words, then write some sentences in your notebook.



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Read the text and answer the questions, in complete sentences

At last, the rocket was ready, but there was nowhere to launch it. Everywhere was full of mountains of waste from the factories. The man took his rocket to the top of one of these mountains and blasted off for the star.

When he landed on the star the man looked around him. There was nothing to see. He walked and walked, looking for something to admire. But there was nothing. No trees, no flowers and not even a blade of grass. Sadly, he looked around, but the only beautiful thing he could see was another star, far away in the black sky. "I will go to that star," said the man, and he went again in his rocket.

On Earth the piles of rubbish burned, and the mountains rumbled. Far below the surface, the heat woke the dinosaurs that had been sleeping under the earth for millions of years.

- Where did the man blast off to? The man blasted
 How many flowers did the man see?
- The man.....
- 3. Where did the man want to go next? He
- Imagine you had a rocket, what would it be made of? Where could you go? What could you do? What could you see? Write and draw in your notebook.

Dinosaurs and all that Rubbish

Ger Look at these sentences from the story. Underline all the <u>adjectives</u>.

1) Grass grew high and trees grew tall.

4) "But my heart is bigger than yours."

2) He landed in a jungle with beautiful plants.

3) As the rubbish was cleared, green shoots appeared.



 \Box These sentences are from the story, too. Think of some adjectives to write in the spaces.

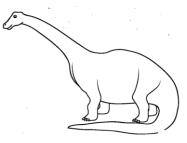
1) A man stood on a	hill.
2) The trees filled with	n birds.
3) At last the rock	ket was ready.
4) On Earth piles ofr	rubbish smouldered and burned.
5) Some of the dinose	aurs burned rubbish in volcanoes.
Bead and complete : An adjective is a word we use to	
☞Read and draw : write two adjectives fo The Earth when the rocket was ready.	or each picture. The Earth when the dinosaurs finished working.

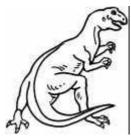
<u>DINOSAURS</u>

Dinosaurs were reptiles that lived on land. There were many different types of dinosaurs on the earth millions of years ago. Some were enormous, others were not so big. Some were carnivores, others were herbivores. Dinosaurs dominated the earth for over 165 million years, but mysteriously they became extinct about 65 million years ago.

Here are two different dinosaurs that lived all those years ago.

The Brachiosaurus was a huge plant-eating dinosaur with an extremely long neck. It was one of the tallest and largest dinosaurs that we know lived on the earth. This dinosaur walked on four legs. Its front legs were longer than its hind legs.





The Tyrannosaurus Rex was a huge, fierce, meat-eating dinosaur. It probably lived about 85 to 65 million years ago. This dinosaur lived in forests where herbivores could find plenty of food. These herbivores were food for the Tyrannosaurus Rex.

1) What kind of book does this text come from?

.....

2) Why is the text divided into three paragraphs?

.....

3) Write two interesting facts about dinosaurs that you can find in the text.

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.....

4) Choose five important words and underline them with a red pencil or crayon.

Fact or Fiction

	Fact	Fiction
Five hundred years ago monsters lived on the earth.		
Some dinosaurs were herbivores.		
People celebrate Halloween on October 31 st .		
Katie and Jake visited London with the lion.		
There are 31 days in January.		
Dublin is the capital city of Ireland.		
Celtic people lived in different parts of Europe.		
"This planet is for everyone!" said the dinosaur.		
The spaceship stopped above our heads.		

Invent some fiction...

Emperor Penguins

Amazing Fact

Emperor penguins can dive down to 565 metres underwater - the deepest of any bird.

Challenge

Read the information about penguins below and then answer the questions on the following page.

Feathers

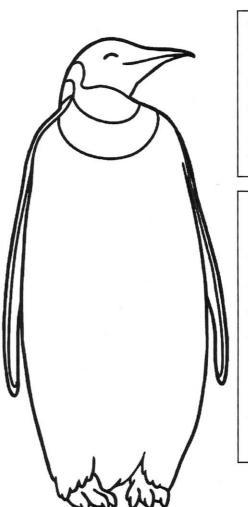
They have four layers of feathers which are waterproof and protect them from the cold.

Flippers

Their flippers are small but strong so they can swim quickly through the water.

Claws

They have strong claws so that they can grip onto the ice as they shuffle along.



Tummy

Their tummies are smooth, so that they can slide when they need to travel a long way over the ice.

Emperor penguins grow to 1.15m tall. They are the largest type of penguin and they can survive temperatures as low as -60°C! (That's more than three times colder than a freezer!)

You could also try to find out:

- why the penguins dive so deep;
- what emperor penguins eat;
- how many different penguin species there are.

Emperor Penguins

<u>Word</u>				
Dictionary wo	ork: Find the mean	ings of these wor	ds from the text.	<u>What kind of</u>
<u>word is each</u>	one?			
dive:				
waterproof: _				
shuffle:				
slide:				
Find these w	ords in the text a	nd underline them	<u>:</u>	
layer	feathers	flippers	claws	
<u>Sentence: N</u>	low use the correc	t word to complet	e these sentences:	
1) Seals and d	lolphins have			
2) Whales hav	ve a	of fat called	blubber.	
3) Cats can sc	cratch with their			
4) Some birds	s have colourful			
Text: True	or False:			
		e than 500 metres	underwater.	
2)They have l	arge flippers		_	
4)They are th	ne largest type of p	enguin		
5)They can m	ove quickly in the w	ater		

PAST or PRESENT?



<u>Circle the correct verb: use a green pencil.</u>

1)Dinosaurs live / lived on the earth millions of years ago.

2)Emperor penguins have / had strong claws.

3)London is / was the capital city of England.

4)The children are / were in the park yesterday.

5)Celtic people celebrate / celebrated New Year on November 1st.

Copy the verbs from the box into the correct column:

PRESENT	PAST

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Use some of the verbs to complete these sentences:

1)We _____ Christmas on December 25th.

2)Some dinosaurs _____ a very long tail.

3)The car ______at the traffic lights.

4)I _____ to the beach in August.

5)At school we _____ Spanish and English.

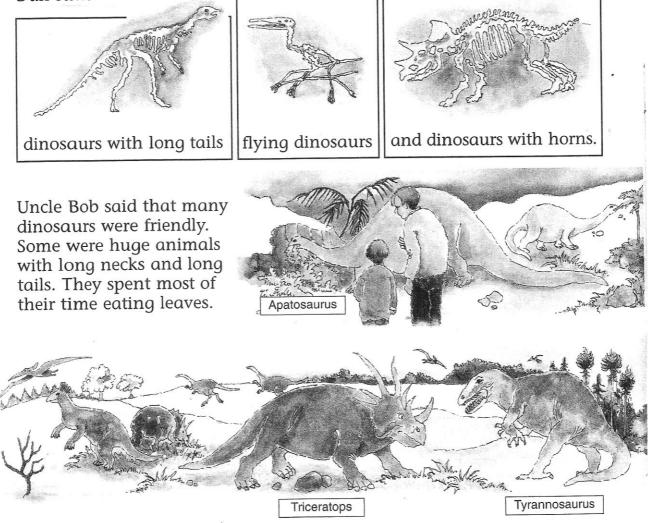
Dan and the Dinosaurs

Read the text carefully and then do the activities.

Dan and the Dinosaurs

One day Uncle Bob took Dan to the museum. Dan saw lots of dinosaur skeletons.

Dan saw:

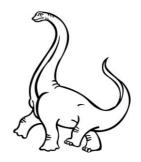


Uncle Bob said that some dinosaurs were fierce. They had sharp teeth and claws.

That night when he went to sleep, Dan dreamed about dinosaurs. In the middle of the night there was a tapping sound on his window. Dan woke up and went to have a look...



Dan and The Dan and Dinosaurs



Read the story and answer the questions

1) Where did Uncle Bob take Dan?

2) What did he see?

3) How did many dinosaurs spend their time?

4) What did Dan dream about?

Can you find these verbs in the past? Underline them with a green pencil.

take	see
say	are
spend	have

Now use the verbs to complete the sentences .

1) We ______ some beautiful paintings at the museum.

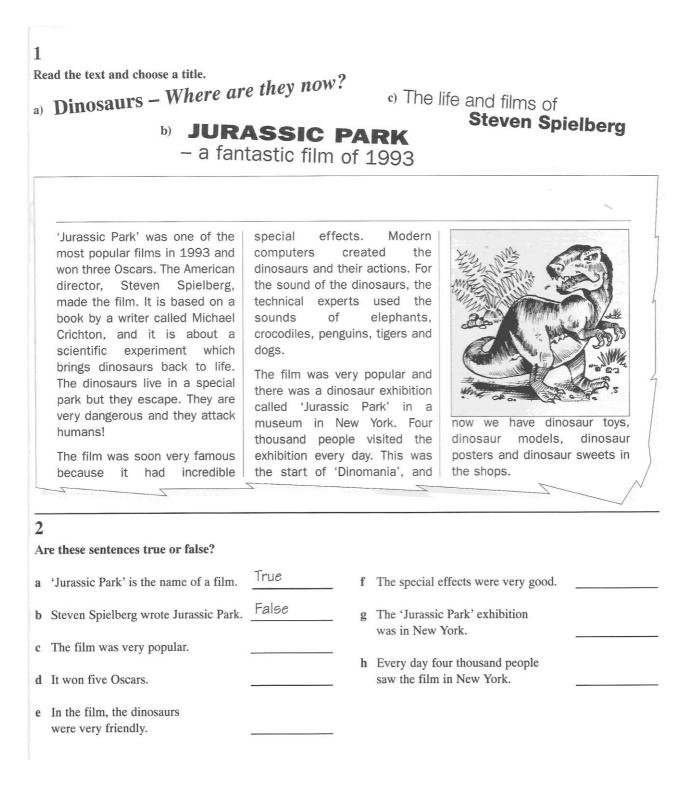
2) I ______ the weekend in the village with my grandparents.

3) Dan ______ a party to celebrate his birthday.

- 4) She _____ the books to the library.
- 5) The children ______ very happy with their presents.
- 6) The doctor _____ I had to stay in bed.

Jurassic Park

Do you like going to the cinema? Do you watch films at home? What are your favourite kinds of films? Do you like films about dinosaurs?



Christmas Trees

Decorating at Christmas

Christmas trees are usually decorated ready for Christmas Day. Many people use baubles, lights, tinsel, angels and stars on their trees, and might have a colour theme. Christmas presents are usually put under the tree.

Different Types of Trees

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Christmas trees come in different shapes and sizes. Many people choose real trees to decorate because they can

have a woodland smell. Others choose

fake trees because they make less mess. There are pink, black, musical and even spinning trees!

Where Else Do You Find Christmas Trees?

Many villages, towns and cities have a bigger Christmas tree with lights, for people to enjoy outside.



- The famous London Christmas tree in Trafalgar Square is a gift from Norway each year.
- 2. The world's largest floating Christmas tree is in Brazil.
- 3. Prince Albert started the Christmas tree tradition in England.

CHRISTMAS TREES

Word: Find these in the text and underline them.

Three types of decorations

Three types of artificial trees.

Sentence: Answer the questions. Write complete sentences.

1)What is usually put under the Christmas tree?

2)Why do many people choose a real tree?

3)Where can you find the famous London Christmas tree?

4) Who started the Christmas tree tradition in England?

Text: Write a short paragraph about how you decorate your house or school at Christmas. Use some of the vocabulary from the text.







Ask your friend these questions and then answer his/her questions.

Do you decorate your house ? _____

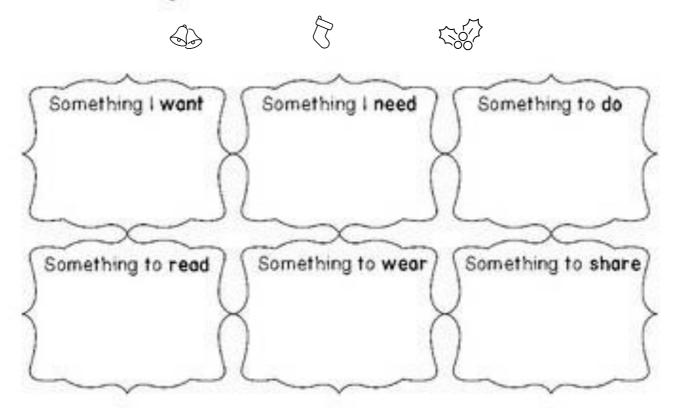
Who brings your presents?

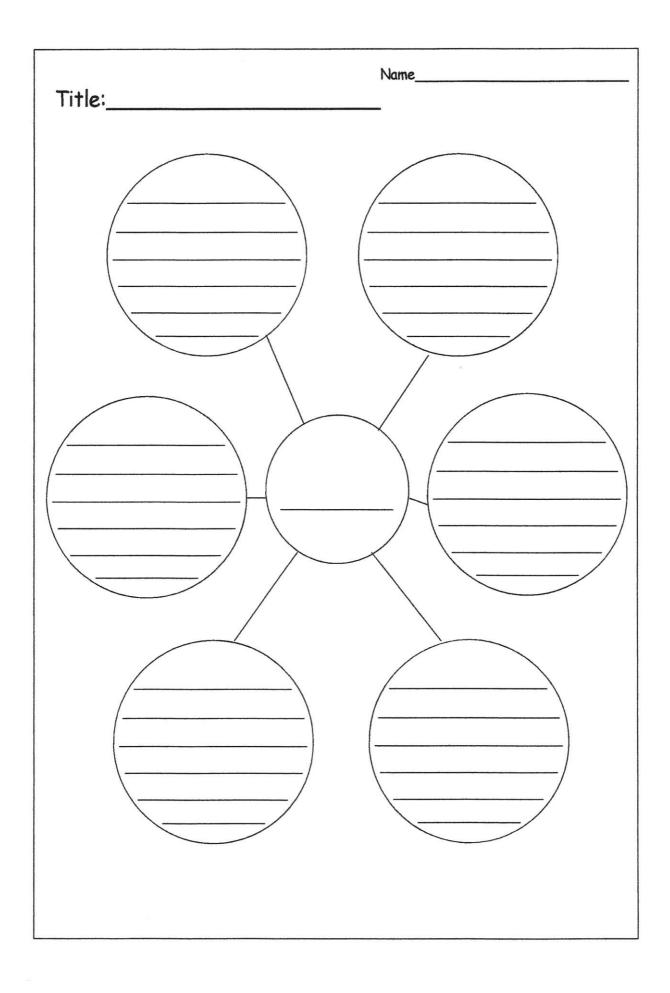
What special food do you eat?

Where do you spend Christmas Day? _____

What is your favourite part of Christmas?

My Christmas Wish List







Read the book carefully!

Copy the title into your notebook.

Find the names of three or four characters and write them using a capital letter.

Find some words with five or more letters and copy them into your notebook.

Copy a picture from the book. Add some labels and speech bubbles.

Invent a new title for the book.

Find some words with a double consonant.

Find some words with a double vowel.

Find some exclamation marks and question marks.

How are you doing?

Colour one face for each page

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Easy or difficult for you? Colour one face for each question.

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