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Fort Madison Mayor Matt Mohrfeld talks with greeters who came to welcome the first Amtrak stop during Friday's ribbon cutting ceremony with the Southwest Chief as the backdrop at the Steven J. Ireland Memorial Depot.

AMTRAK TO STOP DEC. 15 City sees 15-year effort rewarded with ribbon cutting on new depot



BY CHUCK VANDENBERG
PCC EDITOR

FORT MADISON – A slight sprinkle and chilly wind did nothing to take away from the celebration of community as the Southwest Chief stopped westbound for the first time at the city's new Amtrak depot Friday night.

Mayor Matt Mohrfeld stepped off to cheers as he waived to hundreds that had piled onto the new passenger platform in historic downtown Fort Madison.

"History is made," Mohrfeld said as he was handed a microphone from Amtrak Public Relations Manager Marc Magliari.

"If it wasn't for the mayors championing this, and I want to see Brad (Randolph's) hand in the air and John Wright's hand in the air, the Steve Ireland family with their hands in the air."

Mohrfeld also thanked the former and current council members for taking the project and putting it over the fence.

"This isn't about getting on a train and stepping off, it's a lot bigger than that. It was about finding the money, the backing, the vision, and bringing this across the finish line," Mohrfeld said.

Ken Kempker, Ireland's son, spoke for the Ireland family with the backdrop of the Chief sitting at the Steven J. Ireland Memorial Depot.

"This is dad's vision and it's amazing to see this. Thank you, everyone. I know he's looking down on us and he's extremely happy," Kempker said.

Mohrfeld said former Mayor Ireland took a vision

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WEATHER

MON 13 Dec..... Scattered Clouds, 54° F / 36° F

TUE 14 Dec..... Overcast, 60° F / 42° F

WED 15 Dec..... Light Rain, 70° F / 58° F

IOWA LOTTERY

LOTTO AMERICA 12/11..... 8 10 17 26 41, Star Ball: 9, All Star Bonus: 4

LUCKY FOR LIFE 12/11..... 8 9 16 31 44, Lucky Ball: 17

MEGA MILLIONS 12/10..... 23 25 40 42 60, Mega Ball: 8 Megaplier: 2

PICK 3 12/09, 12/10, 12/11 MIDDAY..... 9 47, 5 84, 4 87

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Obituaries/Local News

OBITUARIES

BRAD C. STRONG

Brad Charles Strong, 56, of Burlington, passed away on Wednesday, December 8, 2021, at Southeast Iowa Regional Medical Center in West Burlington, Iowa.

Brad was born on September 4, 1965, in Fort Madison, Iowa, the son of Donald and JoAnn (Newell) Strong. He graduated from Fort Madison High School in 1983, obtaining his bachelor's degree from Iowa State University in 1987 and his master's degree from Western Illinois University in 1989.



STRONG

humor.

Brad was employed at the Young House in Burlington, Iowa, as a mental health counselor. In his free time, he enjoyed reading, fishing, golfing, and spending time in the great outdoors. Brad could often be found playing Poker at the Keokuk Yacht Club and loved his children deeply. His family will always remember him as a caring and loving man with a great sense of humor.

Brad is survived by his son Seth (Kirstin) Strong and his daughter Hannah (Danny) Zeets, both of Cedar Falls, Iowa; his brother Scott (Mary) Strong of Chicago, Illinois; two sisters: Susan Strong of Jacksonville, Florida, and Nancy (Eric) Melin of Scottsdale, Arizona; and several nieces, nephews, and cousins.

Brad is preceded in death by his parents.

Visitation will be held on Thursday, December 16, 2021, from 1 to 6 pm, with family meeting friends from 3 to 6 pm at DeJong-Greaves-Printy Funeral Home in Keokuk, Iowa. Tributes and condolences may be left at www.dejongsfuneralhome.com. Friends are invited to join the family at the Keokuk Yacht Club at 7 pm on Thursday following the visitation. A private family funeral will be held on Friday.

Memorials may be directed to the National Alliance on Mental Illness.

DeJong-Greaves-Printy Funeral Home of Keokuk is in charge of arrangements.

OBITUARIES

CHARLES E. FRANKLIN

Charles Edwin Franklin, 68, of Farmington, Iowa, passed away at 8:41 p.m. Friday, December 10, 2021 at his home.

He was born on August 5, 1953, in Blackwell, Oklahoma, the son of Gerald Wilford, Jr. and Luella Jane (Andrew) Franklin. On August 17, 1974, he married Louise Jane Southern in Wichita, Kansas. She preceded him in death on January 5, 2013.



FRANKLIN

Survivors include his ten children: Marshall Kent Charles Franklin, James Edward Franklin, Jay Micheal Betts, Brandon Charles (Tricia) Franklin, Ashley Susan Marie McCann, Alexis Marie Franklin, Kianna Louise Franklin, Kandyce Jane Franklin, Shannon Charles Franklin and Curtis Charles Franklin; nine grandchildren; five great grandchildren; two brothers: Gerald Wilford Franklin III of Topeka, Kansas and Rodney Lee Franklin of Keokuk, Iowa. Also surviving are several nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents: Gerald and Luella and his wife: Louise.

Charles was a 1971 graduate of Fort Madison High School. He served in the United States Navy. He was a member of the Church of Jesus Christ of the Latter Day Saints, the Iowa Foster/Adoption Kids Association and West Point bowling league. Charles enjoyed fishing, hunting, gardening and watching sprint car racing.



Friends may call after 12:00 noon Tuesday, December 14, 2021, at Schmitz Funeral Home in Farmington, where the family will receive friends from 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. that evening.

A funeral service will be held at 10:30 a.m. Wednesday, December 15, 2021, at Schmitz Funeral Home in Farmington with President Jon Robbins officiating.

Burial will be at Greenglade Cemetery, in Farmington with full military rites presented by the Farmington American Legion Richardson - Anthony Post #231.

A memorial has been established in his memory.

Online condolences may be made to the family at www.schmitzfuneralhomes.com. Schmitz Funeral Home of Farmington is assisting the family with arrangements.

FMAAA raffle winners announced

FORT MADISON - The FMAAA is always pleased with the overall quality and breadth of media that is involved in this particular annual event and this year is no exception. There were multiple contenders for top spots in the friendly competition that goes along with the exhibition. We thank all of our Member Artists for submitting artwork for this year's Member Show.

- The over all Best of Show is Linda Ross for "Stack Pole"
- Best 2D is Carol Gunn for her pastel "First Glimmer"
- Best 3D is Sharon Bartlett for her pottery lamp "Homage to Trees"
- Best Photography is Jerry Granaman for his "Lightening During the Day"

As well as the exhibition competition, winners were drawn Friday night for the Pick YOUR Fun and Pick YOUR Basket raffles that FMAAA held as a fundraiser this fall instead of the annual Art Auction. Winners of the three Pick YOUR Fun Raffle Prizes are:

1. Dr. Carolyn and Dr. Larry Smith won the top prize, a week long condo stay at a destination of their choice.
 2. The Coal Haus Mobile Pizza Oven Pizza Party was won by a donor who wishes to remain anonymous.
 3. The Fox Theater 20 person Private Movie Party was won by Imelda Granaman
- The Pick YOUR Basket winners are:
1. Bee Basket: Kelly Peters
 2. Family Time: Libby Laughlin
 3. Perfect Indulgences: Dorothy and Jeff Kramer
 4. Rabbit Hole: Linda Marshall
 5. Warm Moments: Diane Jennings

Funds raised will help support the Art Center until the Expressions Art Auction can finally be held as normal in April of 2022.

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Obituaries/Sports

OBITUARIES

KATHLEEN D. BOLTZ

Kathleen "Kate" Diana Boltz, 81, of Keokuk, IA passed away peacefully surrounded by family at the Southeast Iowa Regional Home Health and Hospice on December 10, 2021.



BOLTZ

She was born February 22, 1940 in Keokuk, the daughter of Martin and Irene Lambert Washburn.

On February 16, 1958 She was united in marriage to Robert "Bob" Keith Boltz at St. Peters Catholic Church in Keokuk.

Kate was a member of the all Saints Catholic Church and attended mass faithfully.

She had been employed at Dryden's/Sheller Globe/BTR in Keokuk and retired after 39 years of service.

She loved spending time with her family and always said her family were the only friends she needed. She would light up whenever her grandchildren would come around. She was always there when you needed her and welcomed you with open arms offering food to whomever came over. Her house was always filled with love and laughter. Kate loved to dance around the house and played the piano. She enjoyed traveling and camping, she took many camping trips around the United States. In her free time she would go with her daughters and sisters to the casino and shopping. In her younger years she enjoyed bowling with her friends.

She is survived by her husband Bob of Keokuk, five children, Robert "Bob" Boltz of Quincy, Roy (Janet) Boltz of Revere, Theresia (James) Harmon of Keokuk, Tammy (Keith) High of Keokuk, and John Boltz of Des Moines, seventeen grandchildren, thirty-four great-grandchildren and one great-great-grandchild. She is also survived by two sisters Shirley (Sunny) Dodge of Hamilton and Sheila Kay of Keokuk and many nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her parents, one son Randy Keith Boltz, and thirteen brothers and sisters.

Mass of Christian Burial will be held at 10:30 a.m., Tuesday (Dec.14) at the All Saints Catholic Church in Keokuk with Reverend David Brownfield, Ph.D. officiating. Burial will be in Oakland Cemetery in Keokuk.

Visitation will be held after 1 p.m., Monday (Dec. 13) at the Vigen Memorial Home in Keokuk with the family meeting with friends from 6 - 7:30. A Vigil Service and Rosary will begin at 7:30 p.m.

Memorials can be made to St. Jude Children's Hospital.

Online condolences may be sent to the family at www.vigenmemorialhome.com.

BLOODHOUND SPORTS

Lady Hounds' poor shooting leads to first loss of season

Ross scores 16 of her 18 in second half

BY JOHN BOHNENKAMP
PCC SPORTS

FORT MADISON – The drought was long and costly.

And it left Fort Madison's girls basketball team scrambling throughout the second half of Friday's 46-38 home loss to Fairfield.

Fort Madison (3-1) went without a field goal for the final nine minutes of the first half as Fairfield (3-1) built a 26-14 halftime lead.

The Bloodhounds tried to rally in the second half, getting to within five points twice. But Fairfield was able to close out the win.

"I thought we had some good looks," Fort Madison coach Tony Sargent said. "We just didn't make any of them. When you've got layups and good shots that don't fall, they just don't fall. You can account it to whatever, but we just didn't make shots.

"If we had made some shots early and been closer, maybe things would have been different."

"I thought we played good team defense," Fairfield coach Pat Pacha said.

Pacha said the Trojans' main goal was to try to slow Fort Madison leading scorer Malarie Ross. Ross finished with 18 points, but 16 of those came in the second half. Ross' only first-half points came on two free throws.

"Anna Dunlap, one of the quickest players for us, had one job, and that was to deny Malarie Ross the ball as much as possible," Pacha said. "I thought she did a good job of that, and when Ross did get away, we did a good job of closing out with help."

Ross hit a 3-pointer with 6:05 to play that got Fort Madison within 36-31. The two teams traded baskets before the Trojans went on a 6-0 run to put the game away.

Sargent said the Bloodhounds are still a work in progress.

"I thought we did a good job," Sargent said. "The effort was there. We didn't foul when we should have, we didn't push the ball as hard as we should have. It's just going to take time.

"We just need to keep working at it. And by the middle of January, the first of February, we'll have it figured out."

"Tony's got a good defensive team too," Pacha said. "We scored 46, or whatever, and we played great defense. We'll take it."

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Sports

Smith, McGowan, Thatcher all win titles at Wentzville



Photos by Chuck Vandenberg/PCC

Fort Madison's Jake McGowan looks for position against Andrew Sommer, of Warrenton, Mo., at the Wentzville Invitational Saturday in Missouri. McGowan swept through the 182 lb. bracket to take first at the meet. Below, Teague Smith sets up a pin in semi-final action.



Bloodhounds capture 2nd place wrestling short-handed at Missouri tourney

BY CHUCK VANDENBERG
PCC EDITOR

WENTZVILLE, Mo. – Fort Madison is finding some luck wrestling south of the border.

Last year the Bloodhounds took the title at the Liberty Duals in St. Charles and on Saturday three Fort Madison wrestlers earned first place in their division at the Liberty Wentzville Tournament at Wentzville's Liberty High School.

Sophomores Teague Smith and Ike Thatcher and senior Jakob McGowan all took home the top medal, but maybe just as impressive was the fact that all three went through their brackets pinning every opponent they faced, going a combined 14-0 on the day.

"It doesn't happen often," said Head Coach Ryan Smith said.

Teague Smith rolled through the 170 lb bracket with four pins. He took on Fulton's Elijah Brocksmith in the title match and won by fall just 14 seconds into the second period. His first two wins were in less than a minute over wrestlers from Centralia and Palmyra. He knocked off Alex O'Connor out of St. Charles West with nine seconds left in the first period.

McGowan, who had the highest finish for the Hounds at last weekend's Keen Invitational in Independence at 182 lbs, put his first three opponents to the mat in less than minute each including a 14 second pin over Carson Rauner of Ladue Horton Watkins in the third round of pool play.

Head Coach Ryan Smith said it wasn't an issue of a competition.

"We preach pin the other guy," Smith said. "I think we made it look easy, but those opponents weren't bad. They were solid kids and those three guys were really wrestling well."

Smith said quick pins don't necessarily transition to a lot of points for the wrestlers, which some wrestlers strive for.

"Some wrestlers try to haul in points, but something we put an emphasis on is putting shoulders to mats."

But Smith said he was impressed with the Hounds abilities to get repeated pins on Saturday so far from home.

Wrestling at 190 sophomore Ike Thatcher breezed through his first two matches by fall in under a minute each, and then had to go into the second period before getting Jose Juarez of Palmyra 32 seconds into the second period.

Thatcher then scored another pin over Sullivan's Jordan Rice at 1:46 of the first period to get the title at 190.

The Hounds recorded 29 pins on the day out of 48 total matches including the sweeps by Smith, McGowan and Thatcher

The Hounds last wrestled at the Wentzville tourney two years ago and came home with a ninth-place finish. Smith said they didn't wrestle very well in 2019 but he liked the Hounds chances of winning the team scoring outright had a full team made the trip. The Hounds were missing ranked senior Gavin Wiseman who had scheduled ACTs and couldn't make the trip.

"I remember feeling like we didn't represent ourselves very well leaving there two years ago. But I think if we have had Gavin there and maybe Austin Miller we could have won the event," he said. "But I'd call taking second place not having a full team a positive," he said.

Aiden Pennock and Henry Wiseman both took 3rd place. Smith said Pennock has been improving all year, and Wiseman looked as good as he has all year.

"He was really strong on top and showed a lot of offense," he said. "He had a rough tournament at Independence so that was good to see on his part."

Daniel Sokolik and Logan Pennock each claimed fifth-place medals at 220 and 120 lbs. respectively Emmett Kruse placed 6th at 126.

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Lee County, Iowa
Board of Supervisors
Agenda
DATE: Monday,
December 13, 2021
MEETING
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9:00 A.M. - 10:00 A.M.
(CDT)
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Pledge of Allegiance
 Approve Agenda
 Public Input
 Receive Compensation

Board Recommendation
 Consider Approval of Resolution Lifting Embargo on Primrose Road

Consider Approval of Quote for Sign Truck Service Body with Crane

Consider Approval of Resolution Appointing Dr. Amy Huber as Lee County Medical Examiner

Consider Approval of Resolution Appointing Dr. Meghan Wooster as Deputy Lee County Medical Examiner

Consider Approval of Contract with Dr. Amy Huber as Lee County Medical Examiner

Consider Approval of Contract with Dr. Meghan Wooster as Deputy Lee County Medical Examiner

Consider Approval of Chair Signing Memorandum of Understanding with State of Iowa for Opioid Settlement

Consider Approval to Replace IT Director

Consider Approval of Resolution Abating Taxes on 365 Carbide Lane Owned by City of Keokuk

Consider Approval of Resolution Abating Taxes on Property Donated to Lee County Conservation

Consider Approval to Renew Contract with Maximus for Actuary Services

Consider Approval of Class C Liquor License for Mt Hamill Tap

Consider Approval of Tax Abatement Resolutions (6)

Consider Approval of Monday, December 6, 2021 Board Minutes

Consider Approval of Claims

Personnel Actions:

A. New Hire-Secondary Roads

B. New Hire-Sheriff's Office

Commission or Committee Reports

Adjourn

Workshop to Follow

PUBLIC MEETING
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PUBLIC NOTICE
MEETING MINUTES
Donnellson City Council
Proceedings
Prior to the regular meeting a budget workshop was held at 6:00pm.
Regular Meeting
Monday,
December 6th, 2021
7:00PM
City Hall

The regular meeting of the Donnellson City Council was called to order by Mayor D. Ellingboe, with Council Members Weber, Marshall, Moeller & Schneider present, Estrada was absent.

Motion by Marshall, second by Weber to approve the agenda: all ayes.

Citizen comments - None

Motion by Weber, second by Moeller to approve the minutes of the November '21 meetings: all ayes.

Motion by Weber, second by Marshall to approve the November '21 financial reports: all ayes.

Motion by Schneider, second by Weber to approve the November '21 disbursements and December '21 bills to be allowed: all ayes.

Motion by Weber, second by Marshall to approve sidewalk grant for John & Christina Carroll 702 N Main St: all ayes.

Motion by Moeller, second by Weber to approve the tax abatement application for Dennis Hammer 702 Pershing Ave for new storage garage: all ayes.

Motion by Schneider, second by Moeller to approve building permit for Nadine Allen 814 State St to construct single car garage: all ayes.

Motion by Moeller, second by Marshall to approve building permit for Stephen Hohl 803 Pine St to enclosed porch: all ayes.

Motion by Marshall, second by Weber to approve hosting Tunnel to Towers 5K Run/Walk on July 4th: all ayes.

Public Hearing to Amend FY22 Budget – no written or oral comments.

Motion by Moeller, second by Schneider to approve Resolution No 2021-21 A Resolution approving Budget Amendment #1 for FY22: RCV all ayes.

Public Hearing to Amend the Code of Ordinances with legislative

changes – no written or oral comments.

Motion by Moeller, second by Marshall to approve the First Reading of Ordinance No 186, An ordinance amending the Code of Ordinances of the City of Donnellson, Iowa, by amending provisions pertaining to disorderly conduct: RCV all ayes.

ORDINANCE NO. 186

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF DONNELLSON, IOWA, BY AMENDING PROVISIONS PERTAINING TO DISORDERLY CONDUCT.

Be It Enacted by the City Council of the City of Donnellson, Iowa:

SECTION 1. SECTION MODIFIED. Section 40.03(2) of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Donnellson, Iowa, is repealed and the following adopted in lieu thereof:
 40.03 DISORDERLY CONDUCT. No person shall do any of the following:

2. Noise. Make loud and raucous noise in the vicinity of any residence or public building which intentionally or recklessly causes unreasonable distress to the occupants thereof.

(Code of Iowa, Sec. 723.4[2])

SECTION 2. SEVERABILITY CLAUSE. If any section, provision, or part of this ordinance shall be adjudged invalid or unconstitutional, such adjudication shall not affect the validity of the ordinance as a whole or any section, provision, or part thereof not adjudged invalid or unconstitutional.

SECTION 3. WHEN EFFECTIVE. This ordinance shall be in effect from and after its final passage, approval and publication as provided by law.

Motion by Moeller, second by Weber to waive the second and third readings of Ordinance No 186: RCV all ayes. Passed and approved by the council on the 6th day of December, 2021.

Motion by Marshall, second by Schneider to approve the First Reading of Ordinance No 187, An ordinance amending the Code of Ordinances of the City of Donnellson, Iowa, by amending provisions pertaining to liquor licenses: RCV all ayes.

ORDINANCE NO. 187

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF DONNELLSON, IOWA, BY AMENDING PROVISIONS PERTAINING TO LIQUOR LICENSES.

Be It Enacted by the City Council of the City of Donnellson, Iowa:

SECTION 1. SECTION MODIFIED. Section 120.05(2) of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Donnellson, Iowa, is repealed and the following adopted in lieu thereof:

120.05 PROHIBITED SALES AND ACTS. A person holding a liquor license or retail wine or beer permit and the person's agents or employees shall not do any of the following:

2. Sell or dispense any alcoholic beverage on the premises covered by the license or permit, or permit its consumption thereon between the

hours of 2:00 a.m. and 6:00 a.m. on a weekday, and between the hours of 2:00 a.m. on Sunday and 6:00 a.m. on the following Monday; however, a holder of a liquor control license or retail wine or beer permit granted the privilege of selling alcoholic liquor, wine, or beer on Sunday may sell or dispense alcoholic liquor, wine, or beer between the hours of 6:00 a.m. on Sunday and 2:00 a.m. of the following Monday, and further provided that a holder of any class of liquor control license or the holder of a class "B" beer permit may sell or dispense alcoholic liquor, wine, or beer for consumption on the premises between the hours of 6:00 a.m. on Sunday and 2:00 a.m. on Monday when that Monday is New Year's Day and beer for consumption off the premises between the hours of 6:00 a.m. on Sunday and 2:00 a.m. on the following Monday when that Sunday is the day before New Year's Day.

(Code of Iowa, Sec. 123.49[2b] & 123.150)

SECTION 2. SEVERABILITY CLAUSE. If any section, provision, or part of this ordinance shall be adjudged invalid or unconstitutional, such adjudication shall not affect the validity of the ordinance as a whole or any section, provision, or part thereof not adjudged invalid or unconstitutional.

SECTION 3. WHEN EFFECTIVE. This ordinance shall be in effect from and after its final passage, approval and publication as provided by law.

Motion by Weber, second by Schneider to



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PUBLIC NOTICES

waive the second and third readings of Ordinance No 187: RCV all ayes. Passed and approved by the council on the 6th day of December, 2021.

Motion by Moeller, second by Schneider to approve the First Reading of Ordinance No 188, An ordinance amending the Code of Ordinances of the City of Donnellson, Iowa, by amending provisions pertaining to abandoned vehicles: RCV all ayes.

ORDINANCE NO. 188

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF DONNELLS-SON, IOWA, BY AMENDING PROVISIONS PERTAINING TO ABAN- DONGED VEHICLES.

Be It Enacted by the City Council of the City of Donnellson, Iowa:

SECTION 1. SECTION MODIFIED. Section 80.03 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Donnellson, Iowa, is repealed and the following adopted in lieu thereof:

80.03 NOTICE BY MAIL. A police authority or private entity that takes into custody an abandoned vehicle shall send notice by certified mail that the vehicle has been taken into custody no more than twenty days after taking custody of the vehicle. Notice shall be sent to the last known address of record of the last known registered owner of the vehicle, all lienholders of record, and any other known claimant to the vehicle. Notice shall be deemed given when mailed. The notice shall include all of the following: A description of the year, make, model and vehicle identification number of the vehicle. The location of the facility where the vehicle is being held. Information for the persons receiving the notice of their right to reclaim the vehicle and personal property contained therein within ten days after the effective date of the notice. Persons may reclaim the vehicle or personal property upon payment of all towing, preservation, and storage charges resulting from placing the vehicle in custody and upon payment of the costs of notice required pursuant to this subsection. A statement that failure of the owner, lienholders, or claimants to exercise their right to reclaim the vehicle or personal property within the time provided shall be deemed a waiver by

the owner, lienholders, and claimants of all right, title, claim and interest in the vehicle or personal property. A statement that failure to reclaim the vehicle or personal property is deemed consent for the police authority or private entity to sell the vehicle at a public auction or dispose of the vehicle to a demolisher and to dispose of the personal property by sale or destruction. If the abandoned vehicle was taken into custody by a private entity without a police authority's initiative, the notice shall state that the private entity may claim a garage keeper's lien as described in Section 321.90, subsection 1 of the Code of Iowa, and may proceed to sell or dispose of the vehicle. If the abandoned vehicle was taken into custody by a police authority or by a private entity hired by a police authority, the notice shall state that any person claiming rightful possession of the vehicle or personal property who disputes the planned disposition of the vehicle or personal property by the police authority or private entity or of the assessment of fees and charges provided by this section may ask for an evidentiary hearing before the police authority to contest those matters. If the persons receiving notice do not ask for a hearing or exercise their right to reclaim the vehicle or personal property within the ten-day reclaiming period, the owner, lienholders, or claimants shall no longer have any right, title, claim, or interest in or to the vehicle or the personal property. A court in any case in law or equity shall not recognize any right, title, claim, or interest of the owner, lienholders, or claimants after the expiration of the ten-day reclaiming period.

(Code of Iowa, Sec. 321.89[3a])

SECTION 2. SECTION MODIFIED. Section 80.04 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Donnellson, Iowa, is repealed and the following adopted in lieu thereof:

80.04 NOTIFICATION IN NEWSPAPER. If it is impossible to determine with reasonable certainty the identities and addresses of the last registered owner and all lienholders, notice by one publication in one newspaper of general circulation in the area where the vehicle was abandoned shall be sufficient to meet all requirements of notice under Section 80.03. The

published notice may contain multiple listings of abandoned vehicles but shall be published within the same time requirements and contain the same information as prescribed for mailed notice in this subsection.

(Code of Iowa, Sec. 321.89[3b])

SECTION 3. SECTION ADDED. Chapter 80 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Donnellson, Iowa, is amended by adding a new Section 80.10 which is hereby adopted to read as follows:

80.10 RECLAMATION OF ABANDONED VEHICLES. Prior to driving an abandoned vehicle away from the premises, a person who received or is reclaiming the vehicle on behalf of a person who received notice under subsection 3, shall present to the police authority or private entity, as applicable, the persons valid drivers license and proof of financial liability coverage as provided in section 321.20B of Code of Iowa.

(Code of Iowa, Sec. 321.89)

SECTION 4. SEVERABILITY CLAUSE. If any section, provision, or part of this ordinance shall be adjudged invalid or unconstitutional, such adjudication shall not affect the validity of the ordinance as a whole or any section, provision, or part thereof not adjudged invalid or unconstitutional.

SECTION 5. WHEN EFFECTIVE. This ordinance shall be in effect from and after its final passage, approval and publication as provided by law.

Motion by Schneider, second by Moeller to waive the second and third readings of Ordinance No 188: RCV all ayes. Passed and approved by the council on the 6th day of December, 2021.

Motion by Weber, second by Schneider to approve the First Reading of Ordinance No 189, An ordinance amending the Code of Ordinances of the City of Donnellson, Iowa, by amending provisions pertaining to interference with official acts: RCV all ayes.

ORDINANCE NO. 189

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF DONNELLS-SON, IOWA, BY AMENDING PROVI- SIONS PERTAINING TO INTERFERENCE WITH OFFICIAL ACTS.

Be It Enacted by the

City Council of the City of Donnellson, Iowa:

SECTION 1. SECTION MODIFIED. Section 41.06 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Donnellson, Iowa, is repealed and the following adopted in lieu thereof:

41.06 INTERFERENCE WITH OFFICIAL ACTS. A person commits interference with official acts when the person knowingly resist or obstruct anyone known by the person to be a peace officer, jailer, emergency medical care provider under Chapter 147A of the Code of Iowa, medical examiner, or firefighter, whether paid or volunteer, or a person performing bailiff duties pursuant to Section 602.1303[3] of the Code of Iowa, in the performance of any act which is within the scope of the lawful duty or authority of that officer, jailer, emergency medical care provider, medical examiner, or firefighter, whether paid or volunteer, or a person performing bailiff duties, or who knowingly resist or obstructs the service or execution by any authorized person of any civil or criminal process or order of any court. The terms "resist" and "obstruct" as used in this section do not include verbal harassment unless the verbal harassment is accompanied by a present ability and apparent intention to execute a verbal threat physically.

(Code of Iowa, Sec. 719.1)

SECTION 2. SECTION ADDED. Chapter 41 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Donnellson, Iowa, is amended by adding a new Section 41.16 which is hereby adopted to read as follows:

41.16 FAILURE TO ASSIST. A person who reasonably believes another person is suffering from a risk of serious bodily injury or imminent danger of death shall, if the person is able, attempt to contact local law enforcement or local emergency response authorities, if doing so does not place the person or the other person at risk of serious bodily injury or imminent danger of death. A person shall not be required to contact local law enforcement or emergency response authorities if the person knows or reasonable believes that the other person is not in need of help or assistance. A person who violates this section without lawful cause commits the following: 1. A simple misdemeanor if the failure to assist results in the other

person suffering serious bodily injury 2. An aggravated misdemeanor if the failure to assist results in the death of the other person.

(Code of Iowa, Sec. 727.12)

SECTION 3. SEVERABILITY CLAUSE. If any section, provision, or part of this ordinance shall be adjudged invalid or unconstitutional, such adjudication shall not affect the validity of the ordinance as a whole or any section, provision, or part thereof not adjudged invalid or unconstitutional.

SECTION 4. WHEN EFFECTIVE. This ordinance shall be in effect from and after its final passage, approval and publication as provided by law.

Motion by Marshall, second by Moeller to waive the second and third readings of Ordinance No 189: RCV all ayes. Passed and approved by the council on the 6th day of December, 2021.

Election results: David Newton was elected to replace Kevin Schneider on the council, Schneider opted not to seek reelection.

Motion by Moeller, second by Weber to approve the hiring of Amber Roberts to the position of part time clerk at the hourly rate of \$15: all ayes.

Motion by Moeller, second by Marshall to approve the increased cost of \$400 to complete the frisbee golf course at Westview Park: all ayes.

Several community members have gotten together and will be reinstating the Donnellson Vision Inc to create a community club to plan activities and projects within the town.

Police Report - There were 52 calls for service in November, 2 traffic stops and 22 building checks.

There being no other business to come before the Council, motion by Moeller, second by Marshall, Mayor Ellingboe declared the meeting adjourned: all ayes.

Dave Ellingboe, Mayor
Attest: Rebecca Schau, City Clerk

Summary of All Receipts: General \$27,751.21 Capital Equipment Reserve \$0 Road Use Tax \$7,767.78 Employee Benefit \$2,756.73 Local Option Sales Tax \$20,630.38 Debit Service \$15,417.52 Rathbun \$0 ARPA \$213.19 Water \$20,866.15 Water Sinking USDA \$1,816.00 Sewer \$27,413.08 Sewer Sink-

ing \$30,961.00.

Summary of All Disbursements: General \$28,058.41 Capital Equipment Reserve \$0 Road Use Tax -\$2,603.89 Employee Benefit \$1,367.74 Local Option Sales Tax \$9,418.58 Debit Service \$7,181.94 Capital Project Fund \$0 Rathbun \$0 ARPA \$5,141.25 Water \$14,676.78 Water Sinking \$1,816.00 Sewer \$42,991.42 Sewer Sinking \$30,961.00

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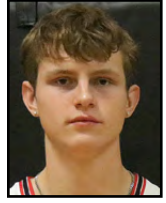
Sports

Fort Madison boys stay perfect with win over Fairfield

Turnbull gets hot with 21 points as Hounds move to 3-0

BY JOHN BOHNENKAMP
PCC SPORTS

FORT MADISON – The difference in Fort Madison High School's boys basketball team is one year.



TURNBULL

That showed in Friday's 61-50 home win over Fairfield.

The Bloodhounds led by 16 at half-time, then the Trojans rallied to get within five points three times in the second half.



But a rotation of eight seniors has learned how to finish games.

"Last year we don't close that out," Fort Madison coach Ryan Wilson said. "But, maturity, right? You go from eight juniors to eight seniors. They live, they learn, they work in the offseason and they make adjustments."

That kind of maturity has helped Fort Madison get off to a 3-0 start, and the key, Wilson said, is you don't know who is going to lead the way.

In this game it was Reiburn Turnbull, who hit his first two 3-pointers of the game and finished with a game-high 21 points.

"The kid's capable of doing that," Wilson said. "He's capable of having those kind of nights. He can shoot. When he is catching and shooting in

the right way all of the time, he's going to make them."

Turnbull's last 3-pointer came with 2:32 to play, putting Fort Madison up 50-40. Miles Dear added an up-and-under layup seconds later, and the Hounds led 52-43.

Fort Madison then closed the game by making nine of their last 12 free throws.

Dear added 16 for the Bloodhounds.

"That's the thing about this group — eight deep and they're all seniors," Wilson said. "The great thing is you don't know who is going to step up on a given night. Any of them can do something. That's what makes this group fun. Anyone can show up on a given night."

Fort Madison dominated the first half. The Bloodhounds held the Trojans to just one first-quarter field goal and had a 28-12 halftime lead.

But Fort Madison scored just four third-quarter points as Fairfield rallied.

"Our offense was bad the first three minutes," Wilson said. "We were up 16 at half, and if we could have gotten up by 20 we could have pushed them away. But they got back into it."

Now, though, Fort Madison knows how to close. "It's just the difference in maturity," Wilson said

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From the Front

Officials go deep on meaning, potential of depot project

DEPOT - Continued from Page 1

first put forth by John Wright and went to work putting together support at local, state, and federal levels to start working toward bringing a historical depot back to the Fort Madison riverfront.

It was a project that, to this day, sits as the legacy of Ireland's mayoral service prior to his death in 2012.

Kempker said as much as his father wanted this project for the community, there were some personal motivations, as well. A granite sign was placed on the west side of the depot in 2012 naming the depot after Steve.

"As much as he wanted to do this for the community he was always taking us on trips as kids to Chicago and St. Louis. It was important for him to see what's outside of Fort Madison, but it was also about bringing people into Fort Madison," Kempker said.

Ireland's other children, Tony, Drake, Steve, Jr., and Charles were also on hand for the ceremony.

"After his dad, our grandpa Harvey, passed away. (Harvey) worked for the railroad and part of those benefits was that grandma could travel anywhere in the country in Amtrak. So they used to go out to California and back and all around on Amtrak when he was a little kid," Charles said.

Those trips included Steve's siblings Craig Ireland, David Slee, and Alan Slee, his brothers, and Amy Coffey his sister.

"As many obstacles as there has been, there's a little closure here for us. So it's just a beautiful thing," Kempker said.

"It's kind of insane to see through the years with all the obstacles that generations of mayors have piggy backed this and it's finally become a reality," Tony said.

"This was personal for dad. Our grandpa Harvey worked in this building. When he decided to take this up it wasn't only for the citizens of Fort Madison. His dad worked there and it's going to help the community, so let's do it," Steve Ireland, Jr. said.

City officials, including Councilmen Tom Schulz, Rusty Andrews, and Chad Cangas, and councilwoman Donna Amandus joined Mohrfeld and Public Works Director Mark Bousset on the morning boarding of the train to Galesburg where city officials there joined the delegation for lunch.

On the way to Galesburg, Mohrfeld talked about his ideas to build on the momentum.

"My concept is to build a relationship with Galesburg by sending them people to visit and when they start seeing that, then they're gonna say, 'What's this about' and then they will come to us and maybe we get overnights," he said.

"But this is all consumption driven. Eat, drink, shop, and come home.

"Unless you do this, it's hard to visualize riding this train. Eating lunch - going to three or four shops and coming back. Right across the street there's a really odd health food coop/grocery store and unless you walk through it, it's not for everybody, but it's for somebody, and we don't have one."

The recently-signed Investment in Infrastructure and Jobs Act pumps \$66 billion over the next five years into passenger rail service and Derrick James, a government affairs officer with Amtrak, told Mohrfeld that the Federal Rail Administration will be developing a 5-year plan around that stimulus, and lobbying for additional stops or routes for smaller communities is not a bad idea.

"There is \$66 billion over the next 5 years in investment in rails. New cars and locomotives will come out of that money. We want to do a lot of expansion that's been proposed and that includes routes," James said.

"The money is more geared toward the train's sweet spot which is trips of two to five hours. These trains run to connect our rural communities. Where our business is growing, and where trains can have the most impact is connecting cities of about two to five hours apart. So two major cities like Chicago and St. Louis or Chicago and the Twin Cities, that's where we're going to be focusing all that expansion effort."

Mohrfeld said it's the potential of those different routes and stops that could be most beneficial to Fort Madison.

"Different routes really play into what he's saying. Right



Photo by Chuck Vandenberg/PCC

The family of the late Mayor Steve Ireland, along with current Mayor Matt Mohrfeld, far right, and Mariannette Miller-Meeks on the left, cut the ribbon at the new Amtrak depot in Fort Madison.

now you get into Kansas City at something crazy like 10:30 p.m.. You pretty much get to hotel check-in and you're done for that night."

Mohrfeld said he couldn't really speak to the vision of the previous mayors, but said the timing of the depot opening is pretty good.

"Even though this has taken forever to bring on-line. It makes more sense now than it did even six years ago. Now, you're looking at a few new businesses downtown, a new street, riverfront revitalization, a depot. It has a different feel than it would even half a dozen years ago," he said.

Andrews said time will tell on what impact that relocated depot will have on Fort Madison.

"It's guaranteed it's in a whole lot better place than it was. The location is beautiful. It turned out amazing. It's downtown and I think one of the things it hurts a little bit is the time the train arrives and leaves from Illinois. It's not very promoting for tourism showing up at 7:30 p.m.," he said.

"But the road project, the depot project, the parking lot at 7th Street, all those things make the downtown come together. We need to keep doing what we're doing with Avenue H and, sooner or later, make something happen with downtown and Avenue G with improvements."

Schulz said the investment was worth the effort.

"The city's investment in this, I think, has been minimal and so well-spent. We've protected a great asset," he said.

"But I've become reinvigorated with this whole idea today. Do I think this depot is going to be great boon to downtown - maybe not short-term, but maybe long-term because I think we're going to be moving with more mass transit."

Randolph rode the train along with former councilmen Neal Boeding, Brian Wright, and Chris Greenwald, from Galesburg to Fort Madison for the event

Randolph ushered the project after Ireland's death saying it was both personal to him and a project that tells the region that Fort Madison is still open for business, and allowing the depot project to fail sends a completely different message.

"It's probably a little bit overwhelming," Randolph said looking out into the darkness sitting in the lounge car as the Chief sped toward Fort Madison.

"In the moment when you're working on the project, when you're doing the daily and weekly tasks, it seemed all-consuming. This project looked into the abyss multiple times. You get changes in attitudes and opinion and leadership. It was a struggle to pull that through to the finish."

Randolph said there were times when people on different sides of the project fell off the radar, and the project would hit a wall.

Then he said Ray Lang, an Amtrak official in charge of state supported services, drove to Fort Madison from Chicago and walked into City Hall and apologized for how the project had fallen apart.

"He said 'I'm going to make sure, with your help, we get this project done.' And from that moment on, I was reinflated. It was a new approach from Amtrak. But Ray

was the first Amtrak guy to say it was important to him and he took it over on that side."

Randolph said changes including platform length, which went from 750 feet budgeted construction to a 1,200 foot platform that was eventually negotiated back down to 1,000 feet, as well as personnel changes, and internal pressures all worked to, well, derail the project

"There were so many negotiated things throughout the process during a changing regulatory climate. The goal posts kept moving and every time the goal posts moved, the price got higher," he said.

"Delays, extended construction - when you look at the original scope of the project and what it was and you look at it now, it morphed into something so much bigger and more complicated.

"It wasn't because of us, but the things that changed around us. But I couldn't be happier for the Ireland family. You become very close to them through Steve, through his passing. And they always looked back and would check in with me. Sometimes I didn't have great news for them or any news for them. But it means so much to that family and I couldn't be happier for the community."

At one point Randolph said he was ready to acquiesce and kill the project at the direction of the council. Former Councilman Chris Greenwald, who had a close relationship with Ireland while on the council as well, put wind back in Randolph's sails.

At one point Greenwald told the council if they were going to kill the depot project, the city should also shutter the Old Fort. The argument at the time was the city was putting a lot of money into a project that didn't have a solid return on investment.

Greenwald said the city had been propping up the Old Fort, which also has a historical poor return on investment. However with the American Cruise Lines now making stops spring through fall at the city pier, that operation has become more viable. But Greenwald said he was a no vote on the depot relocation for the first three years.

"For two to three years, I kept voting no, and Brad and I were out on patrol one night and talked and I said I gotta get convicted about this," Greenwald said.

He said with the way that council was shaping up, he could have been the deciding vote to kill the project years back. But conversations with Randolph, and councilmen Neal Boeding and Bob Chestnut changed his mind.

"We're all just dominoes in this project and we had to fall when we had to fall to make all the other dominoes fall," Greenwald said.

"This is an entire community victory. This isn't my victory, even though at one point it was just me and (Randolph) carrying the ball, that was just our time and our job. That's why I'm excited about this. This is everybody's victory."

Greenwald also pointed to North Lee County Historical Society's Andy Andrews for ushering the preservation of the museum, which houses the depot on the east side of the building.

"If he hadn't fought to preserve that depot, we wouldn't be on this train." Greenwald said.

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enjoy reading these Letters to Santa submitted by area children
& play some fun Christmas activities inside, too!*



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Letters to Santa 2021

Richardson Elementary School Shana Jannusch, 2nd Grade

Dear Santa Hello
 my name is Aros
 and I'm 5 year old
 Here's one thing I
 did that was extra
 nice I helped papa win
 so he had what I
 win so nice
 this year I would like
 to have some things

Dear Santa
 Hello my name is Bella
 and I'm 7 years old
 Here's one thing I did
 that was extra nice is
 help Susan with
 a pizza for Christmas this
 year I would like
 a iPad please

Dear Santa Hello
 my name is Brodie
 and I'm 7 years old
 Here's one thing I
 did that I did
 was extra nice
 I help a friend
 when he
 was crying

DEAR SANTA
 Hello my name is
 Cooper and I'm
 7 years old
 Here's one thing I
 did that was extra
 nice I helped my
 dad for Christmas
 this year I would like

DEAR SANTA
 Hello my name
 is Den and I'm
 7 years old
 Here's one thing I
 did that was
 extra nice
 for Christmas
 I would like a

DEAR SANTA Hello
 my name is Danie and I'm
 7 years old For Christmas
 this year I would like
 and y car

DEAR SANTA Hello
 my name is Evan and I'm 7 years
 I did that nice I help
 my mom at church
 and I want for
 Christmas a tooth
 brush

DEAR SANTA Hello
 my name is Jack For Christmas
 I would like
 a PlayStation 4
 this year I did what was extra
 nice I helped my
 family

DEAR SANTA Hello
 my name is Jessica
 and I'm 9 years old
 For Christmas this
 year I would like
 a fake a friend
 Christmas

Letters to Santa 2021

Richardson Elementary School Shana Jannusch, 2nd Grade

Dear Santa
Hello my name is
and I'm 7 years old
here's one thing
that was extra nice
I help mom and
when she needs
help I want
a doll of you and
Mrs. claus

Dear Santa
Hello my name is
and I'm 7 years old
here's one thing
that was extra nice
I help mom and
when she needs
help I want
a doll of you and
Mrs. claus


DEAR SANTA
Hello my name is
Marshall and I'm
8 years old for
christmas I would
like a dog and a
cat.

Dear Santa Hello
My name is
and I'm 7 years old
one thing I did this was
extra nice I
my water gun I
want for christmas
this year I would like
to have a dog and a cat

DEAR SANTA
HELLO
I'M 7 YEARS OLD
HERE'S ONE THING I DID
THIS WAS EXTRA NICE
I HELP MOM AND
WHEN SHE NEEDS
HELP I WANT
A DOLL OF YOU AND
MRS. CLAUS

Dear Santa Hello my name is
I'm 7 years old here's one thing I did
What was extra nice I saved
money and help for christmas I want
two rabbits

Dear Santa hello my
name is
and I'm 8 years
old for Christmas I
want books
dog man books
rainbow high
dolls coloring books
and markers. I
Thank you merry
Xmas



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Letters to Santa 2021

Holy Trinity Preschool Nicki Larkin, 4 year-old class


Dear Santa,

My name is Leelah
and I am 4 years old.

This year I have been:
 Nice Naughty A little bit of both

For Christmas This year I would like: 
A Doc McStuffin with a computer, Also a slinky and a puppet.


Thank you, Santa!
Love, Leelah




Dear Santa,

My name is Emmett
and I am 4 years old.

This year I have been:
 Nice Naughty A little bit of both

For Christmas This year I would like: 
I want a trampoline.


Thank you, Santa!
Love, Emmett




Dear Santa,

My name is Jackson
and I am 4 years old.

This year I have been:
 Nice Naughty A little bit of both

For Christmas This year I would like: 
A paw patrol Rocky that crushes things


Thank you, Santa!
Love, Jackson



Dear Santa,

My name is Nyle
and I am 4 almost 5 years old.

This year I have been:
 Nice Naughty A little bit of both

For Christmas This year I would like: 
I would like a hot-wheel set.

Thank you, Santa!
Love, Nyle




Dear Santa,

My name is Rory
and I am 5 years old.

This year I have been:
 Nice Naughty A little bit of both

For Christmas This year I would like: 
I want an Elsa fishing pole.

Thank you, Santa!
Love, Rory



Dear Santa,

My name is Ashtyn
and I am 4 years old.

This year I have been:
 Nice Naughty A little bit of both

For Christmas This year I would like: 
I want an Olaf

Thank you, Santa!
Love, Ashtyn



Dear Santa,

My name is Knox
and I am 4 years old.

This year I have been:
 Nice Naughty A little bit of both

For Christmas This year I would like: 
I would like Mario kart like daddy has.

Thank you, Santa!
Love, Knox



Dear Santa,

My name is Braden
and I am 4 years old.

This year I have been:
 Nice Naughty A little bit of both

For Christmas This year I would like: 
I want a drone.

Thank you, Santa!
Love, Braden



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Holy Trinity Preschool Nicki Larkin, 4 year-old class

Dear Santa,

My name is Corbin
and I am 4 years old.

This year I have been:
 Nice Naughty A little bit of both

For Christmas This year I would like: 
I want a paw patrol.

Thank you, Santa!
 Love, Corbin



Dear Santa,

My name is Gwen
and I am 4 years old.

This year I have been:
 Nice Naughty A little bit of both

For Christmas This year I would like: 
I want an Olaf.


Thank you, Santa!
 Love, Gwen




Dear Santa,

My name is Adelyn
and I am 4 years old.

This year I have been:
 Nice Naughty A little bit of both

For Christmas This year I would like: 
I would like a toy pogo stick.

Thank you, Santa!
 Love, Adelyn




Dear Santa,

My name is Daelyn
and I am 4 years old.

This year I have been:
 Nice Naughty A little bit of both

For Christmas This year I would like: 
I want a phone.

Thank you, Santa!
 Love, Daelyn

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Letters to Santa 2021

Holy Trinity Preschool Julie Meir, Ft. Madison Pre-k

Dear Santa,

My name is Zane Scott
and I am 5 years old.

This year I have been:
 Nice Naughty A little bit of both

For CHRISTMAS This year I would like: 
Ironman toys, Spiderman toys,
Captain America toys, Hulk toys

Thank you, Santa!
 Love, Zane



Dear Santa,

My name is Jace Richardson
and I am 5 years old.

This year I have been:
 Nice Naughty A little bit of both

For CHRISTMAS This year I would like: 
a train and tracks

Thank you, Santa!
 Love, Jace



Dear Santa,

My name is Karlie Everett
and I am 5 years old.

This year I have been:
 Nice Naughty A little bit of both

For CHRISTMAS This year I would like: 
Dirt bike, a blue notebook, a pencil
and pencil eraser, a desk, a remote
control car, and makeup

Thank you, Santa!
 Love, Karlie




Dear Santa,

My name is Hazel Sanford
and I am 5 years old.

This year I have been:
 Nice Naughty A little bit of both

For CHRISTMAS This year I would like: 
Barbie, a dog, a toy food set,
Barbie truck, Barbie Dreamhouse

Thank you, Santa!
 Love, Hazel



Dear Santa,

My name is Kayson Kern
and I am 4 years old.

This year I have been:
 Nice Naughty A little bit of both

For CHRISTMAS This year I would like: 
Transformer car, Car carrier for race
cars, a new phone, stuffed toys

Thank you, Santa!
 Love, Kayson



Dear Santa,

My name is Callen Pieper
and I am 5 years old.

This year I have been:
 Nice Naughty A little bit of both

For CHRISTMAS This year I would like: 
new bike, gas powered 4 wheeler

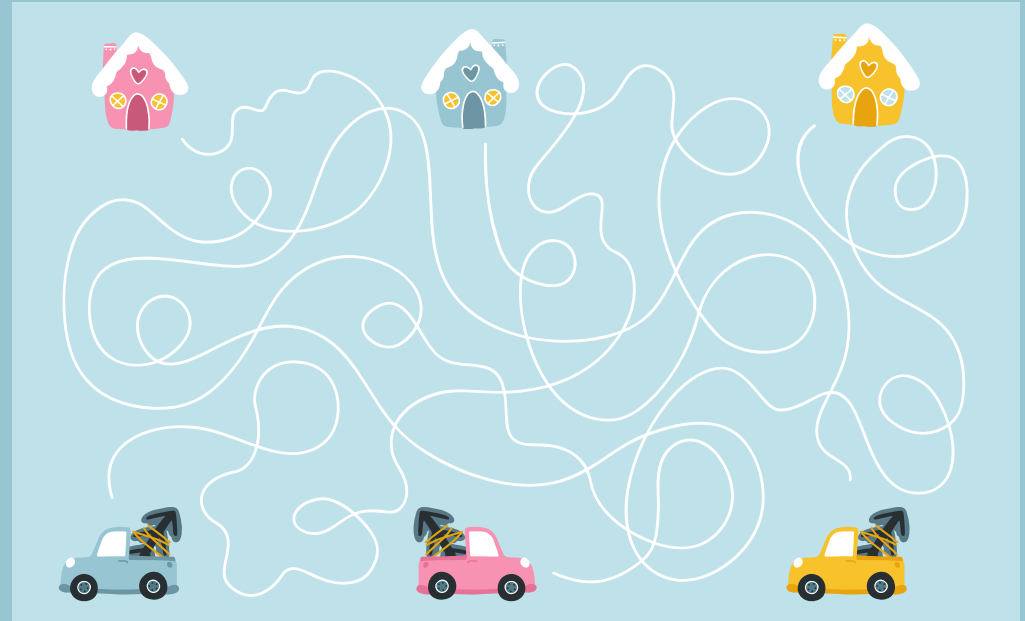
Thank you, Santa!
 Love, Callen



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FIND ALL THE
GIFT BOXES

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Letters to Santa 2021

Holy Trinity Preschool Julie Meir, Ft. Madison Pre-k

Dear Santa,

My name is Connor Fraise
and I am 5 years old.

This year I have been:
 Nice Naughty A little bit of both

For Christmas This year I would like: 
slinky, Paw Patrol blanket, Dinosaur
Troll

Thank you, Santa!
 Love, Connor



Dear Santa,

My name is Bryce Blindt
and I am 5 years old.

This year I have been:
 Nice Naughty A little bit of both

For Christmas This year I would like: 
a dog, a pig, a horse, a donkey
a bunny

Thank you, Santa!
 Love, Bryce



Dear Santa,

My name is Beece Holtkamp
and I am 5 years old.


This year I have been:
 Nice Naughty A little bit of both

For Christmas This year I would like: 
Dirt bike, motorcycle, soccer ball, teddy
bear, bike, baseball bat

Thank you, Santa!
 Love, Beece





Color me!



Merry Christmas

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a very Merry Christmas
& a prosperous New Year!



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Holy Trinity Preschool Chantel Hawkins, West Point Pre-k

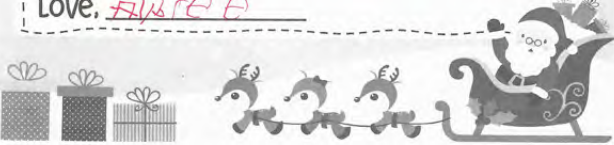
Dear Santa,

My name is Aubree N.
and I am 5 years old.

This year I have been:
 Nice Naughty A little bit of both

For Christmas This year I would like: 
a Barbie doll. I would also like an American Girl doll. my sister has always wanted two American Girl dolls. I will share it. I will leave cookies out on the living room couch.


Thank you, Santa!
Love, Aubree



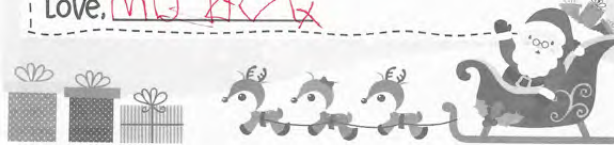
Dear Santa,

My name is Maddux K.
and I am 4 years old.

This year I have been:
 Nice Naughty A little bit of both

For Christmas This year I would like: 
the hottest Cory Carson. I also would like all the Dino Pups. I would also like the toys I didnt get yet. I was a little bit nice. I am not on the naughty list.

Thank you, Santa!
Love, Maddux



Dear Santa,

My name is Jensen K.
and I am 4 years old.

This year I have been:
 Nice Naughty A little bit of both

For Christmas This year I would like: 
toys. I would like a balloon, some Santa toys and pig toys. I would also like for Jesus to come back to life.


Thank you, Santa!
Love, Jensen




Dear Santa,

My name is Wyatt S.
and I am 4 years old.

This year I have been:
 Nice Naughty A little bit of both

For Christmas This year I would like: 
a truck and trailer and tractors. I also want a mower, I need papers and letters and cars. What are your reindeers names?


Thank you, Santa!
Love, Wyatt



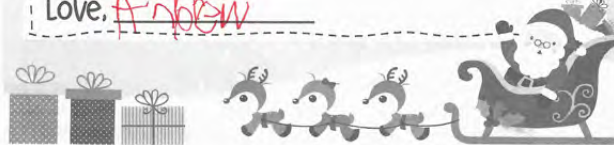
Dear Santa,

My name is Andrew P.
and I am 4 years old.

This year I have been:
 Nice Naughty A little bit of both

For Christmas This year I would like: 
a motor tractor and a construction set. There is one more thing, I want a toy race car set and a fireman set too.


Thank you, Santa!
Love, Andrew



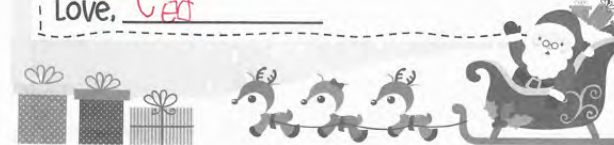
Dear Santa,

My name is Jed R.
and I am 5 years old.

This year I have been:
 Nice Naughty A little bit of both

For Christmas This year I would like: 
a red Lego truck, and the new Paw Patrol movie Headquarters. we always leave you cookies by the TV. This year we will leave you milk!

Thank you, Santa!
Love, Jed





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Holy Trinity Preschool Chantel Hawkins, West Point Pre-k

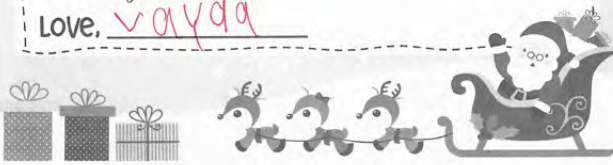
Dear Santa,

My name is Vayda B.
and I am 5 years old.

This year I have been:
 Nice Naughty A little bit of both

For Christmas This year I would like: 
three LOL dolls. I will
leave cookies for you in the
living room.


Thank you, Santa!
Love, vayda



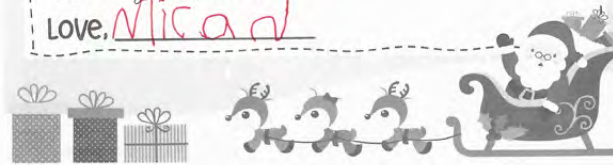
Dear Santa,

My name is Micah A.
and I am 5 years old.

This year I have been:
 Nice Naughty A little bit of both

For Christmas This year I would like: 
a bulldozer. I can't put my tracks
from my other bulldozer on it cause
it's for outside. I just want to
say thank you!


Thank you, Santa!
Love, Micah



Dear Santa,

My name is Aaron G.
and I am 5 years old.

This year I have been:
 Nice Naughty A little bit of both

For Christmas This year I would like: 
dirt bike,
hover board, lighter to light the candles for
my birthday, kinetic sand, blocks, octopus
prime that can transform, and a stuffed Santa.
I would also like to have one of your
reindeer.


Thank you, Santa!
Love, #99ron



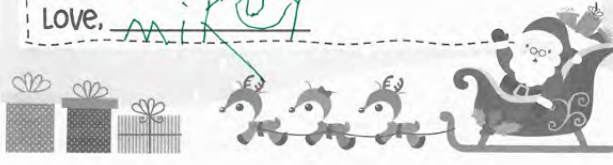
Dear Santa,

My name is Mikey K.
and I am 5 years old.

This year I have been:
 Nice Naughty A little bit of both

For Christmas This year I would like: 
Bull Riding Set
Football Set
target to throw my football in
new game.
I'm going to leave you 1 star + 1 candy
can't wait!


Thank you, Santa!
Love, mikey



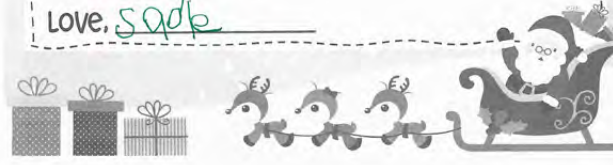
Dear Santa,

My name is Sadie P.
and I am 5 years old.

This year I have been:
 Nice Naughty A little bit of both

For Christmas This year I would like: 
Starlights for my American Girl
doll tent
Clothes + jammies for my doll
baby dolls
Merry Christmas Santa!

Thank you, Santa!
Love, sadie



Dear Santa,

My name is Carlee S.
and I am 4 years old.

This year I have been:
 Nice Naughty A little bit of both

For Christmas This year I would like: 
a unicorn

Thank you, Santa!
Love, Carlee



Dear Santa,

My name is Remington F.
and I am 5 years old.

This year I have been:
 Nice Naughty A little bit of both

For Christmas This year I would like: 
more tractors
more trucks
a piano
that is all for now

Thank you, Santa!
Love, Remi



Dear Santa,

My name is Lydia S.
and I am 5 years old.

This year I have been:
 Nice Naughty A little bit of both

For Christmas This year I would like: 
a doll
some trains
dominoes


Thank you, Santa!
Love, Lydia



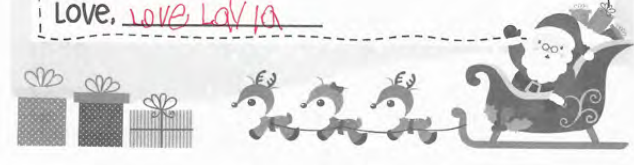
Dear Santa,

My name is Layla F.
and I am 5 years old.

This year I have been:
 Nice Naughty A little bit of both

For Christmas This year I would like: 
a cheetah^{puzzle} and I'd really like
a stuffed animal, a Care Bear
one. Happy Christmas Santa!
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Thank you, Santa!
Love, love Layla



Letters to Santa 2021

Holy Trinity Day Care

Dear Santa,

My name is JD
and I am 3 years old.

This year I have been:
 Nice Naughty A little bit of both

For Christmas This year I would like: 
Spiders

Thank you, Santa!
Love, 



Dear Santa,

My name is Evan
and I am 2 years old.

This year I have been:
 Nice Naughty A little bit of both

For Christmas This year I would like: 
a Fire Truck

Thank you, Santa!
Love, 



Dear Santa,

My name is Cole
and I am 2 years old.

This year I have been:
 Nice Naughty A little bit of both

For Christmas This year I would like: 
Dinosaurs, cars, a train, and Mickey Mouse.


Thank you, Santa!
Love, 



Dear Santa,

My name is Hayden
and I am 2 years old.

This year I have been:
 Nice Naughty A little bit of both

For Christmas This year I would like: 
an airplane


Thank you, Santa!
Love, Hayden




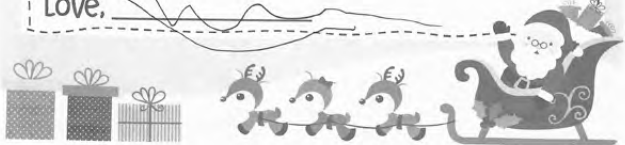
Dear Santa,

My name is Will
and I am 2 years old.

This year I have been:
 Nice Naughty A little bit of both

For Christmas This year I would like: 
a train

Thank you, Santa!
Love, 



Dear Santa,

My name is Kinze
and I am 3 years old.

This year I have been:
 Nice Naughty A little bit of both

For Christmas This year I would like: 
a Fire fighter Barbie, a Red Car I can drive and a Choo Choo Train.

Thank you, Santa!
Love, 



Dear Santa,

My name is Brynlee
and I am 2 years old.

This year I have been:
 Nice Naughty A little bit of both

For Christmas This year I would like: 
Cocomelon

Thank you, Santa!
Love, 



Dear Santa,

My name is Bensen
and I am 3 years old.

This year I have been:
 Nice Naughty A little bit of both

For Christmas This year I would like: 
a reindeer and candy

Thank you, Santa!
Love, 



Dear Santa,

My name is Jack
and I am 2 years old.

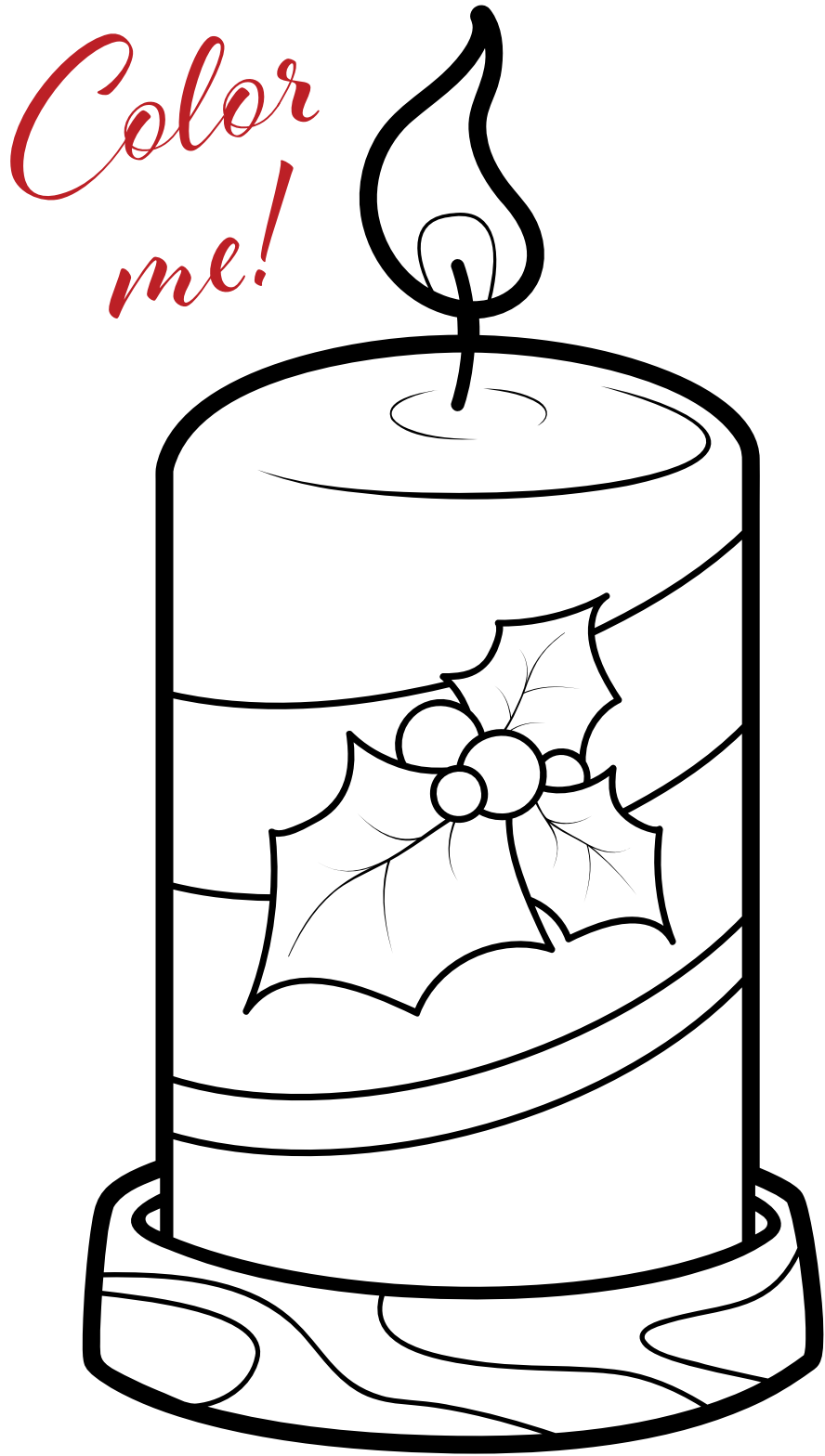
This year I have been:
 Nice Naughty A little bit of both

For Christmas This year I would like: 
a Halloween Party, an airplane, and a choo choo train

Thank you, Santa!
Love, 



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Letters to Santa 2021

YMCA A.M. Preschool

Dear Santa,

I like to get presents. I lost a lot of my PJ Mask toys so I want more. I like to wrap presents. We bought a gingerbread house and built it.

Benson Gnann

Dear Santa,

I like your hat. I do want something for Christmas, an electric monster truck. I have a Christmas tree with ornaments.

Greyson Bell

Dear Santa,

I am going to give you a present. I would like a dinosaur pop-it. Put the present under the tree. Thank you!

Nora Beck

Dear Santa,

I want a go kart and a small race tracks because my house is small. I will leave a Christmas tree out for you. I have a door that you can go through. You can go in the back door.

Thank you for the presents! (And Santa says "you're welcome").

Avery Wilson

Dear Santa,

I want a remote control car. I want a real rifle. I live in a light blue house. It's a big one. Mom's van is gray and dad's truck is black. My brother doesn't have a Penguin Link a Mole. He has Link a Mole's in his room so.....he might want one. I will leave cookies and milk.

Ayden Yaley

Dear Santa,

For Christmas I want a bedroom with dinosaurs in it and presents. I love you! I will leave out toys for you and cookies and play toys and we are going to leave out a trampoline and a cookie.

Jack Toland

Dear Santa,

I'm being bad. I'm sorry. For Christmas I want a monster truck and a 4 wheeler. I want my own 4 wheeler, a real one. I would like a real Batman costume. My brother already has presents so he can have 3 or 2. I will leave cookies out for you a Christmas tree.

Zeke Boudreau

Dear Santa,

I want a Batman toy robot and a slingshot and that's it. I have a chimney but I don't have a campfire. You are gonna have to go in the door. Thank you!

Ian Jones

Dear Santa,

I want you to go down the chimney, but I don't have one. Bring glow in the dark baby dolls. I will leave some cookies out and milk and a card. Thanks for coming to my house!

Aubrey Martin

Letters to Santa 2021

YMCA A.M. Preschool

Dear Santa,

I have ornaments. I got Thomas the Train ornaments and Chase ornaments and SpiderMan ornaments. And my mom has a dog ornament. I would like a Look and Find book and toy pointy finger. I will make cookies for you so you can eat them. You cannot take one huge bite, you have to eat the whole cookie.

Adryan Schwietzer

Dear Santa,

I want a choo choo ornament. A Thomas choo choo one. I want an airplane, just a kid one. If there a snowstorm, you will get through it somehow. You can come in the chimney and go in the fireplace. Please put presents under the Christmas tree. I will leave milk and cookies.

Declan Ellis

Dear Santa,

Kinda give me presents for my Christmas tree. I want a farmer truck with the door open and shut, open and shut. You have to go in the door because we don't have a chimney. Please and thank you.

Ronan Carson

Dear Santa,

I live in Minnesota. You need to drive in your sleigh. You come in the door because I have a tall square thing but it's blocked. I want a Hot Wheels Loop and my dad wants one too. Me and mom and my sister and my dad will find some chocolate cookies and some chocolate milk for you. Thanks for coming to my house.

Titus Barnes



Dear Santa,

I love you. I have a mom. Use your sleigh. Open the door. Have some food. Cookies.

Ezra Krogmeier

Dear Santa,

Thank you. Happy Christmas! Open the door quietly. I would like a Christmas toy.

June Campbell

Dear Santa,

I want princess stuff for Christmas. I will leave food for you.

Maisie Greenwald

Dear Santa,

I love you! Do you like my Santa costume? Do you like my school? Do you like me? Do you like my yo-yo? Do you know how to get through my chimney? Can you bring me Hissy and his tiny little brothers toys and roly toys with their three little milks and their food and their dog bowls? Can you get in my front door? I'm leaving you marshmallow cookies and some milk.

Eleanor Dilks

Letters to Santa 2021

YMCA P.M. Preschool

Dear Santa,

I've been naughty. I want you to say "Get all the presents for me!" I want you to leave me Cheetos, a hot dog, cheeseburger, nuggets, fries, and barbeque sauce. Thank you and don't forget my name!

Rownen Decker

Dear Santa,

I want Spongebob. I want a horse. I will leave you a Spongebob snack.

Wilson Helmick

Dear Santa,

Can I have Paw Patrol please? Can I have LOL too? Knock on the door, Crystal will answer it. I will leave a Paw Patrol snack.

Scarlet Washburn

Dear Santa,

I love you, Santa. I want makeup and I will keep it in my mom's room. I want a phone and I will keep it in mom's room too. I want a princess phone case and a princess camera. You need to come to my house on your sleigh with your reindeer and daddy will unlock the front door. I am going to be peeking out. I will have cookies and milk. I like you Santa.

Journee Fuller

Dear Santa,

I love you. Please may I have a makeup table? I want a toy backpack, because I took Brooklyn's by mistake. Come through my door because I don't have a chimney. I have chocolate chip cookies and vanilla cookies for him.

Autumn Collier

Dear Santa,

Chase. Elsa. A new Elsa costume. I went to see you far away. You gave me a toy horse.

Alivia Sanders

Dear Santa,

I will give you some cookies and fruit snacks. Use your sleigh to get to my house. Bring me a PJ Mask car with three PJ Masks. Say Hi to my dogs when you come! Thank you!

Carter Ahlen

Dear Santa,

Please may I have a JoJo doll? Please may I have a Barbie camper? You know how to get my house. I will leave chocolate milk and white milk and strawberry milk.

Braelynn Harkey

Dear Santa,

My house is straight on the road. You have your sleigh and your reindeer to get there. I would like some Barbies and some real makeup and some little scissors. I will leave you some cookies and some milk because you like cookies and milk.

Raelynn Gnann

Letters to Santa 2021

YMCA P.M. Preschool

Dear Santa,

Your gonna use the door to get in my house. I will leave cookies and milk. I want a drone. Please and thank you.

Brayden Browning

Dear Santa,

If you take my Christmas tree you can't have cookies. You have to go that way, and that way, and that way to get to my roof. Will you please fix my roof? I want a toy gun and a bracelet please.

Greyson McCarty

Dear Santa,

You're too big to come to my house, but you can open the door and get in. Please put your hand under the tree and put the presents down. I want a Poppy and a Branch. I want a lot of papers to paint on and a brush. I want a Grinch, Spirit, and a Lucky toy. Don't come yet because our tree is not up. I will leave cookies and milk. I always leave those out. I was good a lot.

Eveona Mack

Dear Santa,

I want Ryan toys and the hair Play-Dough. I just be good all the time. I will leave you a Ryan toy.

Thank you!

Olivia Johnson

Dear Santa,

I want purple presents. I already have a baby so I want baby clothes. I will leave milk and cookies.

Nova Townes

Dear Santa,

Please bring a present. Barbies. I just like LOL's, too. I want a camera. I will leave milk and cookie.

Rowan Charbonneau

Dear Santa,

I want a rainbow. I want ABC's. Go to grandma's house and go to the back door. Get cookies with frosting.

Atlas Sanders



And I heard him exclaim
as he drove out of sight
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Letters to Santa 2021

Central Lee Elementary School

Mrs. Campbell, 3rd Grade

Dear Santa.

I want to meet you.
I want a snow day so I can skip school in January.
I would like Mini brands toys and pop it's to play with.

Thank you so much Santa!

Love, Bianca



Dear Santa,

I would like some Barbies ,Poppy play time on the Nintendo switch, a pair of new skates, and cat toys any type, some socks ,school stuff , a cat back pack and a cat shirt.

Thank you

Love

Madelyn



Dear Santa,
All I want for Christmas is...

- 1 Barbies
- 2 the book called Letters From Rifka
- 3 American girl dolls stuff
- 4 Art stuff
- 5 Apple phone but I don't care what one you get me
- 6 a indoor mini basketball hoop.
- 7 mini brands toys
- 8 popits
- 9 Appel pencil.
- 10 stuffed animals

And that is all thank you Santa.

Love,
Aubrey



Dear Santa,

I would like these items please

- 1: stylist
- 2: Jack the pumpkin king shoes
- 3: Jack the pumpkin king phone case
- 4: Jack the pumpkin king popsocket
- 5: A stress ball
- 6: Lost kitties
- 7: Fidgets
- 8: Robucks

Sincerely,
Harper



Dear Santa,

What I want for Christmas is a gaming PC and an apple pen. then I want some clothes and pants maybe some clothes for my baby brother Beau some. Then I would like to have AirPods.

And some shoes and socks.

Sincerely,

Kamden



Dear Santa,
All I want for Christmas is...

1. I really want you to get me a new CANDY MACHINE!!!!
2. I want you to get me a fidget pack!
3. I want you to get me some more slime!
4. I'd want a phone, Android please, thanks
5. I want hair dye please
6. I want you to get me a picture of you
7. Can you tell me if I am not on the bad list
8. Can you get me a picture of the elfs please and Mrs. Claus please, please?

Thanks Santa.
Sincerely,
Zoey



Dear, Santa

What I want for christmas is a paintball gun and if you can't get that. I would like Fortnite so I can play with Brody and Cooper and maybe a tv and Xbox for my new room. Or if you can't get that then I would want a Nintendo but my favorite one is the paintball gun and Fort-nite. I also like the tv and Xbox.

Sincerely,
Cashten



Dear Santa,

I want an Xbox and a 20 gauge shotgun and a iP-hone 14.

I want a snow day so I can skip school tomorrow.

I Love you Santa

Love,

Brody



Dear Santa,

I want 1a efind Stylus for my ipad and an elf ball and a computer. I also want candy and candy machine, big puppets and little pop it.

Love,,

Kaylee

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Letters to Santa 2021

Central Lee Elementary School

Mrs. Campbell, 3rd Grade

Dear Santa,
The things I want the most is a Nintendo Switch and I also want an Apple Pencil and if that is too expensive anywhere else it is just \$20 on Amazon like my teacher has. And I also want a hoverboard.

Love,
Raylee



I want some toys. I want a T-Rex and all the games to play with. I love you Santa. I have been a good boy and I want a new dog.

Love,
Weston



Dear Santa,
I want two horses for Christmas. I also want baby dolls and candy canes. Are you busy making lots of toys? How are your reindeer doing? I also need a cat.

Love,
Monica



Dear Santa,
I want a keyboard and Pokémon cards. I also want an Elf on the Shelf. I would like a nerf gun. I would like a scope for my nerf gun because it would help me with my big nerf guns. I would like a remote control robot.

Love,
Nathaniel



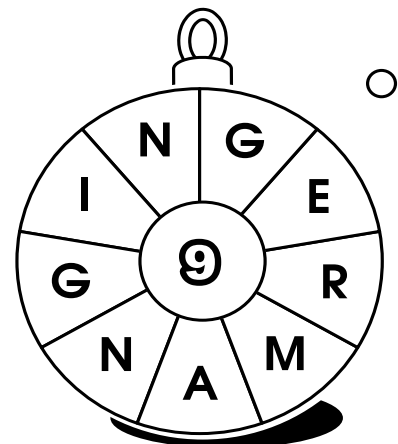
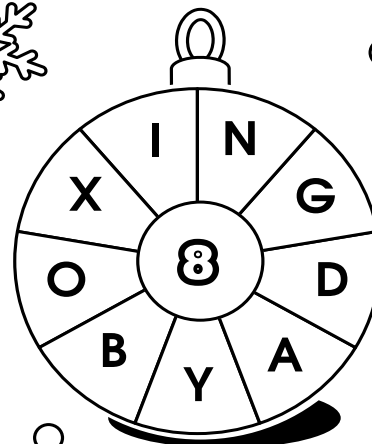
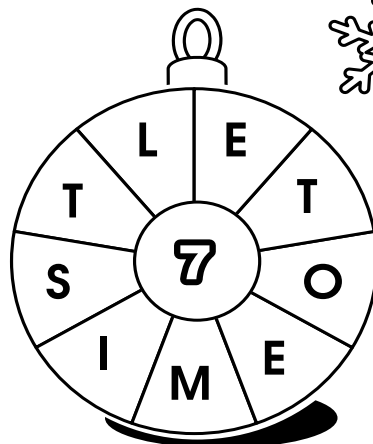
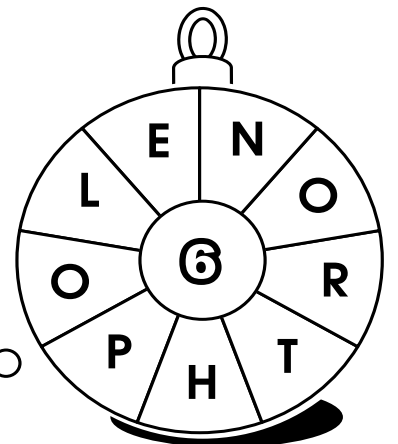
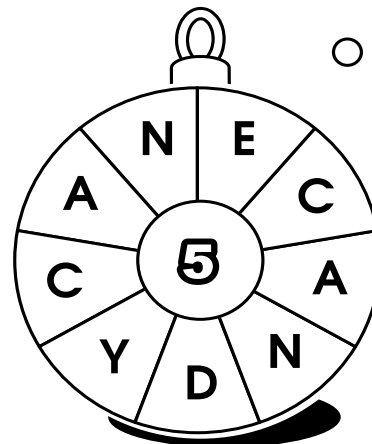
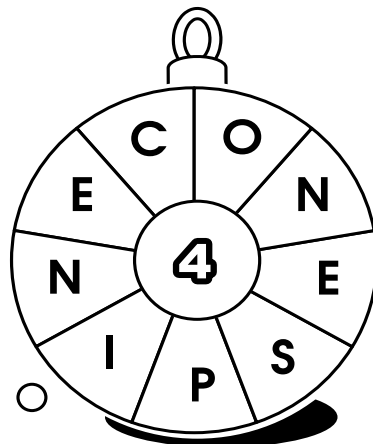
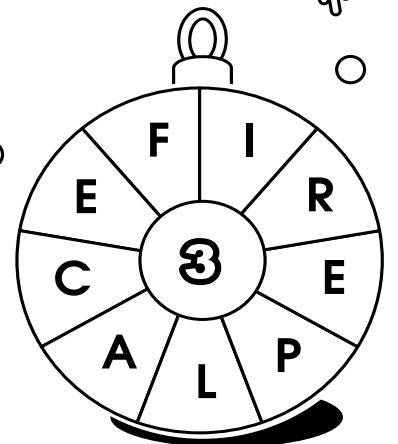
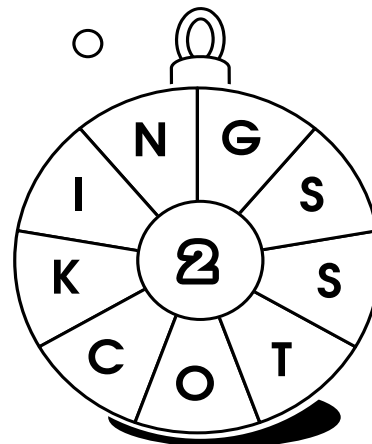
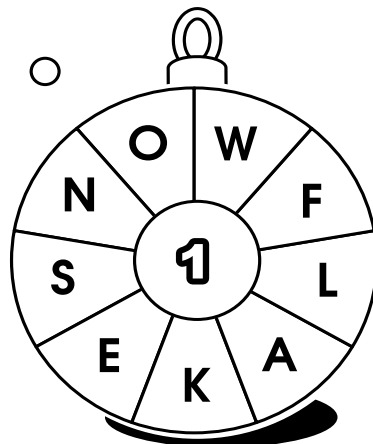
Dear Santa,
I want some black stuff also I guess some clothes. I do not want anything pink. I would like art supplies, a dino mask also the good kind please. I want a puppy, a pony and a limo and a ps5 and some jars as well.

Sincerely,
valarie



Round Words

Can you guess the nine 9-letter words and phrases?



ANSWER:

NORTH POLE, MISTLETOE, BOXING DAY, GINGER MAN, SNOWFLAKE, STOCKINGS, FIREPLACE, PINE CONES, CANDY CANE, SNOFLAKE, STOCKINGS, FIREPLACE, PINE CONES, CANDY CANE, NORTH POLE, MISTLETOE, BOXING DAY, GINGER MAN.

Letters to Santa 2021

Central Lee Elementary School Mrs. Campbell, 3rd Grade

Dear Santa,
I have been a good kid this year and this is what I want for Christmas:

- #1 Nintendo games
- #2 a Nerf gun
- #3 Pokémon cards
- #4 Pokémon
- #5 books
- #6 Cars from the Movie Cars

Your friend,
Wyatt



Dear Santa,
I want a new phone called iPhone13.
And it better be good. GIVE ME a Lamborghini
Not toy but real!
Sincerely,
Greyson



Dear Santa,
All I want for Christmas is a Nintendo switch, a new bike, a new hat, a nerf gun, an electric scooter
and I want to meet you!!!
PS the last thing I want for Christmas is a Babe Ruth bobble head if that is all you can get me please!!!!
PS I hope you have a great Christmas
Sincerely,
Grady



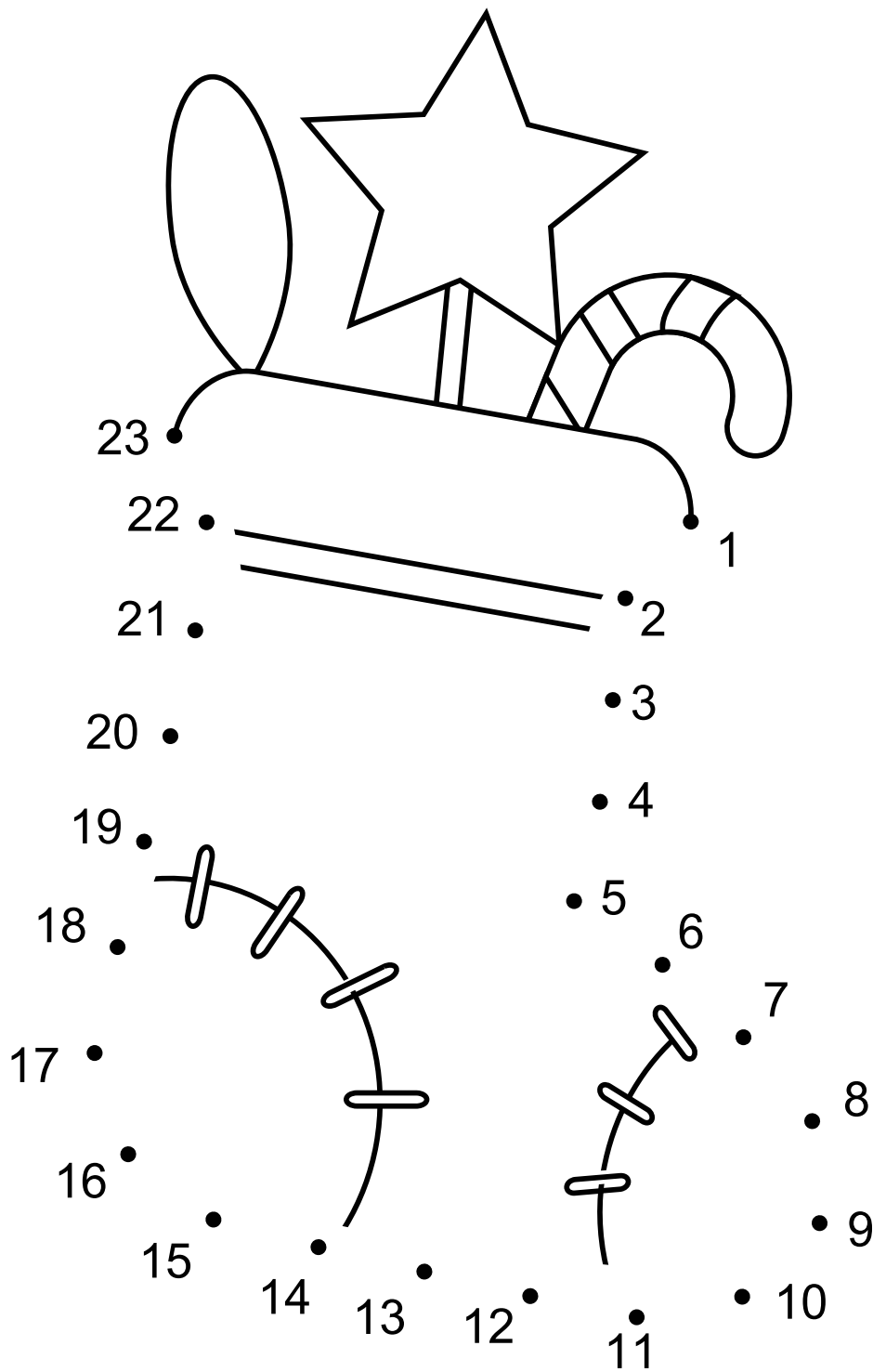
Dear Santa,
For Christmas this year I want Nerf guns
farm toys, LEGOS, a Phone,
Deer stand, Pokémon cards
Love,
Logan



Dear Santa,
I want a toy fox and a tiger toy.
Love
Kinley



Connect the dots



Letters to Santa 2021

Central Lee Elementary School Mrs. Johnson, 3rd Grade

Dear Santa,
I hope you get me a dog bed so my dog can sleep on it . Can I have a hoverboard for Christmas? I would like a book called the Owl Diary set. Can I have some new high heeled boots for Christmas please? Then I would like a new pair of pants for Christmas. Lastly, can I have a new room and a new office with all my books and nobody is allowed to go in there yet. I like everybody in my class. I want to teach Bella everyone's name. Now you will know what I would like for Christmas this year.
Love,
Emma



Dear Santa,
I promise I have been really good this year and I am RE-ALLY REALLY REALLY EXCITED for Christmas. And I hope I get a lot of presents. I can't believe it's already, Dec.1st!!!!!!!!!!!!!! Christmas is my favorite Holiday out of all of them! :) And I am really nice to everyone! I hope I get some art supplies and I want some Pokémon cards and Harry Potter anything! I'm going to put a lot of things on the Christmas tree
Sincerely,
Megan



Dear Santa,
I am a very nice man because I am kind and nice. My name is Brantley. Please give me presents. Please let me have presents. Please eat my cookies. I like you giving me presents. I'm not going to give up on presents. Don't be late for Christmas. I just want presents.
From,
Brantley



Dear Santa,
I have been a good boy. Can I please have a computer, make yourself presents, basketball equipment, and stuffed animals. Byeeee.
Sincerely,
Vincent



Dear Santa,
I would like books that are unstrange. And I really like lego so can you get me a lot of lego monki kid lego sets and an abominable snowman. And a pac man machine. Plus a lot of Bruce books by Ryan T. Higgins. Have a great Christmas Santa .
Love,
Cash



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Central Lee Elementary School

Mrs. Johnson, 3rd Grade

Dear Santa,
I've been so good. I'm going to tell you what I want for Christmas. I want a beanbag chair, some make up, a basketball. But the most of the most I want is a pet elf. I heard some are at the North pole. My elf came a few weeks ago. I've been nice to my friends, cats, my dog, mom and dad, family members and my brother but sometimes I get mad at him.

Your friend,
Alivia

PS have a great Christmas. Oh I forgot I want a soccer ball too.



My name is Kylie and I have been really good this year and this is an example. One time I worked together with my brother picking up leaves. That is why I should get rewarded with fidgets for Christmas this year. And wish me luck because I have to get a flu shot tomorrow. For being brave I can give you cookies and milk and you can give me a basketball. Can you tell me why Snowflake has not come yet?

Your friend,
Kylie



Dear Santa,

I've been a very good girl. I've been good to my friends and family and my teacher. I hope that you'll bring me good things. This is my list for you and I don't want very many things. Here are some things I want. I want a pet elf because I am very respectful. I would like some coloring books because I really like to color. I bet your job is really hard flying that sleigh to every house and all those presents you have to carry around in your bag. Oh and think about how heavy all those presents are. Think how much each of those presents weighs. Now about the elves. So they have a hard job making all the toys for girls and boys. And with those hammers they use they could smash their hands. Also when they have to feed the reindeer I bet that's a lot of food to be carrying around to all the stalls. Also when they have to pack up the sleigh for you Santa.

Merry Christmas Santa

P.s merry Christmas to you and your elf
Love your friend,
MJ



Dear Santa,
I've been really good this year. What I want is a Nintendo Switch and a Playstation 5 and a Fortnite scar and a giant deck of Pokémon. I want a toy car that is a supercar and a computer that's mine.

To Santa Claus.

From Delbert.

I almost forgot to tell you thank you!!!!!!!!!!!!!!



Dear Santa,
I have been a good boy. So you should bring me a ps4 and a keyboard and \$10000 and games for my ps4 and a Nintendo Switch. I want an iPhone 11 and fishing gear and a hat hook and ATVS and no school. I want a deer call, a gaming setup, gaming and school headphones and candy for years. I want a computer and a mouse pad and a camera and a GoPro and a hoverboard. I want a Beat Spencer bracelet and a bench of snow and a snowboard and side by side so I can tie a rope on the back of the side by side I will have fun.

From,
Braxton



Dear Santa,

I have not been so good a lot but lately I have been working hard so I can have a hoverboard or a dirt bike because my siblings four wheeler is broken. And for me I want a football. I want a football because I don't have a lot. I hope it is not a lot.

From,
Connor



Dear Santa,
I haven't been good lately but can I ask for some gifts. I would want a lot of golden plated pokemon cards and a computer and a keyboard and a bunch of toy cars. I also want a iPhone 12. Can I also have a dirt bike?

Sincerely,
Braidon



Dear Santa,
I've been a good girl this year. This isn't very much stuff to ask if you can get me the stuff I want for Christmas. I want a phone and a hamster that is brown and white and a blue couch for my room. I want a lava lamp, a unicorn lava lamp. I love you so so so so much Santa. I wish I could get to see you but I can't. Christmas is almost here. I hope you get me good stuff and Mary Christmas. I want an iPad for Christmas and my sister wants a phone to. And we want you to get me and my sister a poppit, a little and big poppit. And I always wanted some more fidgets.

Love,
Alayna



Dear Santa,

I have been good to my friends at school. I hope you're doing good. I hope I get some nice presents for Christmas and some new shirts for Christmas Eve. I will get some cookies for you when it's Christmas and milk. If you are very nice, I hope you can get me some new bowling balls. I want some new cat toys for my cats. I know your doing hard on working on those present that you are making for those other kids and also I want a new computer because I really want a new computer and I hope you get me a new bowling shirt if you do thanks

Love,
Nolan

I like you Santa you are a very nice person.



Letters to Santa 2021

Central Lee Elementary School Mrs. Johnson, 3rd Grade

Dear Santa,
I think you are very nice and care for other people. I want a computer and a mouse and a keyboard to a new iPhone and new toys for my dogs and new toys for my cat. There names are Karen and Max and Walter and Hank. I also want a ds.

your friend,
Nick



Dear Santa,
I have been a good girl. I want a giant popit and a hoverboard. And slime and fake nails. And I want a computer and a electric scooter and I want LED lights and I want vines and I want a pet lizard. And a skateboard and fake glasses and fidgets and I want a fake school and an American girl doll.

Love,
Ravyn



Dear santa,
I've been a good boy this year. I have help for watching my border. I want a hot wheel soper ultimate garage, Thom-as talking Train sat and an airport sat. I like math and writing. I love school and sports my favorite sports is baseball and football. Do You have a lot of elves and reindeer? Have a great night on Christmas night?

From Jaxson



Dear Santa,
I have been kind of good this year. so can I have some fid-gets? and I really want a hov-erboard because I broke it like a month ago. my sister likes to play with it still but she is Five years old. she just had her birthday and December is my favorite time of year. one thing I have been wanting to know is how many Elf's do you have? My name is June and I Am 8 years old.

Your friend,
June



Dear Santa,
I have two brothers named Jack and George.. I want a new dentist set. I have a light up reindeer nose and I used it for sharing this week. I like your reindeer.

Love,
Winnie



Dear Santa,
I've been good this year. And I've been wanting some stuff I want a American girl doll a toy dog, coloring book the lol doll surprise that comes with 12 dolls. I want a pear of gym shoes so mom doesn't have to buy them a set of Barbie dolls that come with Barbie Stacey and Chelsey. I want a huge cat stuffed animals and new markers for school not skinny ones. I want a Santa hat and new pjs that aren't two piece a Barbie color reveal doll a Chelsy color reveal doll and a pet color reveal doll. I want a Barbie doll house A iPad A really fluffy blanket A fur real pet wavy the narwal And fidgets Heart earrings Medium size trampoline and A Barbie doll bus.

Your friend,
Mikayla



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Letters to Santa 2021

Richardson Elementary School

Mrs. Woodley, Kindergarten



Dear Santa

I love you. Are the reindeer healthy? For Christmas I would like a Tots Playset, a new Karaoke machine and a blue elf for my sister. I am going to leave you some chocolate milk on Christmas Eve.

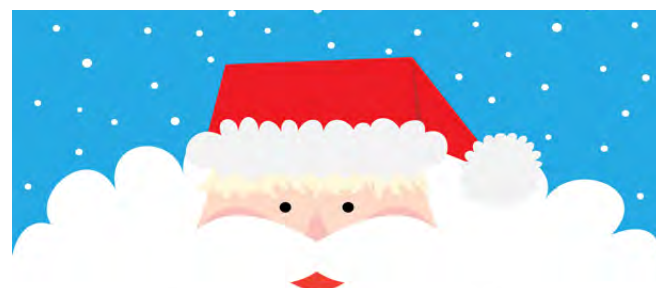
Love, Elizabeth



Dear Santa

What is your favorite cookie? For Christmas I would like a toy tree that sings songs, a toy balance scale, and clear cups. I will put carrots outside for the reindeer on Christmas Eve.

Love, Brantley



Dear Santa

What are you going to do for Christmas? I would like a PS5, and toy boat and a remote control race car. Did Mrs. Clause wash your suit for you? I will be leaving you chocolate chip cookies on Christmas Eve.

Love, Grayson



Dear Santa

I have been trying really hard in school this year. For Christmas I would like a unicorn, a pet kitten and a toy puppy. Is your suit clean and ready for you to wear on Christmas Eve?

Love, Sydney



Dear Santa

How are you? Does Mrs. Clause have your suit all ready to go? For Christmas I would like a whoopee cushion, number robots and a trumpet. I will make sure to leave hay out for the reindeer in case they are hungry.

Love, Brayden



Dear Santa

What sound does a reindeer make? I would like Twisty Pet, some toys for my dog and more stuff to do crafts. Have a Merry Christmas!

Love, Mackenzie H.



Dear Santa

Am I on the good list this year? I would like to have a Barbie Dream House, new gloves and some fairy lights! I hope you have a safe trip on Christmas Eve.

Love, Lauren



Dear Santa

Have you gotten enough sleep to get ready for Christmas Eve? For Christmas I would like new toy cars, a PG Mask Head Turtle and a Power Ranger figure. I am going to leave you Chocolate Chip cookies on Christmas Eve.

Love, Liam



Dear Santa

What kind of cookies do you like? For Christmas, I would like a Barbie swimming pool, a toy puppy and something for my toy puppy to play with. I hope the reindeer are all healthy.

Love, Rowynn



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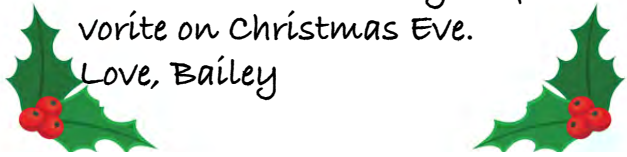
Richardson Elementary School Mrs. Woodley, Kindergarten



Dear Santa

Are the reindeer ready to go for Christmas Eve? I would like a robot, a toy bouncy goat and a toy dinosaur for Christmas this year. What is your favorite cookie? I want to make sure to leave your favorite on Christmas Eve.

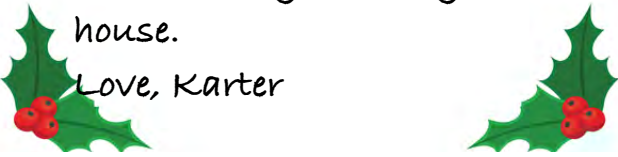
Love, Bailey



Dear Santa

Am I going to get any presents this year? Can I get some monster trucks, dinosaurs and Hot Wheels City for Christmas? I hope you can find my mommy's house.

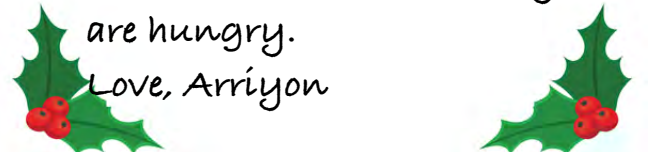
Love, Karter



Dear Santa

Are the reindeer ready for Christmas Eve? I would like Hot Wheels, a motorcycle and a bike for Christmas. I will leave some cereal for the reindeer in they are hungry.

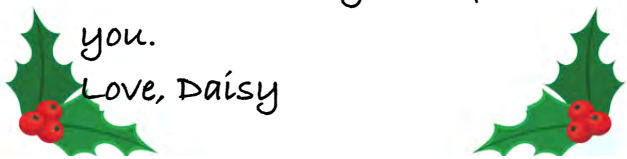
Love, Arriyon



Dear Santa

Are all the toys made at the North Pole? For Christmas, I would like a bike, a real phone and a Barbie house. I will leave some cookies and ice cream on my table for you.

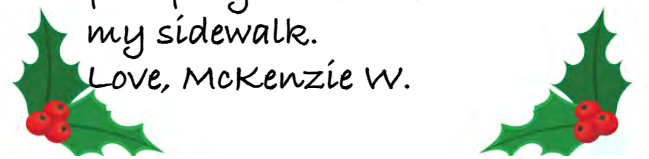
Love, Daisy



Dear Santa

Are the reindeer and the sleigh ready to go for Christmas Eve? I would like a Nail Salon, mini Squishmallows and mini fidgets for Christmas. I will leave food for your reindeer on my sidewalk.

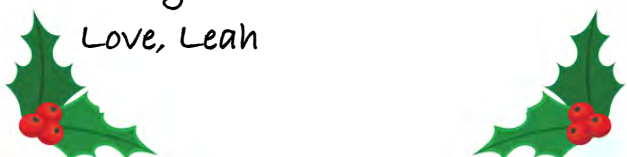
Love, McKenzie W.



Dear Santa

I am going to leave you some yummy cookies. I would like a Sonic toy, the Sonic X game and a drawing board with markers. Merry Christmas!

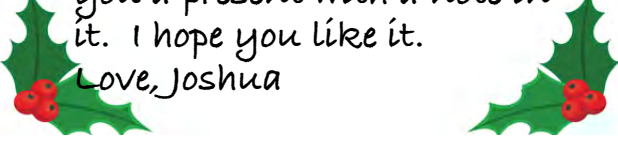
Love, Leah



Dear Santa

Can I come to the North Pole and deliver presents to the kids with you? For Christmas, I would like a Spy Ninja kit, a Nerf Bow and an electric scooter with a charger. I am going to leave you a present with a note in it. I hope you like it.

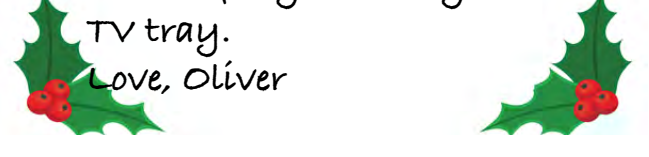
Love, Joshua



Dear Santa

Am I on the good list this year? If I am, I would like a stuffed animal, a remote control car and a white board with markers. I am going to leave some sugar cookies for you on my dad's TV tray.

Love, Oliver



Letters to Santa 2021

Lincoln Elementary School Alisha Saathoff, 2nd Grade

letter to santa
Dear Santa,
Hello! My name is Mia
and I am 8 years old.
Here's one thing I did
that was extra nice - I
helped Erin when she
fell. For Christmas this
year, I would like
an iPhone and a PS4.

Dear Santa,
Hello! My name is Miles
and I'm 7 years old.
One nice thing I did this
year was feed my dog.
For Christmas this year
I would like a remote
controlled car that can drive
on the walls and ceiling.

Dear SANTA
Hello My name is So
charles and
I'm 7 years old
One nice thing I did
this year was
help my friend
for Christmas this
year I would like
a video game PS4
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DEAR SANTA hi my
name is Erin and I'm
7 years old here's
one thing I did that
was extra nice I
got mybff a corpa
the bear I would
like a con puter

DEAR SANTA
Hello! My name is Mia and I'm 7 years old.
One nice thing I did this year was
helping Peter. For Christmas this
year I would like a big teddy bear.
Thank you!

Dear Santa,
hello my name is Madison and I am
7 year old here's one thing I did
that was extra nice I help my class.
for Christmas this year I would like a
iPhone, a dress, a careaker.
Thank you Merry Christmas.

Dear Santa
Hello my name is Sebastian
I'm 7 years old
One nice thing
I did this year was being
kian
for Christmas this year
I would like a PS4

Dear Santa
Hello! My name
is Caleb and I'm
8 years old
one nice thing
I did this
year was
I put up a lot
for Christmas this
year I would
like two Lego

Dear Santa Hello!
my name is Ryan I'm
7 years old. One nice
thing I did this
year was helping my
for Christmas this
year I would like a
and a PS4 and
I would like to
Christmas

Letters to Santa 2021

Lincoln Elementary School Alisha Saathoff, 2nd Grade

Dear Santa
Hello my name is
Alisha and I'm 8 years
old one nice thing
I did this year was
helping my mom for
Christmas this year I
would like to have
reptiles and a dog
get.

Dear Santa
Hello my name is Jeremy I'm 8 years
old one nice thing I did this year was
nice to my grandma for Christmas this
year I would like to have
a dog and a cat.

Dear Santa Hello my name is Calysi and
I'm seven years old almost eight years old
here's one thing I did that was nice
I told my sister someone was angry
for Christmas this year I would like for my
family to have a great Christmas and a red ball
a blue cube and a red and blue book and a
book. Thank you merry Christmas.

Dear Santa
Hello! My name is Mar's and I'm
Eight years old. One nice thing I did
this year was helped my mom for Christmas
I want a bunch of piggy.

Dear Santa
Hello! my name
is Vada and
I'm 8 years old
Here's one thing
I did this year
was I was nice
to mar's all year
for Christmas this
year I would like
my Grandma and
Grandma to have a
spa day

CROSSWORD

Answer: 1 cane; 2 hat; 3 spruce; 4 list; 5 sleigh; 6 gift; 7 mittens; 8 angel; 9 snowflake



Letters to Santa 2021

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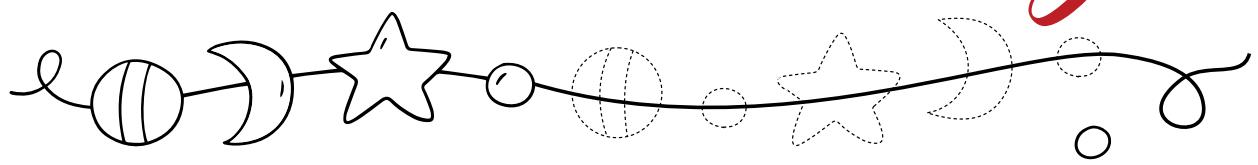
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 doing. I would like a
 reindeer Nintendo Switch
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 bow tie throw
 Legos

Dear Santa
 I would like
 American
 doll
 with blue hair

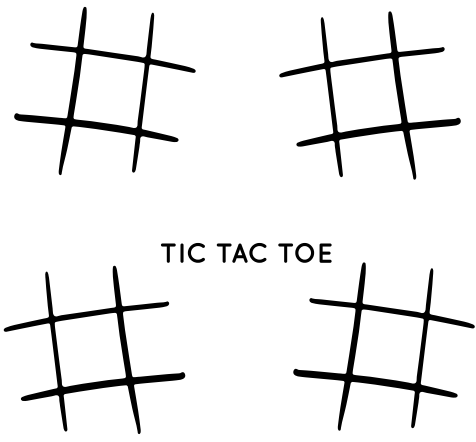
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 HO HO HO
 MERRY CHRISTMAS

Love Rhett
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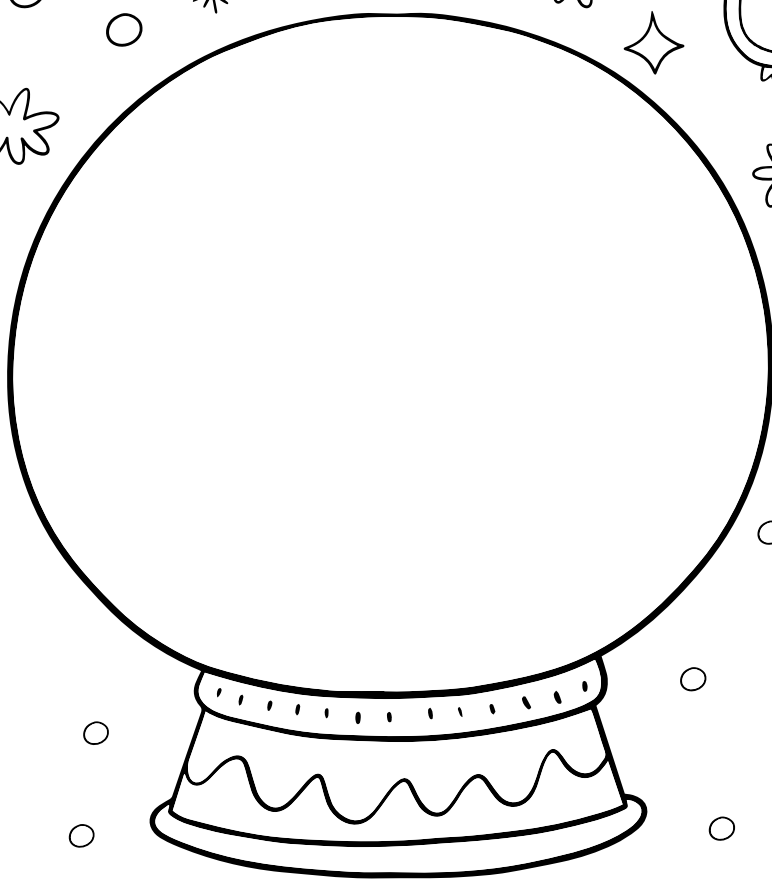
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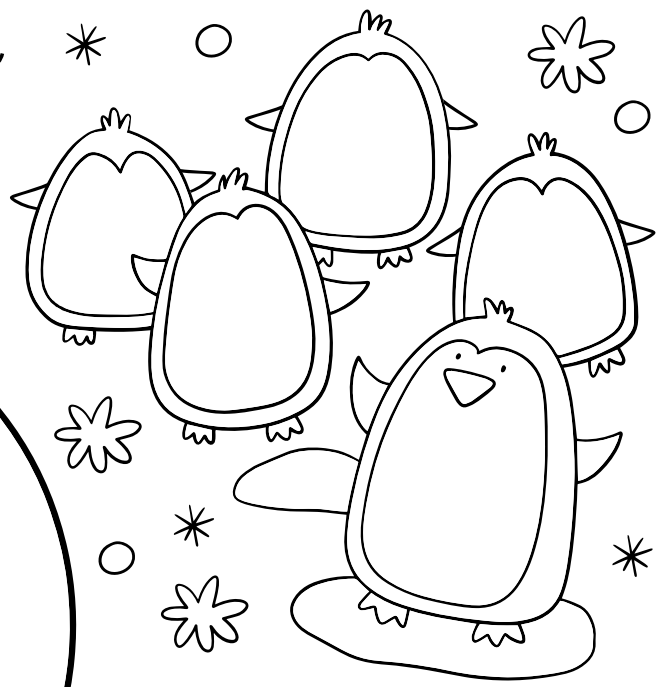
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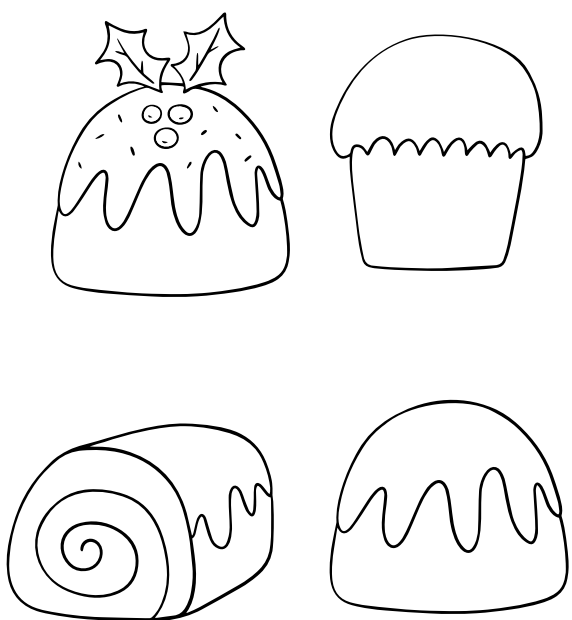
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DECORATE THE CHRISTMAS CAKE



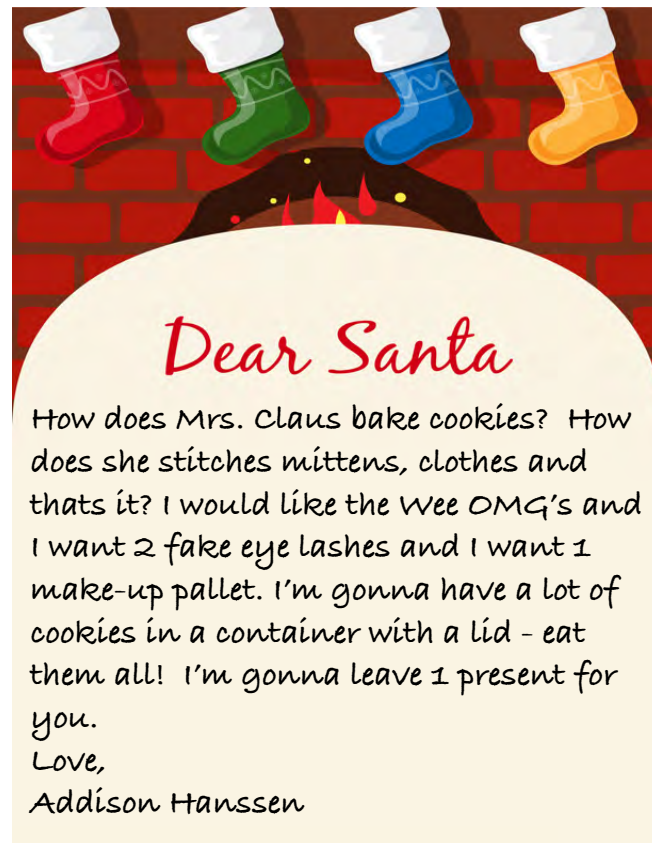
FIND 2 SAME CHRISTMAS SOCKS

MERRY CHRISTMAS

Letters to Santa 2021

Richardson Elementary School

Mrs. Johnson, Kindergarten



Letters to Santa 2021

Richardson Elementary School Mrs. Johnson, Kindergarten



Dear Santa

Do you like mint cookies or any cookies? Does Mrs. Claus help you deliver presents? I would like a hover board, an electric drone, and an electric dirt bike for kids. I'm gonna give you some cookies and some milk and the reindeer some carrots.

Love,
Jayse Harmon



Dear Santa

Do you like cookies? What kind of cookies do you like?

I would like an iPhone, an iPad, and Roblox.

I'm gonna have 101 cookies and if you are cold a blanket.

Love,
Jaylon Mason



Dear Santa

What do reindeer do? What do the Elves do even?

I would like to have a tablet, a number thingy that shows me numbers so I can sign them, and 7 plushies (dragons that have spikes on their chin). I will give you milk and cookies and a blanket.

Love,
Quinnen Miller



Dear Santa

I love you! What kind of cookies do you like? Do you like hot cocoa? Do you like it with marshmallows?

I would like a toy Santa Claus and Mrs. Claus. I want a dress up Barbie House a sticker crayon box that I do for my work at home so I can keep my pencils in order. I will have cookies and milk and carrots for the reindeer.

Love,
Addilyn Brand



Dear Santa

Why do you have so much clothes?

I would like a beauty palette that has make-up and 4 drawers. I would like a TV so I can watch TV in my room. A phone so I can call my Grandpa all the time.

I love you Santa! I will have cookies for you.

Love,
Lyra Vega




Dear Santa

I like how Mrs. Claus looks at me. I like when you say stuff to me. I like when the elves show me Santa's sled.

I would like a bike. I would like a teddy bear and I would like a doll. I'm gonna have cookies ready for you and milk.

Love,
Lexi Blanchard



Dear Santa

What do the elves do? When do they come to our house and what do they do to help you?

I would like an iPhone, an iPad and a hover board.

I'm gonna have cookies and milk.

Love,
Jaylon Mason



Dear Santa

Do the elves sit on your lap? I would like a Minion plushie. I would like a toy car to ride in. I would like a swing.

I will leave cookies and milk.

Love,
Benjamin Shallcross



Dear Santa

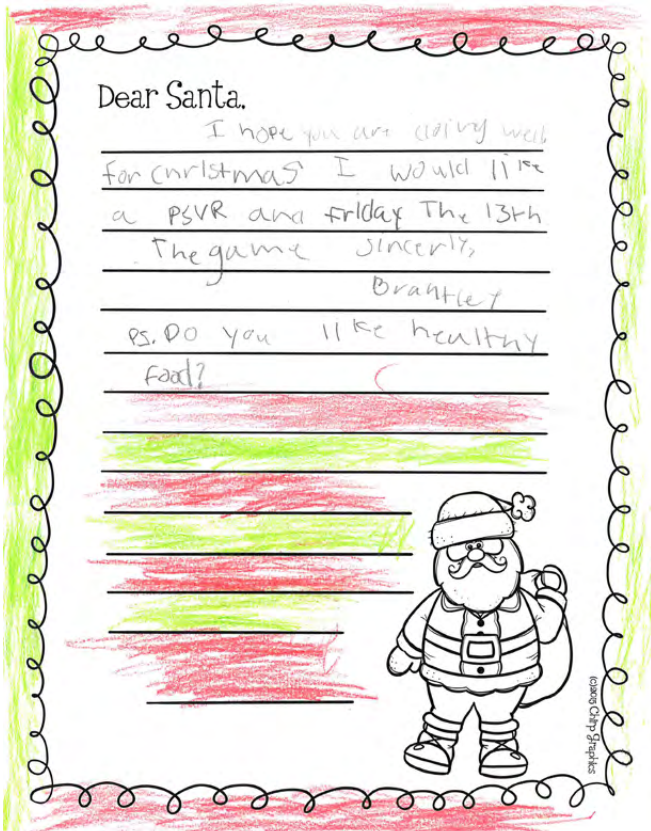
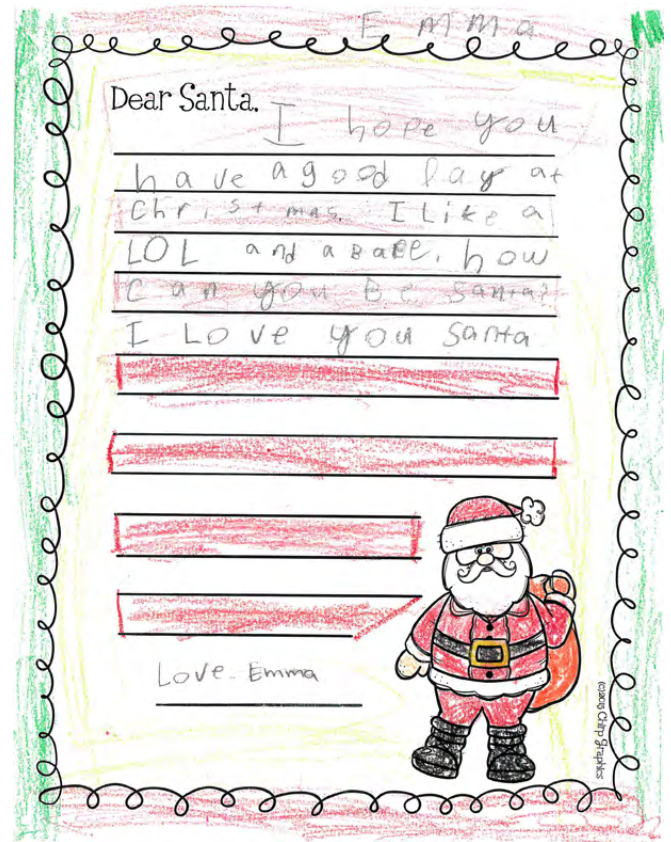
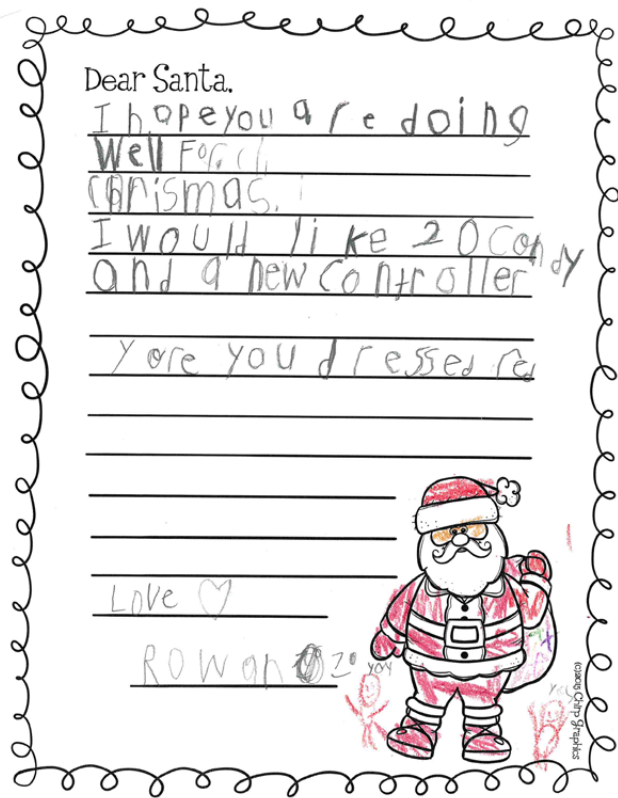
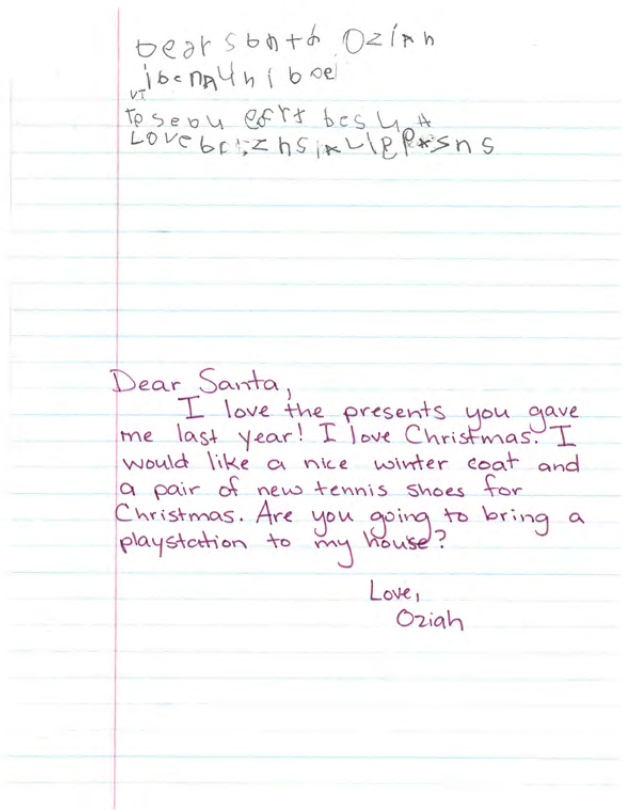
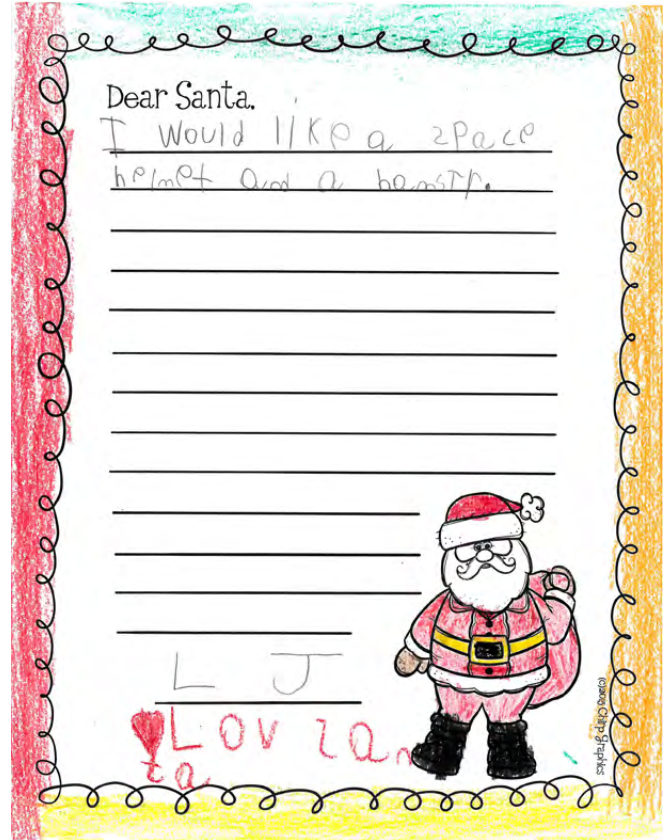
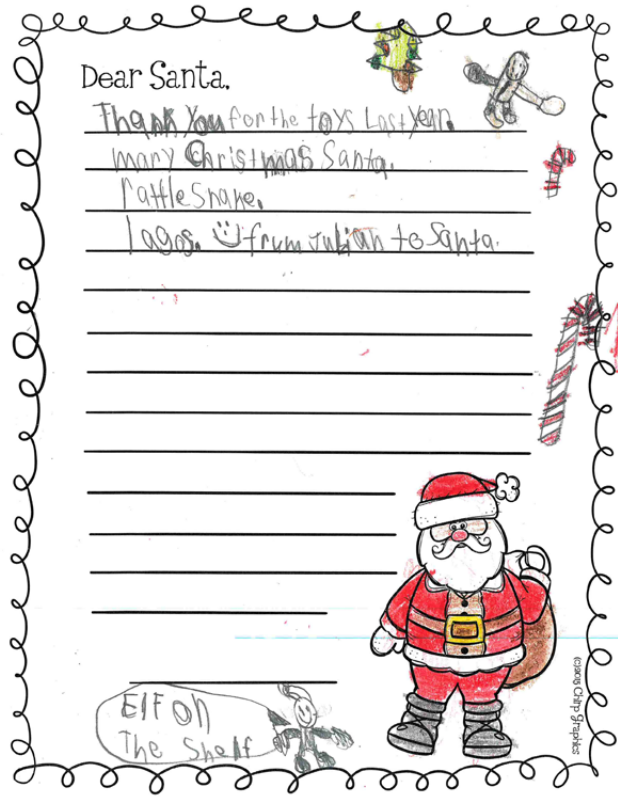
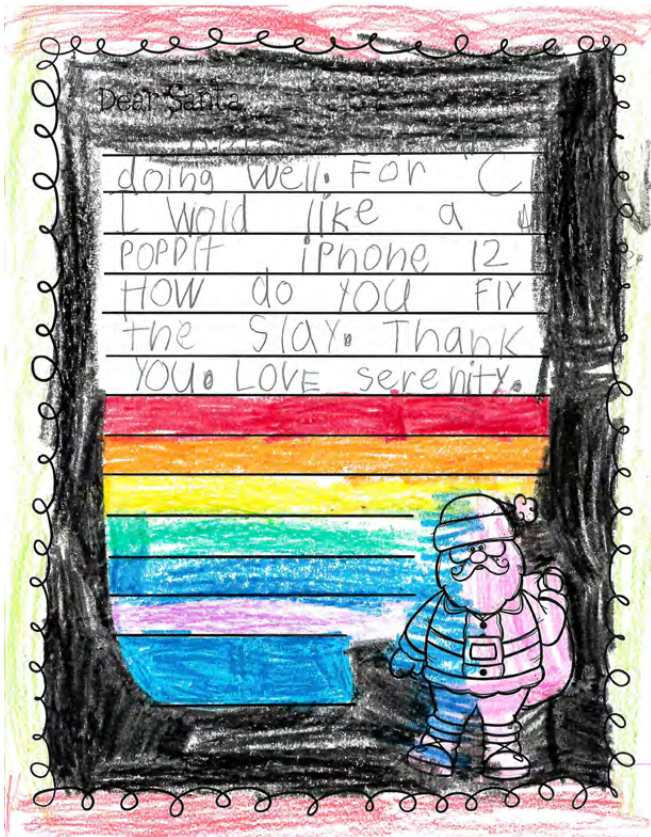
I would like crayons, Legos and books. I will leave cookies for you.

Love,
Harlen Kempker

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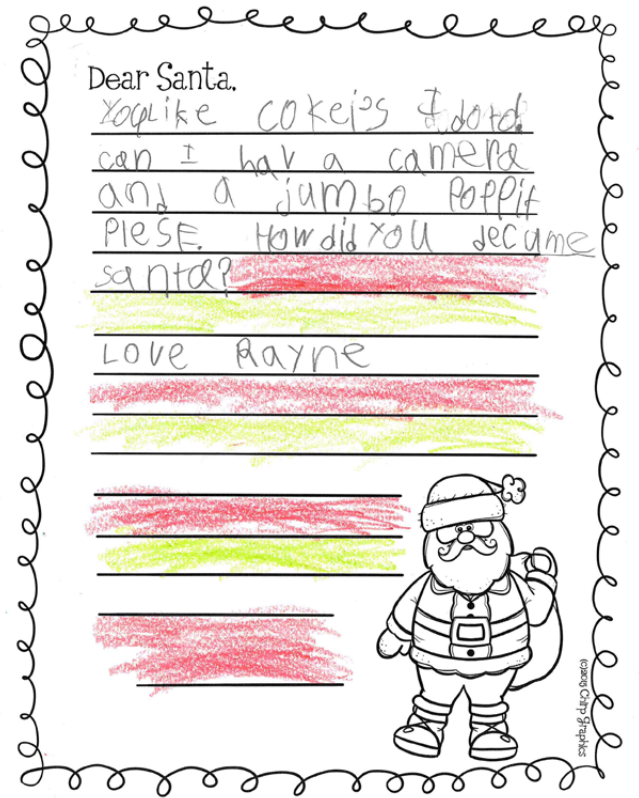
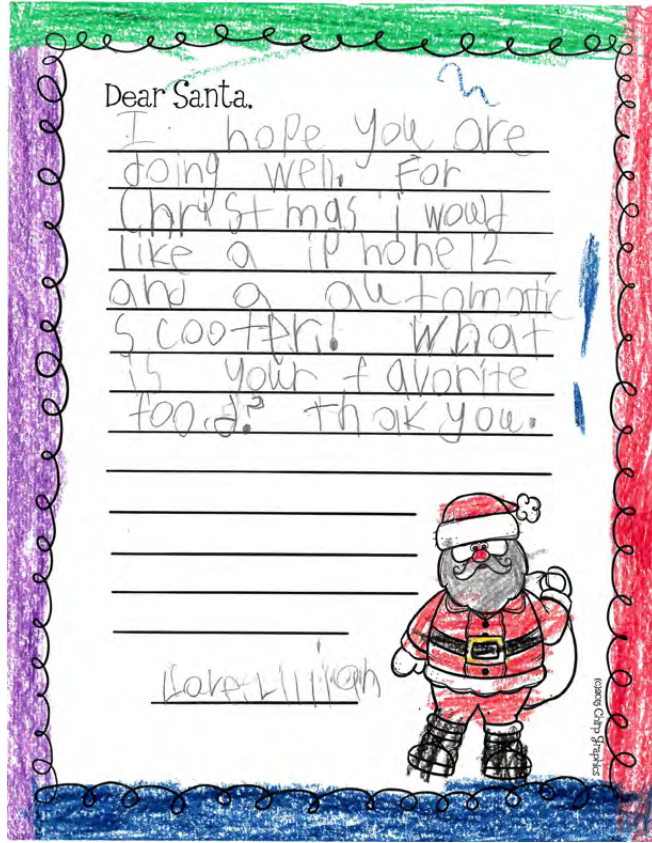
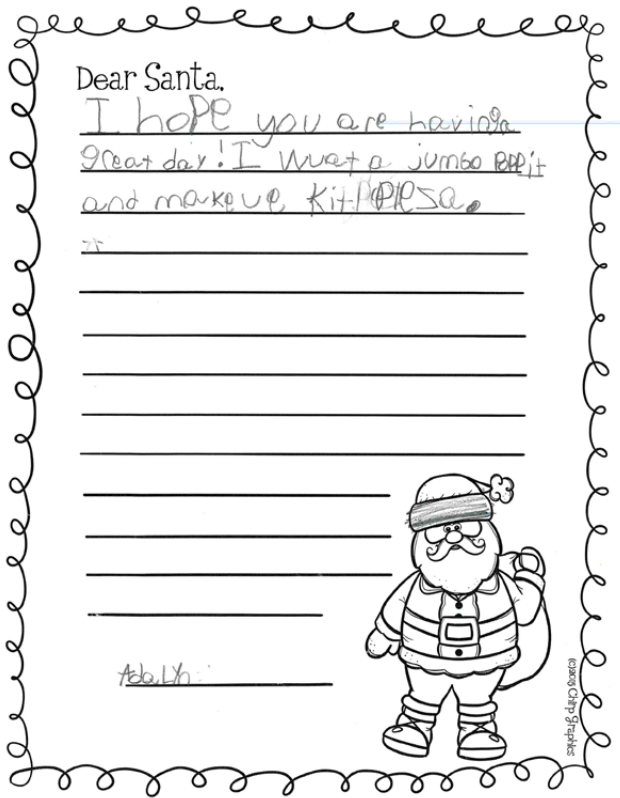
Richardson Elementary School

Jessica Shuman, 2nd grade

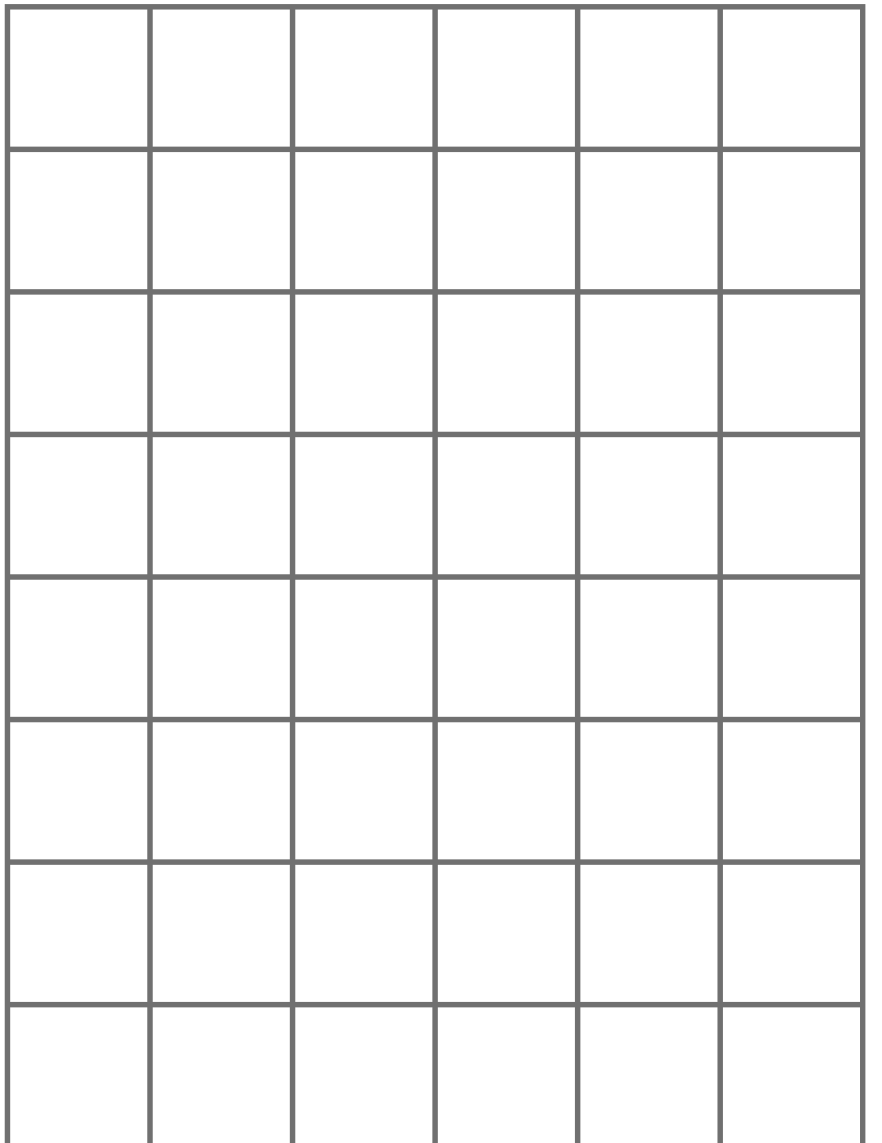
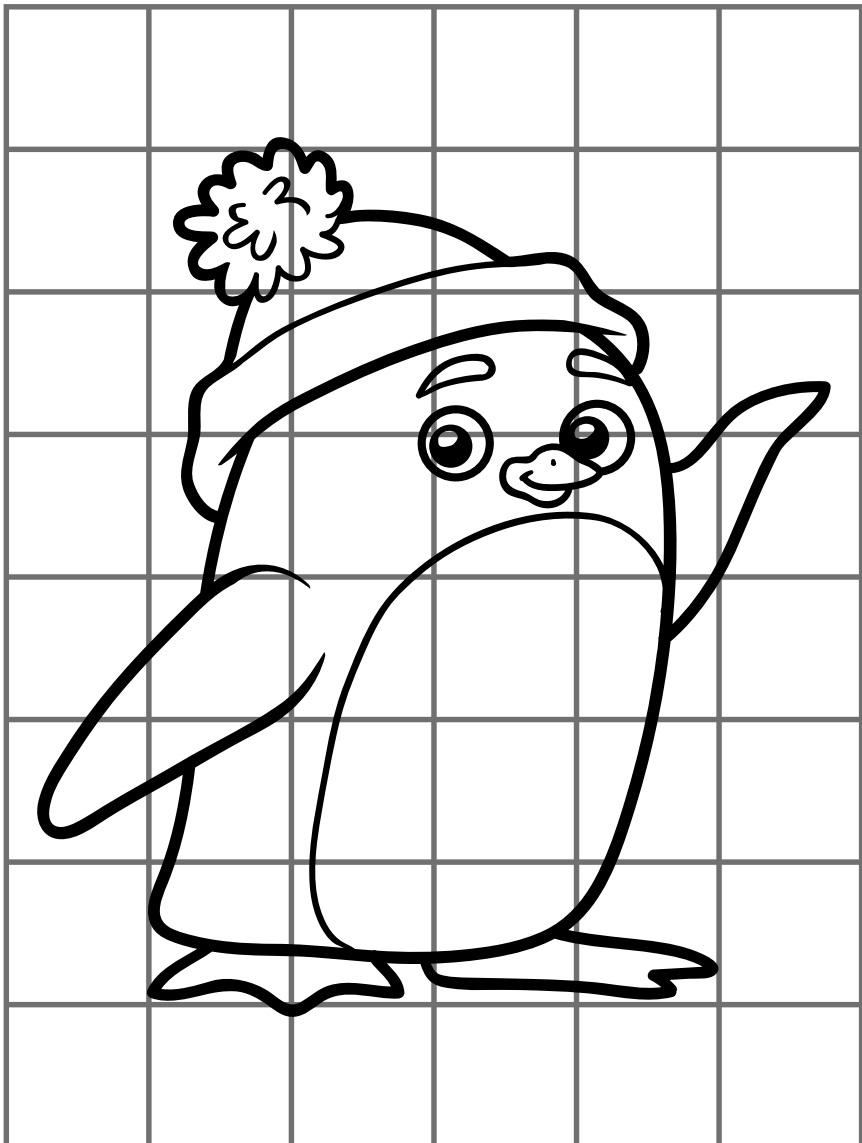


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Richardson Elementary School Jessica Shuman, 2nd grade




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Letters to Santa 2021


Richardson Elementary School Jessica Shuman, 2nd grade

Dear Santa,
 I want a PS5
 and I want a HP
 please and give me two
 you to in.




Dear Santa,
 you are the
 best guy forever
 I HOPE YOU HAVE
 A good day Santa
 and for Christmas I
 want a Jambo Popit
 IPhone and have
 A good day Santa
 please.

Love, to Waxman




Dear Santa,
 I hope you guys
 I want a dinosaur toy and
 a pet fish. I wonder how your
 reindeer fly. I really want
 to make reindeer food.

Love,
 Lathan




Dear Santa,
 How are you doing!
 The 2 things I want can you send
 me a elf and can you make my mom
 pop. How do you wonder
 fly?

Love, Sophia




Dear Santa,
 I want a xbox
 board and a camera. What is
 your favorite Christmas cookie?

Love,
 Jackson




Dear Santa,
 I hope you guys
 I want a xbox
 board and a camera. What is
 your favorite Christmas cookie?

Love,
 Jackson



Dear Santa,
 For Christmas I want a huggy
 wuggy Popit thank you
 and a Figma Le'elf
 on a shelf for
 my apartment
 thank you so much
 Oh! PS LOL and
 how do you
 squeeze through
 the chimney?
 Oh! PS LOL Love
 Koran




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Letters to Santa 2021

Richardson Elementary School
Mrs. Hennigar, 3rd grade

Dear Santa,

I BEEN GOOD AND NICE AND KIND, I CANT
WAIT FOR CHRISTMAS I HOPE MY CUPS
TOLD YOU ABOUT MINE, I HOPE YOU
LIKE THE MILK AND COOKIES, MY
CHRISTMAS WISH IS A NINTENDO,
AND SOMETIMES YOU CAN GET
INT WILL LIKE A NEW BOOK I WOULD
LOVE THAT TO COME, AND FEED MY
PET SWIMMER FISH. I HOPE MY
MOM AND
FAMILY ☺


Halle



Dear Santa,

I have been very good
this year. I help
clean the kitchen.
I WANT ROBOTS FOR
CHRISTMAS!


Aiden



Dear Santa, ^{Kynlee}

I have been very good this
year! I have done these nice
things: I have been washing
the dishes and helping do the
chores. My Christmas wish is a
apple watch Amaris grill dall.
I hope you like the cookies and milk
and I, all what I'd like for my room.


Love, Kynlee ☺



Dear Santa,


I tried to be good this
year so I was wondering
if I can have a
panning bag and a
PS5 and ledlights.

from Bobby
Bobby



Dear Santa, ^{Ashley}


I have been very good this
year. I have done these
nice things: I all ways
take the trash out every
day. I all ways help my mom
with the dishes and I
all ways been nice to my
friends when they need help.
I want a lot of slime and
I want a dog. I
want baby yoda
and I want santa
to. I want a new
house. I hop
you enjoy the
milk and cookies
to.



Dear Santa,

I have been very good this
year! I took the dog out
and clean the house. I want
sime Big lego sets pet snax,
pet house and I want santa
and another dog, baby yoda
and a 4th grade math book
thank you
-Santa


Gracie



Dear Santa,

I have been very very
very very good this year
I am super good almost
every day I want a set
of led lights and
SHIPAH


Shepard



Dear Santa,

I was good this
year I would
like a Ma tch box
truck. I would
like a fire
helmet. I would
like some box
gloves. PSY


LOVE
EMMETT



Dear Santa,

I have been very good this
year and what I want for
christmas is a pss and a new
tablet and I want to say
something if I could get 1 more
prezinn if I can wood want
magnets enjoy the milk and cookies
and have a Merry Christmas.

Avery




Letters to Santa 2021

Richardson Elementary School

Mrs. Hennigar, 3rd grade


Dear Santa,
 I have been super good this year. I want a ^{plush} Pokemon cards and Pokemon Plushies, Mine Craft figures, a money Computer. Please and thank you! I hope you enjoy the cookies and milk!

Love,
 Zayden




Dear Santa,
 I've been good this year. I have my friend A to x she was. I want a coffee CA + AND the stuff to take good care of it. I promise also save some cookies for you. Tell me about A & it.

from PANDORA




Dear Santa,
 I've been good this year. I want a Frog for a and to take the stuff and cook - s.

Love,
 Billy




Dear Santa,
 I have been very good. I take the trash out. I want a go train and my family for Christmas. I hope you like the cookies and milk. Thank you.

Love,
 Syllas




Dear Santa,
 I have been very good this year. I helped my grandma with her arm and helped my mom catch our kittens. What I want for Christmas is fidgets, art supplies, a blanket and a bracelet kit.

Love,
 Lily



Dear Santa,
 I have been good this year. I played with my friends and help my dad get the mail. For Christmas I would like Barbie Dolls. MERRY CHRISTMAS!

Juliet




Letters to Santa 2021

Lincoln Elementary School Madalyn Lemek, 2nd grade

DEAR SANTA: Hello, my name is
Jopalen and I'm 7 years old.
Here's one thing I did that
was extra nice I helped my
mom for Christmas this year I
like my dream LPS (figits)
PIASTIK POPIT Junbo POPIT BIT Neckis
LPS lol!!

Dear Santa: Hello! my
name is Bailee and I'm
seven years old.
Here's one thing I did
that was extra nice
I helped someone when
they got hurt. for Christmas
this year I would like
Family Board Games, Books
and a Baking set.
Thank you! Merry Christmas!

Dear Santa
Hello my name is Daniel
and I'm 7 years old
Here's one thing I did
that was extra nice
I told William I
will be extra nice.
For Christmas this year
I would like a
Playstation 1 Controller.
Thank you! merry
Christmas!

DEAR SANTA Hello! My
name is SCOUT and I'm
8 years old here's one
thing I did that was
extra nice I helped my
grandma with her horses
for Christmas this year I
would like Hoover borer
a blow up HotTup and a
skat board New plad rer
dud black slippers a free
git SAWTIFIKIT to slays
and olivardi and shukala
thank you Merry Christmas!



hello! my name is Joss
and I'm 7 years old here's
one thing I did that
was extra nice:
I played with my friend
I want a HOV63
have a nice day SANTA

hello! my name is: kucy
and I'm 7 years old
here's one thing I did that
was extra nice:
I help a boy
when he fell & hurt
I want a boocher.

DEAR SANTA
Hello! my name is Sage
and I'm 8 years old.
Here's one thing I did that
was extra nice. I helped a
little kid up when the little kid got
hurt. For Christmas this year I
would like an ipad.
Thank you SANTA.

DEAR SANTA Hello! my
name is Noah and I'm 7 years
old here's one thing I
did that was extra
nice I look on paper
for Christmas this year
I would like I want a
bike

Letters to Santa 2021

Lincoln Elementary School Madalyn Lemek, 2nd grade

Dear Santa
Hello my name is Abram
and I'm 8 years old
Here's one thing I did that
was extra nice. I gave my
best friend a present.
for christmas this year I
would like a phone and
a snow globe. Merry
christmas

DEAR SANTA
Hello! my name is Levi
and I'm 8 years old
Here's one thing I did
that was extra nice
I am also nice to
my mom. For christmas
this year I would like
2XL Rubik's cube
and iPad.

THANK YOU MERRY
CHRISTMAS!



Dear Santa:
Hello! my name is
Ivy and I'm 7
years old. Here's one
thing I did that
was nice help my
bff sage. For christmas
this year I would like:
The friend lego set,
A hamster, A baby like
THANK YOU!
Merry Christmas

DEAR SANTA Hello! my
Name is CARTER and my
8 years old. Here's one
thing I did extra nice I
help my mom wash
the dishes. for christmas
this year I would like
a huver board a Minecraft
LEGO Set and a tablet.

THANK YOU!
and merry Christmas!

DEAR SANTA
Hello! my name
is William and I'm 7
years old
Here's one thing I did
that was extra nice
I played with my pen
every day
For christmas this
year I would like
A BIG TEDDY
A WATCH
A IPOD
A HOT THANK YOU

Nya
DEAR SANTA Hello my name
is Nya and I'm 8 years old
Here's one thing I did that
was extra nice: I yuta
for christmas this year I would like
teddy bear a Big Grill 601
a 195 a 101 a 11 dog a
bob 195 THANK YOU!

Dear Santa.
Hello my name is
Scarlett and I'm
8 years old
Here's one thing
I did that was
extra nice:
my friend Ava
was alone so
I played with her
for christmas
this year I would
like: Black nikes
shoes, any clothing, a
christmas sweater for
my cat.

Merry Christmas

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Letters to Santa 2021


Richardson Elementary School

Paula Kirchner, 2nd grade


Dear Santa
 Hello my name is ^{isabella}
 and I am 7 years old
 For Christmas I would
 like mini brands I want
 a and a 3D pen
 and a Eric on the
 shelf I want the
 pink Eric and I
 want Jess pies
 and I want bidet
 boots and
 Eggs and caps
 Eggs and a
 erse holls my name is ^{isabella}
 merry Christmas.




Dear Santa My name
 is ^{Amela} and I am in 2nd
 grade for Christmas
 I would like is a
 Christmas like for
 my bedroom and I
 want to have a ^{heabord}
 and I want is a art
 set and I want a ^{at}
 I want is a ^{seaboard}
 and I want is dolls
 and a doll house and
 doll clothes and I
 want is a ^{LoDen and Lol clothes}
 Amela thank you and
 Merry Christmas.



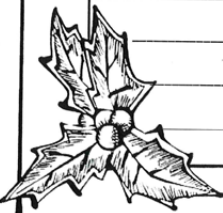
Dear Santa Hello My
 name is Jacob and I am 7
 years old
 For Christmas I would like
 Toys thank you merry
 Christmas.



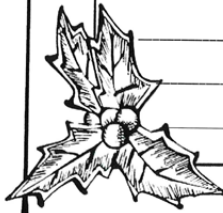
Dear Santa
 Hello! My name
 is christian
 and I am 8
 years old and
 I want
 a Trombon
 and a art set
 and 13 transformers
 and a ^{POW Ranger Robots}
 and a antman.
 merry Christmas



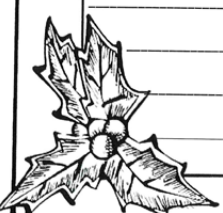
Dear Santa,
 Hi, my name is Ciel I am in
 2nd grade For Christmas
 I want a phone and a
 Nerf gun, new dog and a
 tablet.
 Thank you and
 Merry Christmas,
 Ciel.



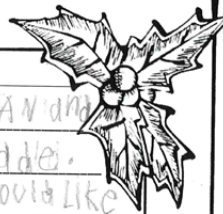
Dear Santa
 Hi! My name is Tony
 I am in 2nd grade
 For Christmas I would
 like a ^{robot} board.
 Merry Christmas,
 Tony



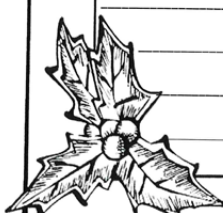
Dear Santa
 My name is Elizabeth and I am in
 2nd grade for Christmas I would
 like a ^{poled road} thank you
 Merry Christmas
 from Elizabeth



Dear Santa
 my name is Morgan and
 I am in 2nd grade.
 for Christmas I would like
 a hamster thank you
 merry Christmas.
 from Morgan



Dear Santa Hi! my name
 is Zander and I am 7 years
 old for Christmas I
 want ^{Lags and Dags}
 Zander



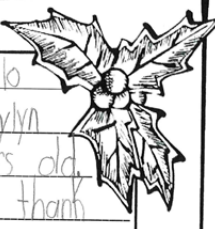
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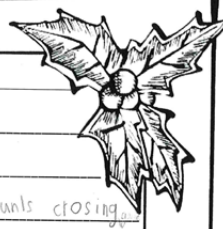
Paula Kirchner, 2nd grade

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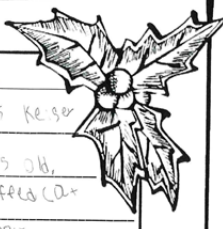
Dear Santa, Hello
My name is Waylyn
and I am 8 years old.
I want babble, thank
you Merry Christmas.
Waylyn



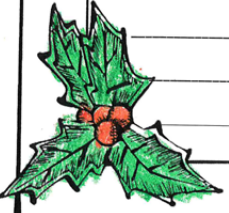
Dear Santa,
Hello! My name is Abe
and I am 8 years old.
PS. Fire and Amunts closing
game and Intenda and a tree fort and
Thank you Merry Christmas.
name Abe




Dear Santa,
Hello! My name is Kelsey
and I am 7 years old,
I want a big stuffed cat
and mini brands a new hair,
from: Kelsey.



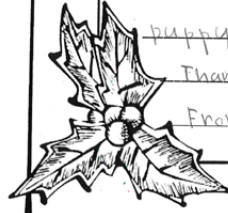
Dear Santa, Hello! My name
is Catherine and I am 7 years
old. For Christmas I would
like my dog back that's all
I want for Christmas. Thank
you. Merry Christmas.
Catherine.



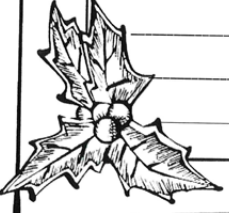
Dear Santa Hello!
my name is autumn and
I am 7 and a half years old.
for Christmas I would like
a flying fairy. Santa
are if fell off the stairs
but he's ok!! I might
get you down town!
Thank you! merry
Christmas!! autumn



Dear Santa Hello! my name
is Evelyn and I am
in 2nd grade. For
Christmas I would like
a fall, really cute and
small puppy like a new
born puppy please and
a really soft blanket
and a big tv and a
big sweet shirt and a
cute Dress with
puppies on it
Thank you merry Christmas!!
From Evelyn



Dear Santa
Hello! My name is
And I am 7 years old
my name is
I am 7 and a half years old
for Christmas I would like
a flying fairy. Santa
are if fell off the stairs
but he's ok!! I might
get you down town!
Thank you! merry
Christmas!! autumn




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Letters to Santa 2021

Lincoln Elementary School Tiffany Wibbell, 2nd grade

Dear Santa,
 Hello! My name is Wyatt
 and I'm 7 years old. Here's one thing
 that I did that was extra nice. I
 shared my toys with my friends.
 For Christmas I would like
 an iPad. Thank you! Merry Christmas
 Wyatt.

DEAR SANTA,
 Hello, my name is Calix
 and I'm 7 years old. Here's
 one thing I did that was extra
 nice. I helped my mom pick
 up my books so we can watch
 Nintendo Switch.
 Merry Christmas, Calix.

DEAR SANTA,
 Hello! My name is Noah
 and I'm almost 8 years old. Here's one thing
 I did that was extra nice. I cleaned my
 room. For Christmas this year I would
 like a disco light, a toy semi,
 a rc car, craft sticks and glue,
 a car's and pants, and a Nintendo
 Switch.
 Merry Christmas
 Noah

Dear Santa,
 Hello! My name is Nora
 and I'm 8 years old. Here's one thing
 I did that was extra nice. I got my
 sister a book. For Christmas this
 year I would like a Pokéball phone
 case and a girl's life up thing
 and a baby book.
 Merry Christmas
 Nora.

Dear Santa,
 Hello! My name is Temperance
 and I'm 7 years old. Here's one
 thing I did extra nice. I
 found my dad's wallet. For
 Christmas this year I
 would like a new tablet,
 my own internet and a balloon
 outfit.
 Merry Christmas
 Temperance
 Thank you!

DEAR SANTA
 Hello! My name is
 Rowen and I'm
 4 years old. Here's
 one thing I did that
 was extra nice.
 I helped my
 mom. For Christmas
 this year I would like
 a new iPad and a
 costume. Thank you!
 Rowen

Dear Santa,
 Hello! My name is Aysia
 and I'm 8 years old. Here's one
 thing I did that was extra nice.
 I helped my mom clean the table for
 Christmas. This year I would like
 an iPad.
 Merry Christmas
 Aysia

Dear Santa,
 Hello! My name is Noah
 and I'm 8 years old.
 Here's one thing I did
 that was extra
 nice. I helped my
 brother watch
 his video.
 For Christmas
 this year I
 would like a skateboard
 and a LEGO set.
 Merry Christmas, Noah

DEAR SANTA,
 Hello! My name is Logan
 and I'm 8 years old.
 Here's one thing I did
 that was extra
 nice. I helped my
 brother watch
 his video.
 For Christmas
 this year I
 would like a skateboard
 and a LEGO set.
 Merry Christmas, Logan

Letters to Santa 2021

Lincoln Elementary School Tiffany Wibbell, 2nd grade

DEAR SANTA,
 Hello! My Name is Wyatt
 and I'm 7 years old. Here's one
 thing I did that was extra nice
 I helped my hurt get his feet
 up from the floor. For Christmas
 this year I would like
 a guitar for my cat,
 a snow globe,
 a teddy bear,
 a snow globe,
 THANK YOU! Merry Christmas
 Wyatt

Dear Santa
 Hello! My name is Brock
 and I'm 7 years old. Here's
 one thing I did that was extra nice
 I helped my hurt get his feet
 up from the floor. For Christmas
 this year I would like
 a guitar for my cat,
 a snow globe,
 a teddy bear,
 a snow globe,
 THANK YOU! Merry Christmas
 Brock

DEAR SANTA,
 Hello! My name is Alex
 and I'm 8 years old. Here's
 one thing I did that was
 extra nice I
 helped my mom and dad
 I help for my mother
 THANK YOU SANTA
 MERRY CHRISTMAS
 ALEX

Dear Santa
 Hello my name is Kaci
 and I'm 7 years old.
 Here's one thing I did
 that was nice I
 I play with my brother
 For Christmas this year
 I would like
 a new tablet
 and a smoothie
 chair toy
 Merry Christmas
 Kaci

Dear Santa
 Hello! My name is Addison
 and I'm 9 years old. Here's one thing
 I did that was extra nice I help my
 clean the house up
 for Christmas this year I would like
 a new tablet
 Merry Christmas
 Addison

Dear Santa,
 Hello! My name Ava
 and I'm 7 years old. Here's
 one thing I did that was
 extra nice, I have cleaned
 the house for Christmas
 this year I would like to
 spread joy.
 Merry Christmas
 Ava

DEAR SANTA! Hello my name is Owen
 and I'm 7 years old. Here's one thing I did that was extra nice
 I help my friends when they are sad. For Christmas this year
 I would like I would like a horse, I would like a dog,
 a snow globe, I would like my car, I would like my bike,
 Merry Christmas, Owen

TRACE AND COLOR



Letters to Santa 2021

Shadow Matching Game



1



2



3



4



5



Answer: 4

There's Snow
Place Like Home
for the Holidays.



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PEN CITY CURRENT

It's Black & White and Read all over

Find five birdies



Letters to Santa 2021

Holy Trinity Day Care

Dear Santa,

My name is Lillian
and I am 3 years old.

This year I have been:
 Nice Naughty A little bit of both

For Christmas This year I would like: 
Gabby dollhouse.

Thank you, Santa!
 Love, Lillian



Dear Santa,

My name is Ellias
and I am 3 years old.

This year I have been:
 Nice Naughty A little bit of both

For Christmas This year I would like: 
I want a bear.

Thank you, Santa!
 Love, Ellias



Dear Santa,

My name is Chloe
and I am 3 years old.

This year I have been:
 Nice Naughty A little bit of both

For Christmas This year I would like: 
A dollhouse

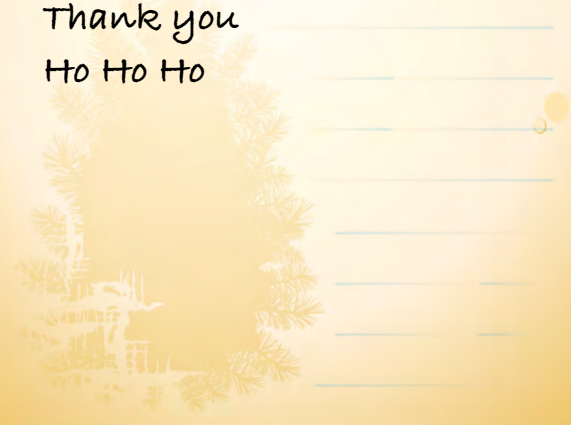
Thank you, Santa!
 Love, Chloe



Teagan Hatfield

Dear Santa,

HI SANTA,
 FOR CHRISTMAS I
 WOULD REALLY LIKE TO
 GET A GUITAR, AND Re-
 becca Zamolo Merchandise.
 Thank you
 Ho Ho Ho




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 * * *
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Letters to Santa 2021

Lincoln Elementary School Ms. Woolever, 3rd grade

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Dear Santa,
I would like a doll house with everything in it

Love
Layon



Dear Santa, I want a rc car for my brother i want not be nice to me but some time he is nice to me oh and i want a sister some has Ben my es i mes her BUT I want a car about summer BUT i do car about summer



Dear Santa, I want a rc car for my brother i want not be nice to me but some time he is nice to me oh and i want a sister some has Ben my es i mes her BUT I want a car about summer BUT i do car about summer



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Dear Santa, I've been very good this year, I want a few things this year. p.s try and fit everything in my stocking if you dont. Quietly put some under the tree. Heres my list. ps I think we need an elf...

- gaming headset
 - computer
 - Own room
 - Uggs
 - gingerbread
 - A surprise
- Avery



Dear Santa, ????

I want miev cat deck
PMS PMS?????
HUNTER D
I want close..



Dear Santa, I wish for a game called Seldu the breath of the wind. I wish for a toy dragon cold tooth and high top and toothless school.

By Barillomur Brooks



Dear Santa, I wish for a game called Seldu the breath of the wind. I wish for a toy dragon cold tooth and high top and toothless school.



Dear Santa, I want a cute giraffe PJ's

Done 2021



Letters to Santa 2021

Lincoln Elementary School

Ms. Woolever, 3rd grade

Dear Santa. Ella21

I would like
for Christmas a
Nintendo Switch legos Books
Craft kit Beenbag Chare
Chow toy Big mothe Coig
Snow toobe house Bake
Pake. Slime kit POPITS Sienc
kit Be Bote french
It Braclets



Dear Santa. I really want

stills becaus i am verry short
I also want slime becaus it is
entertaining. I also want a dog
i shold get a dog i think
my dog gets lonley some times.
I want a apple watch. And i
shold get all of this stuff
becau i been velt goat this year
o ya can you
till my elf
she is good
to come out
from covlenten
o any clean up
after her self



Dear Santa. I want apex legends
and I hope you have a merry
crismas and I hope you get to other
kids homes too. - bear grayson



Dear Santa. for the beginning of my
christmas list, i want a light blue water
from hobby lobby and now i am in 3rd grade. I want
fidgets on ahd slime eee. I want herf eee
and herf eee. I want a pupyyyyy. and i want
com puter.



Dear Santa. for christmas
I would like cars, car tracks,
Rock tumbler and at my house
under my tree I have magazines I
have circled the things I want.

How many cookies do you want
on Christmas?



Dear Santa. I want a playmodi
peting zoo set and the doll movie
have a safe trip. love Otto



Dear Santa. i wish you have
a goode do. i want my mom to
have time for me and my sis. i want to
move into my new home. i want my family
to have a good day. i want you and my
family to be safe. i want you and my family to
be good.



Dear Santa.
i want a
watch.
a bigger whater
boat. my sister
is mee no



Dear Santa. I really would
like a hover board, fidgets,
gift card, a computer, clothes, a
dog, new shoes, art stuff, a signed pen,
a new phone, diary of a pug, books, Big notes,
food from my grandmas restora
cloths for make pick, toys for make
big bats, stuffed crismas plushies
livesanta and snow man and robot
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a tablet, a TV, cost
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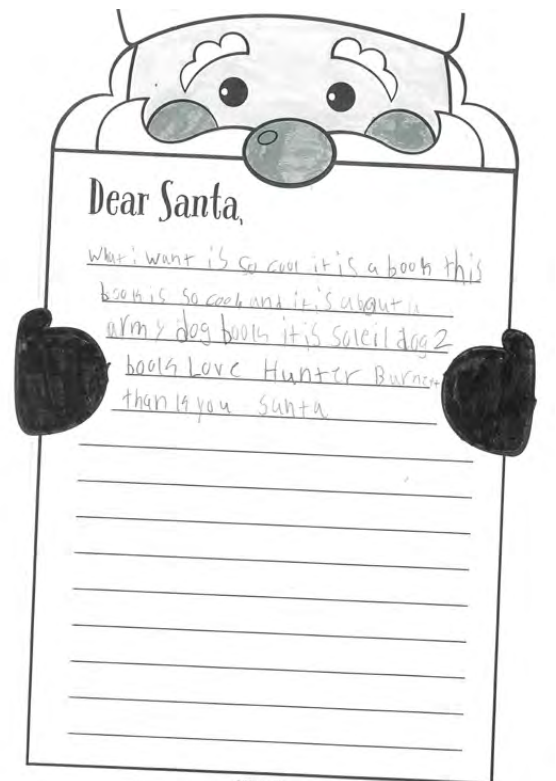
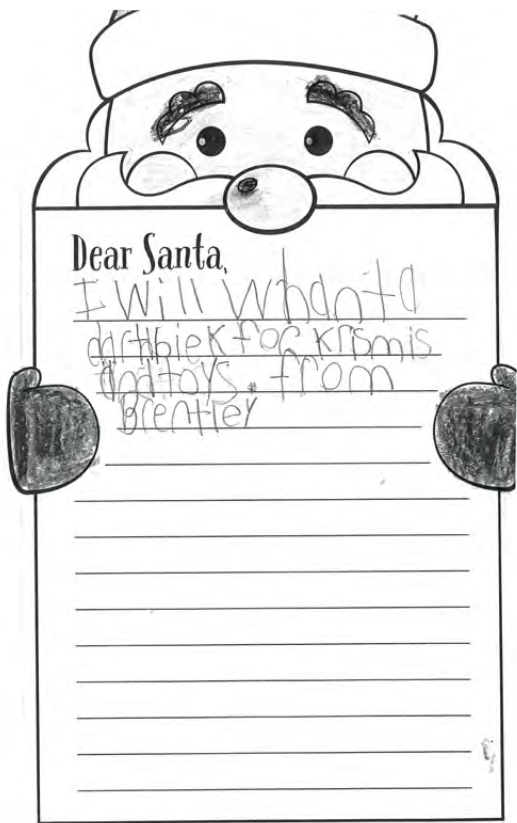
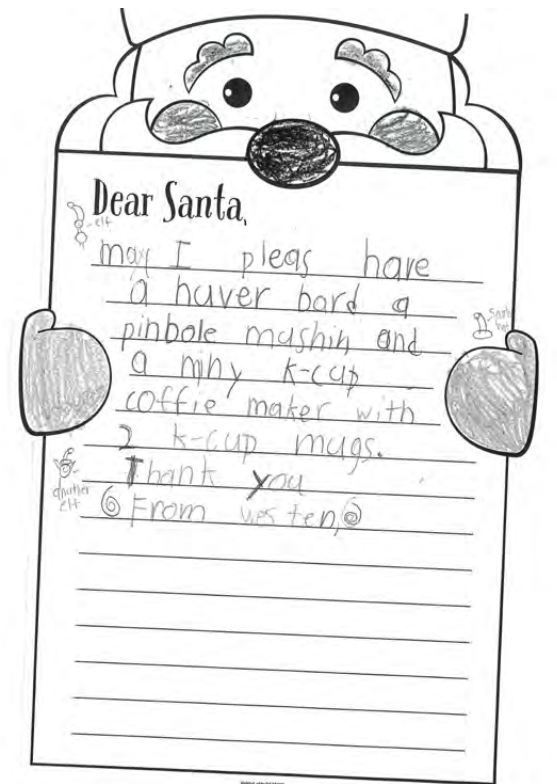
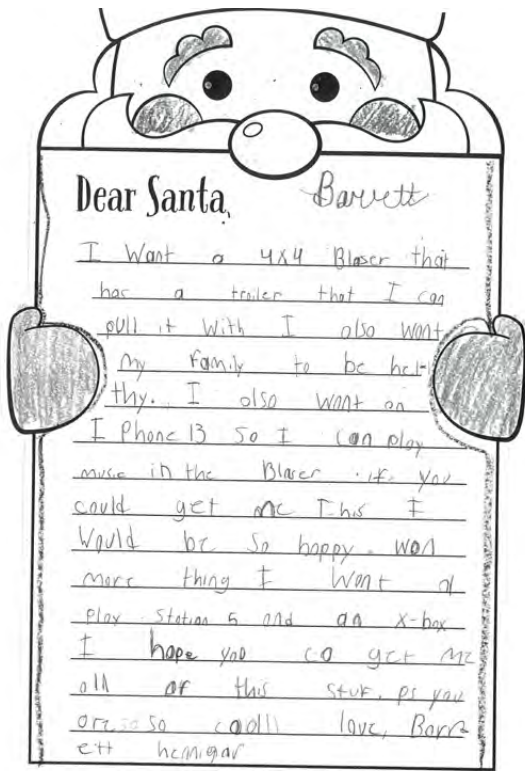
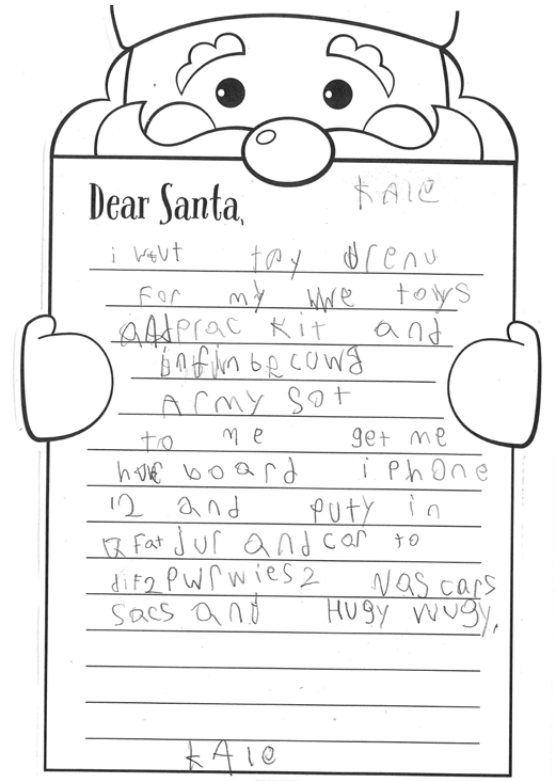
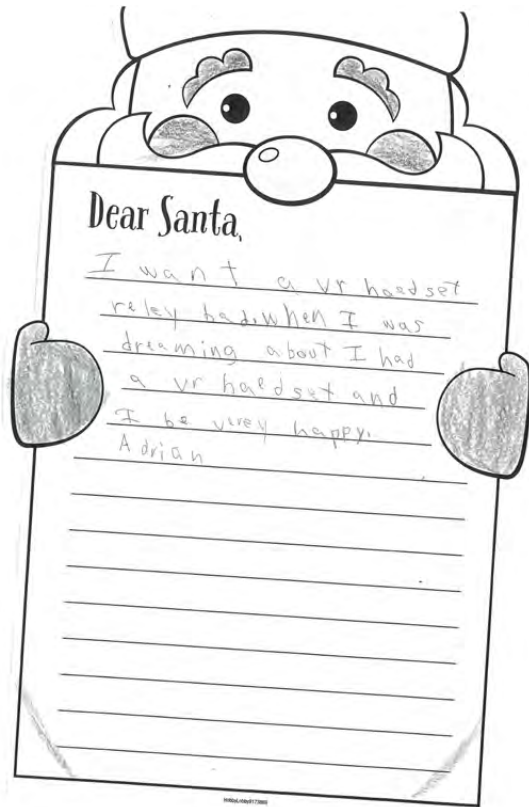


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Letters to Santa 2021

Richardson Elementary School

Mrs. Jones, 3rd grade



Letters to Santa 2021

Richardson Elementary School Mrs. Jones, 3rd grade

Dear Santa, Jaivonei-Brock
I want a PS5 and a iPhone
H3.

Jaivonei-Brock.

Dear Santa,
How are you
I hope you didn't have to give delivery
car. but if you could I would like
a hot air balloon and a hot air balloon
pilot. Please and love Mrs.

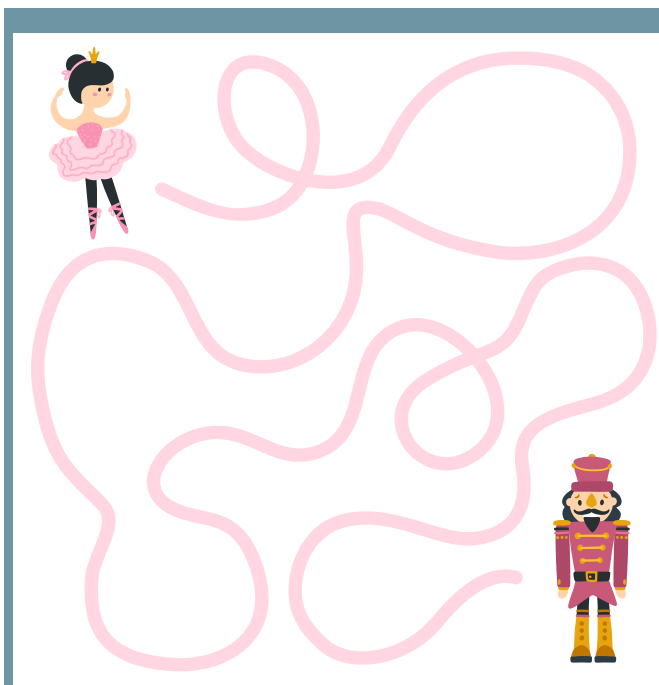
Dear Santa,
I want a PS5
and how are you, Books,
mine brand story, ps games
minds, Eric rigs, Multi
games Furry box many.
mine brand Eric Kasco, frog
Sally, crime success, Super keys,
Olivia

Dear Santa, A letter from
a happy family good luck
for the team lego star wars
I hope you give me a new
for my sister a new
I phone for my brother
and a new doll for my
and APS for my step
dad Tommy duca

Dear Santa,
I wish had a PS5 with games and
a iPad and a new
tv and a gaming chair and
a hover board and a vr
and a microphone and
a pc and a nerf gun.

Dear Santa,
I want a ps5, games for the ps5, a controller
for the ps5, a pc, and a xbox one
power board, an xbox one, games
for the xbox, and a controller.
From Aaron


Fun & Games




Letters to Santa 2021

Richardson Elementary School Mrs. Vincent, 3rd grade


Dear Santa,
 I have been very good this year.
 I have done these nice things:
 I helped my mom clean the house.
 I helped my dad wash the car.
 My Christmas wishes are
 I hope my mom can go to work.
 I hope my dad can go to work.
 I hope you enjoy the cookies
 Love,
 Sydney




Dear Santa, I have been very good this year.
 I have done these nice things: take the dog out in the mornings.
 My Christmas wishes are
 a phone.
 Love,
 Ryder




Dear Santa,
 I have been very good this year.
 I have done these nice things:
 I want to not eat.
 I want a Barbie doll.
 I want a doll house.
 Love,
 Toria




Dear Santa,
 I have been very good this year.
 I have done these nice things:
 I helped my mom clean the house.
 I helped my dad wash the car.
 My Christmas wishes are
 I hope my mom can go to work.
 I hope my dad can go to work.
 I hope you enjoy the cookies
 Love,
 Noah




Dear Santa,
 I have been very good this year.
 I clean my room.
 I let my dog out.
 I clean my table for my mom.
 I hope my wishes come true.
 I hope my mom can go to work.
 I hope my dad can go to work.
 Love,
 Faith




Dear Santa, I have been very good this year.
 I have done these nice things:
 I helped my mom clean the house.
 I helped my dad wash the car.
 My Christmas wishes are:
 A Nintendo Switch. I wish I could run as fast as Ava.
 I wish I had a light up skateboard and moose.
 I hope you enjoy the cookies and milk!
 Love,
 Noah




Dear Santa,
 I have been very good this year.
 I have done these nice things:
 I helped my mom clean the house.
 I helped my dad wash the car.
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 I helped my dad wash the car.
 My Christmas wishes are:
 I wish I had a light up skateboard and moose.
 I hope you enjoy the cookies and milk!
 Love,
 Noah




Letters to Santa 2021

Richardson Elementary School

Mrs. Vincent, 3rd grade


Dear Santa,

Dear santa I have been very good. This year I have done these nice things. My Christmas wishes are. I hope that I get a tablet for Christmas this year. I hope you enjoy the cookies and milk love Taylor




Dear Santa,

I have been very good this year. I have done these nice things. TAKE MY DOG OUT. help do the launders. I'm nice to people. My Christmas wishes are. Chere wedges. MAKE MY FAMILY happy. Make my animals happy. I hope you enjoy the cookies and milk. Love Aubree




Dear Santa,

Dear Santa I have been very good this year! I have done these nice things. I've taken my dog out. I've cleaned my room. So I hope my Christmas wishes are Nascar toys PS3 PS4 PS5 XBOX. I hope you enjoy the cookies and milk. Love Whitney





Dear Santa,

I have been very good this year! This is what I have done nice: I cleaned my room. said please and thank you. I brushed my teeth a lot. My Christmas wishes are: new hover board because mine broke so I want a new one, google eyes game, and last but not least a coten candy cutie. I hope you enjoy the milk and cookies and milk. Love, Enley




Dear Santa,

I have been very good this year! I have done these nice things. I cleaned my room and did the dishes and helped my sister with her homework. My Christmas wishes are a softball bag and a computer and my family to be happy. I hope you enjoy the cookies and milk. Love Ava Banks



Dear Santa,

I have been very good this year. I have done these nice things. take my dog out. Clean my room. help my class mates. My Christmas wishes are my brother's computer game. guitar and a dog toy. I hope you enjoy the cookies and milk love Enley



Letters to Santa 2021

Lincoln Elementary School Mrs. Bothell, 3rd grade

Dear Santa
 My name is Roberto, I am 9 years old. I live in Iowa. I have been trying to be good this year. I have:
 • Took out the trash
 • cleaned my room
 • And Don my chops
 this is what I want for Christmas
 • Drunkle
 • Nerf gun
 • binocular

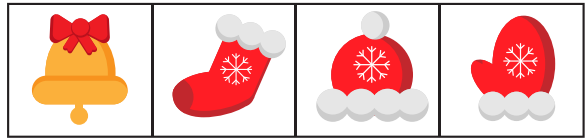
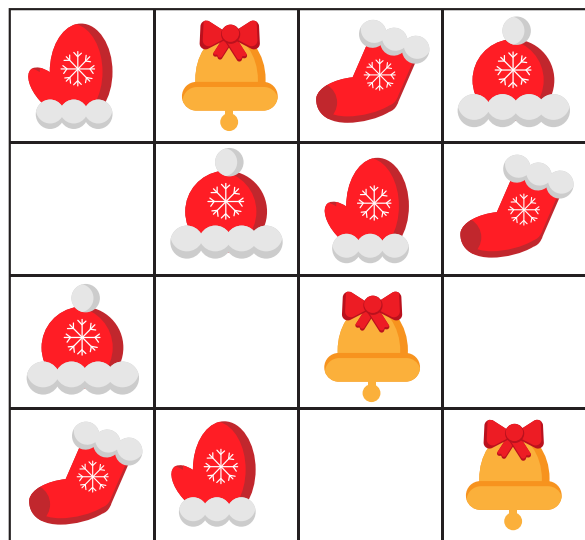
Dear Santa,
 My name is Logan. I am 9 years old. I live in Iowa. I have been trying to be very good this year. I have:
 • Pic up
 • I listen to the teachers
 • I play & draw
 what I would like most this year is:
 • binoculars
 I will leave you a treat of cookies and milk.
 Love,
 Logan z. o

Dear Santa By Jaxon
 I am 8 years old. I live Iowa. I have been trying to be very good this year. I want a electric scooter. I will leave you a treat of candy canes and milk. I help my mom and do chores
 Love
 Jaxon
 L-V

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By Jaxon

Dear Santa,
 I am 8 years old. I live in Iowa. I have been trying to be very good this year. I want a electric scooter.
 I will leave you a treat of candy canes and milk
 I help my mom and do chores
 Love,
 Jaxon



Dear Santa,
 My name is Hunter, I am 8 years old. I live in Iowa. I have been trying to be very good this year. I help with the groceries. I do by work I try not to yell at my sister. I want Pokemon Mothering Heights and Dog man for whom the bar rolls and Dog man Crime and Punishment by Dav Pirkey. A Chrome book app.
 Love!!
 Hunter

Dear Santa
 My name is Ephraim I am 2 years old. I live in Iowa. I have been trying to be good this year. I have:
 • to write
 • to help my mom and dad
 • to help my dad and mom
 What I like most this year
 • core beans
 • barbecue
 • LOL toy
 I will leave you a treat of cookies
 Love E. ni Saha
 E??

Dear Santa
 My name is Aedan. I am 9 years old. I live in Iowa. I have been trying to be very good this year. I have:
 •
 •
 What I would like most this year is: Proton Puke
 • cosmow
 • new phone
 • sticky notes
 I will leave you a treat of cookies and milk
 Love
 Aedan

Dear Santa
 My name is Gerald. I am 9 years old. I live in Iowa. I have done good. I want a tablet/computer. I want a jet drag. I want Minecraft Ironman video game. Santa I can't wait to see you. I would give you cookies. What's your favorite cookies?
 Love,
 Gerald

Letters to Santa 2021

Lincoln Elementary School Mrs. Bothell, 3rd grade

Dear Santa

My name is Jazz. I am 9 years old. I live in Iowa. I have been very good this year.

- I helped my mom clean
- I helped my class clean up the room
- I persevered when writing a paragraph

What I would like this year

- Pug
- Roblox
- Books
- Volleyball

I will give you a treat of cookies and milk

Love, Jazz

Dear Santa,

My name is Jazlyn. I am 9 years old. I live in Iowa. I have been very good this year.

- I helped my mom clean
- I helped my class clean up the room
- I persevered when writing a paragraph

What I would like the most this year is:

- Roblox for a game
- Books
- Volleyball
- Pug
- Stickers
- Bugles

I will give you a treat of cookies and milk

Love, Jazlyn

Dear Santa,

My name is Lauren. I am 9 years old. I live in Fort Madison Iowa. I have been very good this year. What I have done good this year is help clean up, listened and been kind. What I want for Christmas is fidgets, jewelry making kit, baby sitter club books.

I will give you a treat of cookies and milk

Love, Lauren

Dear Santa,

My name is Lauren. I am 9 years old. I live in Fort Madison Iowa. I have been very good this year. What I have done good this year is help clean up, listened and been kind. What I want for Christmas is fidgets, jewelry making kit, baby sitter club books. Love, Lauren

Dear Santa,

My name is Boss. I am 9 years old. I live in Iowa. I have been very good this year.

- I have help my mom carry groceries
- I have been very good to my friends
- I listen to my mom and dad

What I would like most this year is:

- Xbox One
- World Peace
- Jewelry buddy to have a home

I will give you a treat of cookies

Love, Boss

Bryan 3w

Dear Santa,

My name is Bryan. I am 9 years old. I live in Iowa, Fort Madison. I have been trying to be good this year.

- I took out the dog
- I try to not be lazy
- I wear my mask every night

What I want for Christmas is:

- A leash for my dog
- A balance toy for my dog
- A new Stadio OH
- Battle bots
- Little boy's station
- A new box luncher
- New Hot Wheels track
- Hot wheels

I will give you a glass of milk

I love you Bryan

Santa can you wake me up to help you?

Angel 3w

Dear Santa,

My name is Angel. I am 9 years old. I live in Iowa. I have been trying to be very good this year. I have:

- I help my mom do things.
- I write a Camperone.
- I use a tablet

I will give you a treat of ice cream.

Love, Angel

Ryder 3w

Dear Santa,

My name is Ryder. I am 9 years old. I live in Iowa. I have been trying to be very good this year. I have:

- I cleaned my room.
- I fed cats

What would I like most this year is:

- Dog Man Books
- Legos
- Pine Toys
- Transformers

I will give you a treat of cookies and milk.

Love, Ryder

Aurora 3w


Dear Santa,

My name is Aurora. I am 9 years old. I live in the State. I have been good. I have help me mom clean. What I would like a skabod and sun diary of a Pug and a blue tooth hover board. I will give a treat.


Love, Aurora.

Letters to Santa 2021


Lincoln Elementary School Mrs. Johnson, 3rd grade




Dear Santa,
 CAN I get a comp? THIS YEAR CAN I get a 1000 Peice LEGO set? MY WISH IS THAT MY LEGO SET IS A FORD PICKUP! MY OTHER WISH IS I WISH CHRISMAS to START ALL over AGAIN AND get the the same PRESENTS again! P.S IVE BEEN Reley good! © I REley WANT AN IPHONE 13. FROM JESSE.



Dear Santa,
 I want lego kit long set. Sincerely yours
 Zayne




Dear Santa,
 MY SCHOOL year has been great MY favorite color is orange and I want a stuffed animal flamingo and I also want a ps4 and legos a big set of legos and a stuffed animal giraffe and some clothes and a flamingo poster and flamingo pillow and a poppet from AZEN to SANTA please LOVE AZEN good bye.




Dear Santa,
 I would like a lego car, RC drone ram, and anything from nerf, a hover board a farm set and a night light and some snow pants and snow boots. FLOA AIDEN



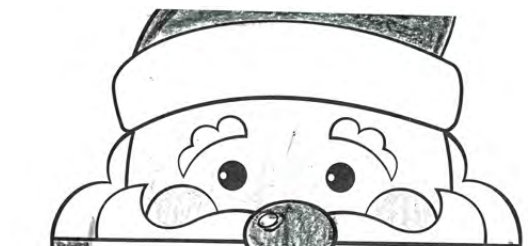
Dear Santa,
 I want 50 flamingo
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 I want 50 rufanial
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 and play station
 5 for my dogs
 chreats and dog toys
 and fluffy blanket
 love Rhett schinstock
 Rsett



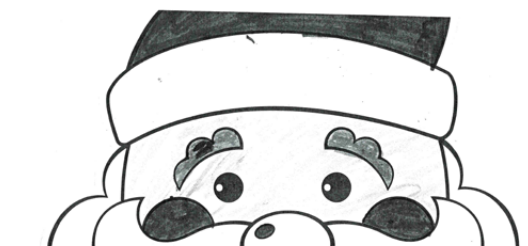
Dear Santa, Tanner
 I want art store for christmas. And also I want a good year. I want a pet or stars animal flamingo for christmas and a dirt bike. I want a ton of rock guns, and a die cart for riding. I go most. Thank you so much.



Dear Santa, Kara
 I want a ps5 with all good games, and a pet Fluffy, and a box of wheels and a 1090 set, and a 23 pack of pokemon, and an iPhone 13. I Love



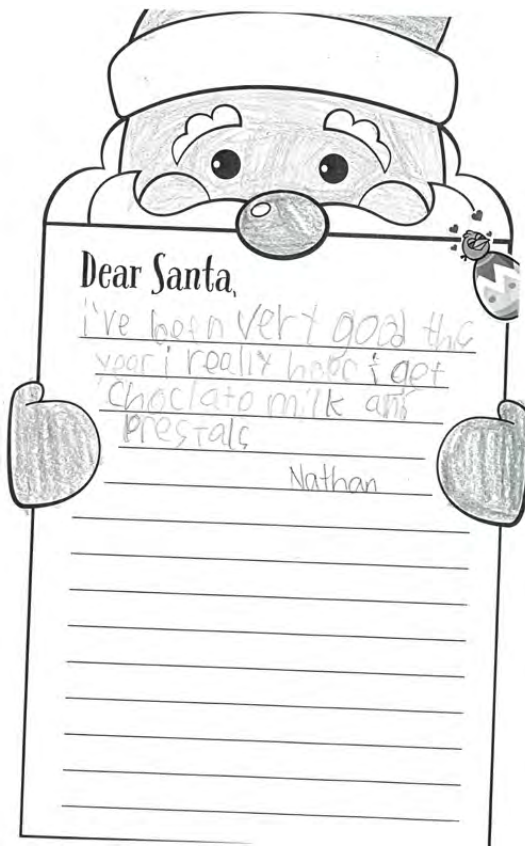
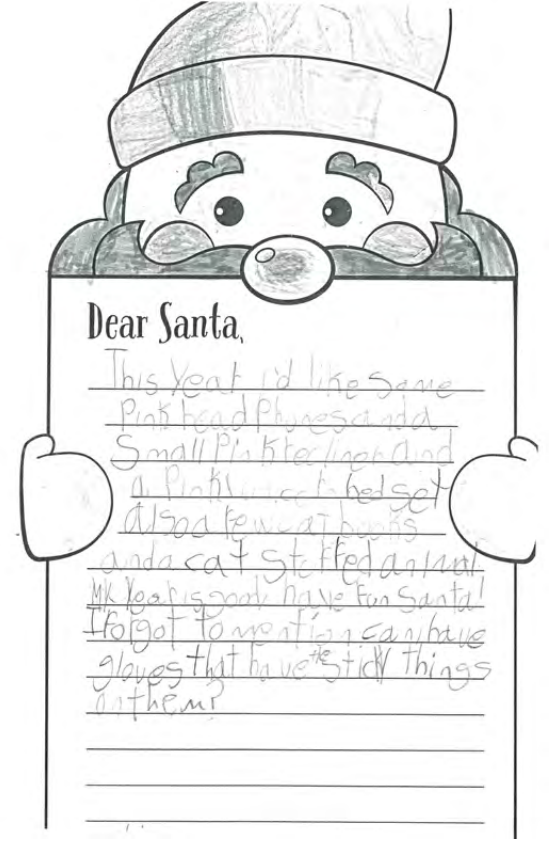
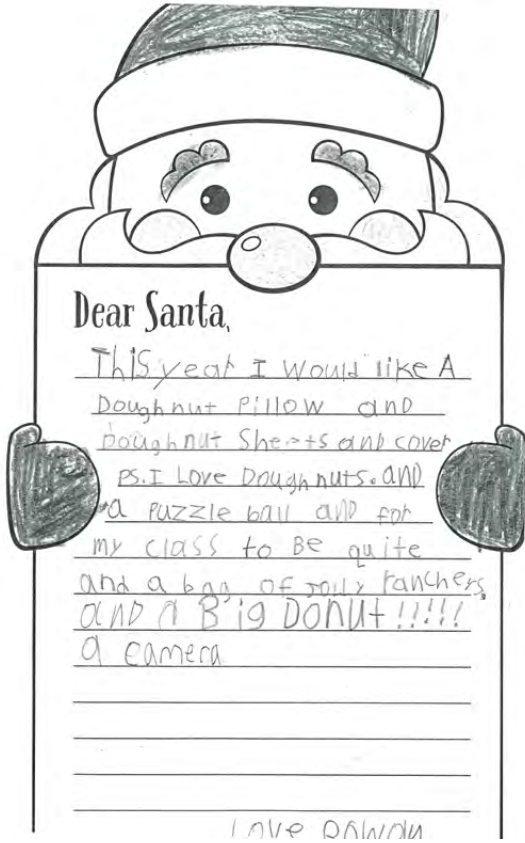
Dear Santa,
 I would really appreciate it if you gave 100 dollars to every child in the world for christmas. Please do it if you can. From River to Santa Claus M



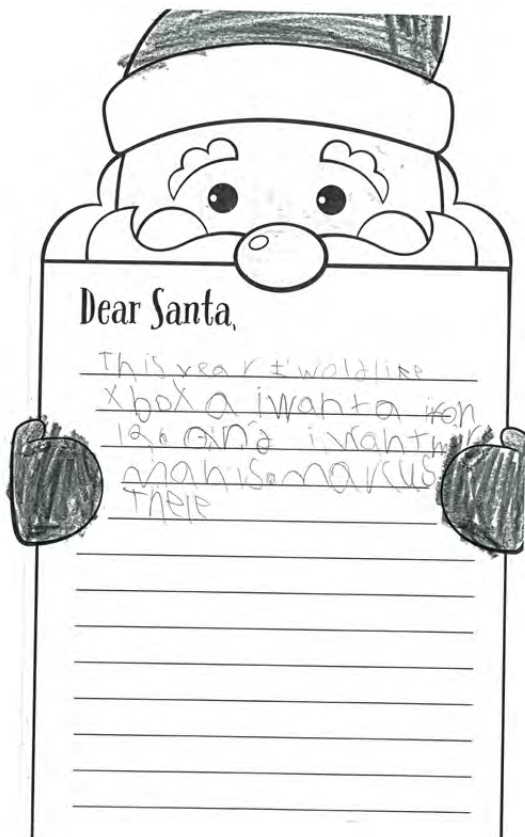
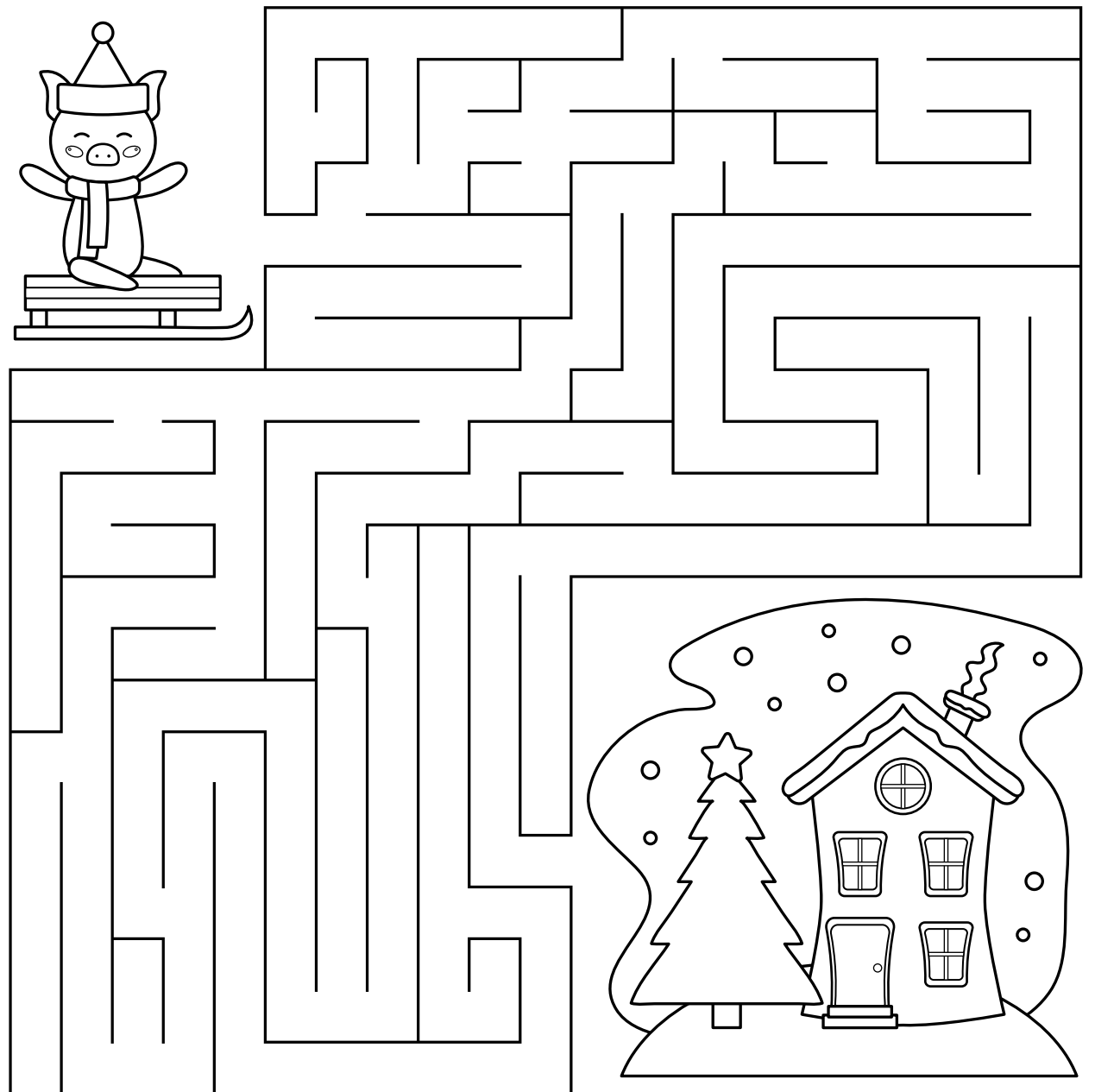
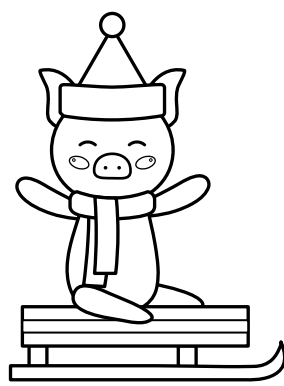
Dear Santa,
 I want a bag and a I SURVIVED BOOK and a POKEMON CARD and a baby boy.
 Love,
 Colton Wykert

Letters to Santa 2021

Lincoln Elementary School Mrs. Johnson, 3rd grade

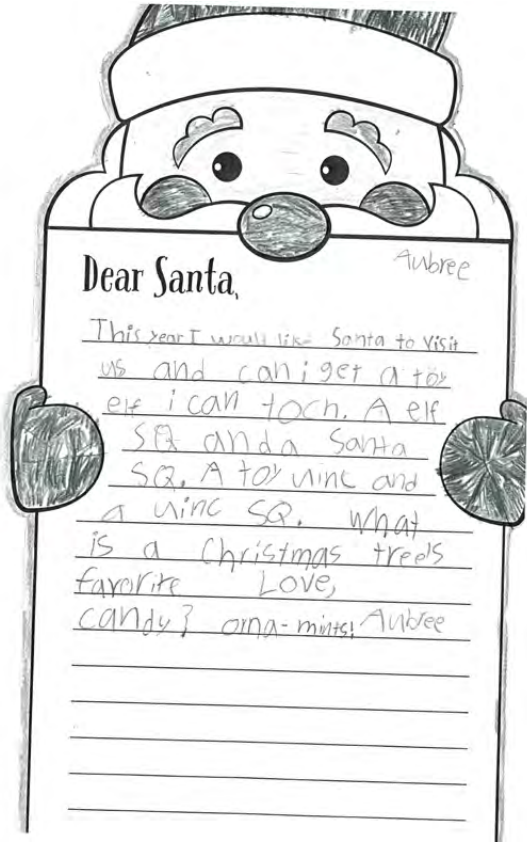
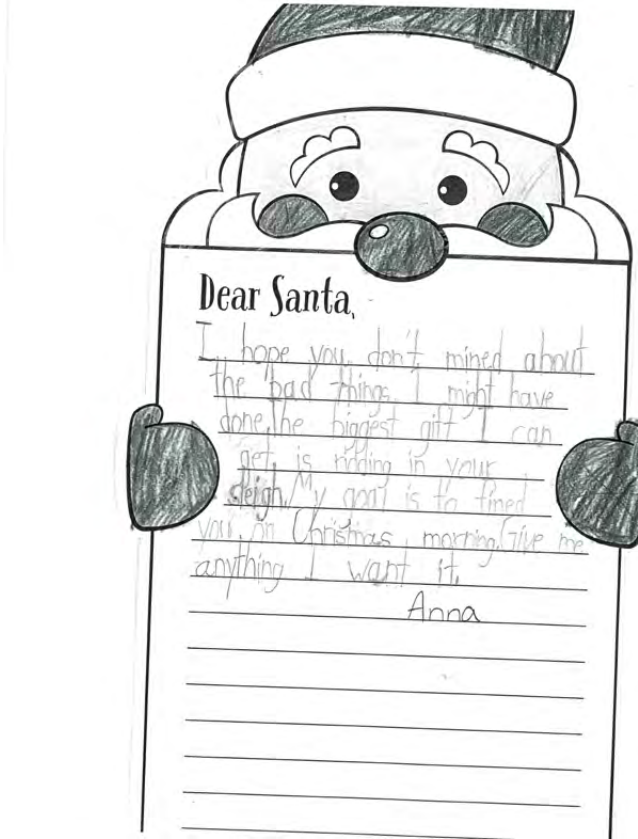
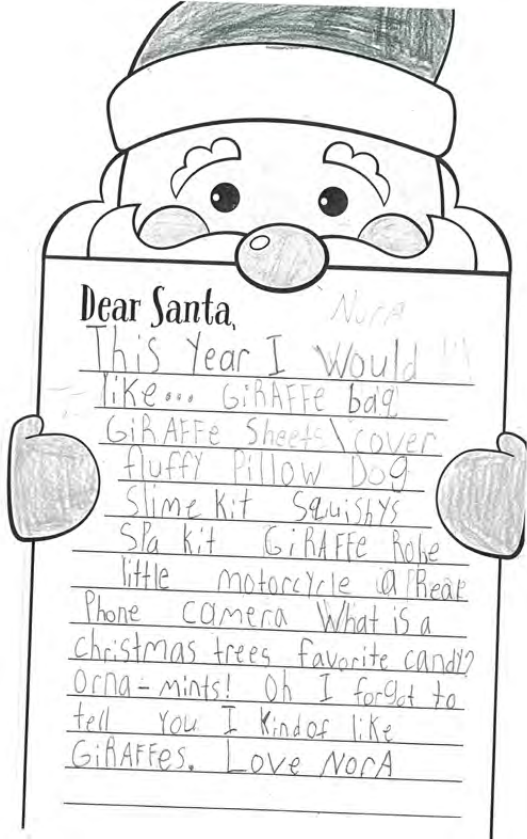


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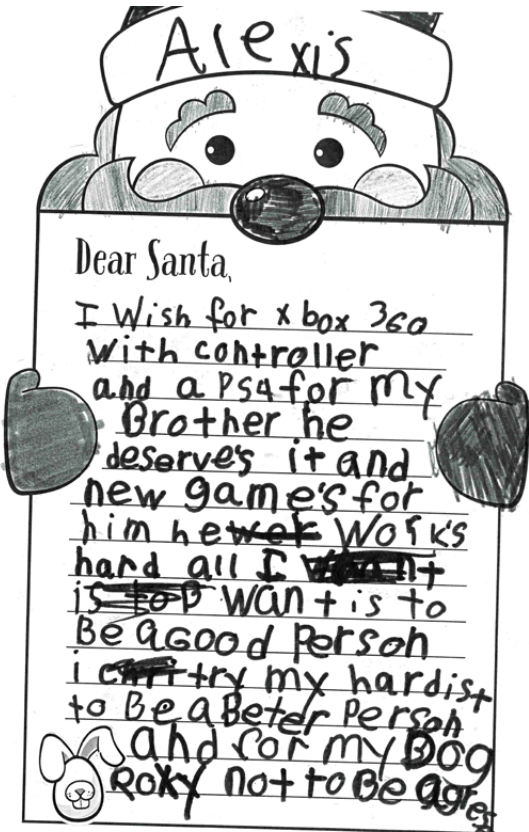
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Lincoln Elementary School Mrs. Johnson, 3rd grade



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PUZZLE TIME Find two same presents



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Letters to Santa 2021

Richardson Elementary School Mrs. Larson, 3rd grade

Dear Santa,
 DEAR SANTA I have done
 this year's my Christmas list
 do not set.
 LOVE LOVE TAE LYNN




Dear Santa,
 I have been very good this year.
 I have done these nice things
 I did the laundry my Christmas
 wish is a Bike and I hope you
 like the cookies and milk!
 Love
 winter




Dear Santa,
 I have been very good this
 year I have done these nice
 things I help my sister wash
 the dishes I help my stepdad
 take out the trash I fed
 my dogs. My Christmas wish
 is a Fort Night + Nerf gun
 I hope you enjoy the cookies
 and milk

Love,
 Brantley




Dear Santa,
 Dear Santa - I have been very good this
 year I have done these nice
 things: Me and my mom played cheer
 Played Foot ball and basket balls
 This we will in the bus to play
 games. I wish for basketball
 hoop.

Love
 Deante




Dear Santa,
 I have been good this year!
 I have done these nice things
 helped my cousins
 played with my Dad
 been nice to my sister
 my Christmas wish is
 Hawk eye stuff
 I hope you enjoy the cookies and milk!

Love
 Quinten




Dear Santa,
 I have very good this year I
 have done these nice things I
 helped my Mom with the house,
 I made bracelets for my family,
 I helped friends my Christmas
 list is VR. I hope you enjoy the
 Cookies and Milk

Your friend
 Madison








Dear Santa,
 I have been very good this
 year I have done these nice
 things: feed dogs help
 pay attention to my teacher
 brush my teeth to get
 a great grade I hope you
 enjoy the cookies and
 milk

Love
 Karen



HOW MANY?



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Richardson Elementary School

Ms. Larson, 3rd grade

Dear Santa,

I have been very good this year! I have done these nice things: took the dogs outside, I cleaned my room, help mom getting up the christmas decorations my christmas wish is a Harry potter play set. I hope you enjoy the milk and cookies.


Love
Drew



Dear Santa,

i have been very good this year! I have done these nice things: love my family, i love animals, i love MY Friends and MY teacher. MY christmas wish is to have a music set. I hope you enjoy the milk and cookies!

Love
AUBRY




Dear Santa,

i have been very good this year! I have done these nice things

Feed my cats
make the tabel
my christmas wish is a play wach i hope you enjoy the cookies and milk


Your friend
Abraham



Dear Santa,

I have been very good this year! I have done these nice things: I have fed my pets and had the dishes clean my room. MY christmas wish is a New phone. I hope you enjoy the milk and cookies!


Love
TAYLOR



Dear Santa, Melki

I have been very good this year! I have done these nice things: Fed the cat wash the dishes give the ball to my brother. MY Christmas wish is a ps. I hope you like the cookies and milk love you!


Love your friend
Melki



Dear Santa,

I have been very good this year! I have done these nice things: help mom feed my birds help mom feed my dog help mom feed my cats my christmas wish is a dog I hope you enjoy the cookies and milk I love you Santa my name is

Leah
Leah
Blanchard




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Fun & Games

