

December Language Arts Homework

Note: You DO NOT have to do the activities in order. Simply write the number of the activity you choose to do with your child in the sign-off box with your initials.

1. Read a Christmas story. Look for word wall words. Can you write down the first ten that you see?
2. Name five words that rhyme with "tree."
3. Retell the Gingerbread Man story. How could you change it so that the ending was different? Write it down.
4. Find three things each in your home that start with "ch-" , "sh-" "th-" and "wh-" Write them down.
5. Write the alphabet down. Make a pattern (capital, capital, lower case, etc.). Now circle all of the vowels.
6. Read a book about winter. Write down your two favorite things that you like about winter. Bonus: Do you know when winter begins in December?
7. Say and clap your first and last name. How many claps (syllables) do you have in all?
8. Look at a calendar. Write down all the months of the year. Circle the month of your birthday.
9. Read the following "silent or bossy e" words and explain the rule to someone in your family: bone, cake, gate, home, tube, robe, mule, late.
10. Give the antonym (opposite) for the following words: night, hot, black, soft, hungry, boy, happy, wet, clean. Can you think of three on your own?
11. Make a sentence using six word wall words. Can you do another one doing six different words?
12. Write a Christmas card to someone you love.
13. Write down the words to your favorite Christmas song. Sing it with someone in your family.
14. Write down two memories of past Christmas holidays and illustrate them.
15. Practice finding words with "l" blends (fl-, gl- etc.) and "-nd" or "-nk" or "nt" blends in labels.

