



Homework due Thursday, December 7

Holiday Traditions



The holidays are just around the corner!
What traditions do you and your family follow?
Here is what we came up with as a class this year.

Get a live tree
Decorate a tree
Hang stockings
Put a star or angel on a tree
Bake and eat cookies
Go to church on Christmas Eve
Go to grandparent's house
Put a train around the tree
Wrap, give and open presents
Buy new Christmas clothes
Watch football
Elf on the shelf comes
Listen to Christmas stories
Listen to Christmas music

Keep an advent calendar
Make/put up a Christmas village
Have Christmas dinner
Hang candy canes
Put up lights outside
Make a gingerbread house/cookies
Make and hang ornaments
Hang a wreath
Set up a nativity
Set out cookies and milk for Santa
Sing Christmas carols
Light the snowman decoration
Shop for Christmas presents

Ask your parents to help you write a paragraph describing some of your family holiday traditions. Then sketch lightly in pencil a picture of one or more of these traditions. We will paint these with watercolors in class on Thursday. We will put both the pictures and paragraphs on the bulletin board.

Since this is something I would like you to take your time with and do an extra nice job, this assignment replaces your reading for Tuesday and Wednesday night (except for your fluency 1 minute reading.)

Be prepared to share with the class your holiday traditions. This assignment is due Thursday, but we will start to share as soon as students return their picture and paragraph.

Parents, thanks for your help!

