**Christmas Key Vocabulary: Junior Infants**

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| **Nouns** | **Verbs** | **Adjectives** | **Adverbs** |
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| Christmas Santa Claustoyschildren | DecemberNorth Pole | elves reindeeer | likemakecomeget  | wishwrite | givereceive | redgreenwhiteblackbig | busyniceround | naughtymagical | veryready | busilynearly | usuallyalmost |
| **Statements** |
| B | C | S |
| Santa Claus is nice. | Children get lots of toys at Christmas. | Santa’s elves are working busily at the North Pole. |
| He has a red suit. | Santa lives in the North Pole. | Christmas is a magical season. |

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**Christmas Key Vocabulary: Senior Infants**

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| Christmas Santa ClaustoyschildrenDecemberNorth Pole | elves reindeerpresentslist | gifts  | likemakecomegetwishwrite | givereceivewrap | unwrap | redgreenwhiteblackbigroundbusynice | naughtymagical | excited | veryreadybusilynearly | usuallyalmost | special |
| **Statements** |
| B | C | S |
| Christmas is coming. | Christmas is nearly here. | Santa’s elves are working busily at the North Pole. |
| Santa is getting ready | Santa’s workshop is a busy place. | Christmas is a magical season. |

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**Christmas Key Vocabulary: First Class**

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| Christmas Santa ClaustoysDecemberNorth Poleelves reindeerpresentslist | giftswinter | chimney | likemakecomegetwishwritegivereceivewrap  | unwraplovevisit | share | redgreenwhiteblackbigroundbusynicenaughtymagical | excitedjollymerry  | wonderful | veryreadybusilynearlyusuallyalmost | specialearlyreally | excitedly |
| **Statements** |
| B | C | S |
| Christmas is in December. | Children love to visit Santa.  | Santa usually comes down the chimney. |
| Santa Claus lives in the North Pole.  | Children write a wish list. | Children excitedly unwrap gifts that they have received. |

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**Christmas Key Vocabulary: Second Class**

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| B | C | S | B | C | S | B | C | S | B | C | S |
| Christmas Santa ClaustoysDecemberNorth Poleelves reindeerpresentslistgiftswinter | chimneydecorationscandleslights | garlandtinsel  | likemakecomegetwishwritegivereceivewrapunwraplovevisit  | sharedecorateswitch on | celebrate | redgreenwhiteblackbigroundbusynicenaughtymagicalexcitedjollymerry  | wonderfulshinybright | shimmering | veryreadybusilynearlyusuallyalmostspecialearlyreally | excitedlygenerally | delightfully |
| **Statements** |
| B | C | S |
| Christmas is in December. | Children love to visit Santa. | Santa usually comes down the chimney. |
| Santa Claus lives in the North Pole. | Children write a wish list. | Children excitedly unwrap gifts that they have received. |

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**Christmas Key Vocabulary: Third Class**

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| **Nouns** | **Verbs** | **Adjectives** | **Adverbs** |
| B | C | S | B | C | S | B | C | S | B | C | S |
| Christmas Santa ClaustoysDecemberNorth Poleelves reindeerpresentslistgiftswinterchimneydecorationscandleslights | garlandtinselangelsfamily | occasionornaments  | likemakecomegetwishwritegivereceivewrapunwraplovevisitsharedecorateswitch on  | celebrateshinegather  | rejoiceexchangeadorn | redgreenwhiteblackbigroundbusynicenaughtymagicalexcitedjollymerrywonderfulshinybright | shimmeringtwinkling | religiousflicker | veryreadybusilynearlyusuallyalmostspecialearlyreallyexcitedlygenerally | delightfullytogether | cheerfullysweetly |
| **Statements** |
| B | C | S |
| Christmas is a very magical time of the year. | Christmas is an occasion to celebrate with family and friends. | Bright decorations adorn our house. |
| People exchange gifts. | Children love to unwrap the gifts they have received. | Families rejoice as they gather together to celebrate this magical season. |

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**Christmas Key Vocabulary: Fourth Class**

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| Christmas Santa ClaustoysDecemberNorth Poleelves reindeerpresentslistgiftswinterchimneydecorationscandleslightsgarlandtinselangelsfamily | occasionornamentstradition | Nativityreunion | likemakecomegetwishwritegivereceivewrapunwraplovevisitsharedecorateswitch oncelebrateshinegather  | rejoiceexchangeadorn | re-unite | redgreenwhiteblackbigroundbusynicenaughtymagicalexcitedjollymerrywonderfulshinybrightshimmeringtwinkling | religiousflickerlovely | Holymagnificent | veryreadybusilynearlyusuallyalmostspecialearlyreallyexcitedlygenerallydelightfullytogether | cheerfullysweetlytraditionally | daintilyeagerly |
| **Statements** |
| B | C | S |
| . Christmas is a very magical time of the year. | Christmas is an occasion to celebrate with family and friends. | Bright decorations adorn our house |
| People exchange gifts | Children love to unwrap the gifts they have received. | Families rejoice as they gather together to celebrate this magical season |

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**Christmas Key Vocabulary: Fifth Class**

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| **Nouns** | **Verbs** | **Adjectives** | **Adverbs** |
| B | C | S | B | C | S | B | C | S | B | C | S |
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| **Statements** |
| B | C | S |
| Candles are traditional Christmas ornaments. | Shimmering decorations adorn our house. | Some families organise a reunion where they gather together at Christmas. |

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**Christmas Key Vocabulary: Sixth Class**

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| **Nouns** | **Verbs** | **Adjectives** | **Adverbs** |
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| **Statements** |
| B | C | S |
| Candles are traditional Christmas ornaments. | Shimmering decorations adorn our house. | Some families organise a reunion where they gather together at Christmas. |

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