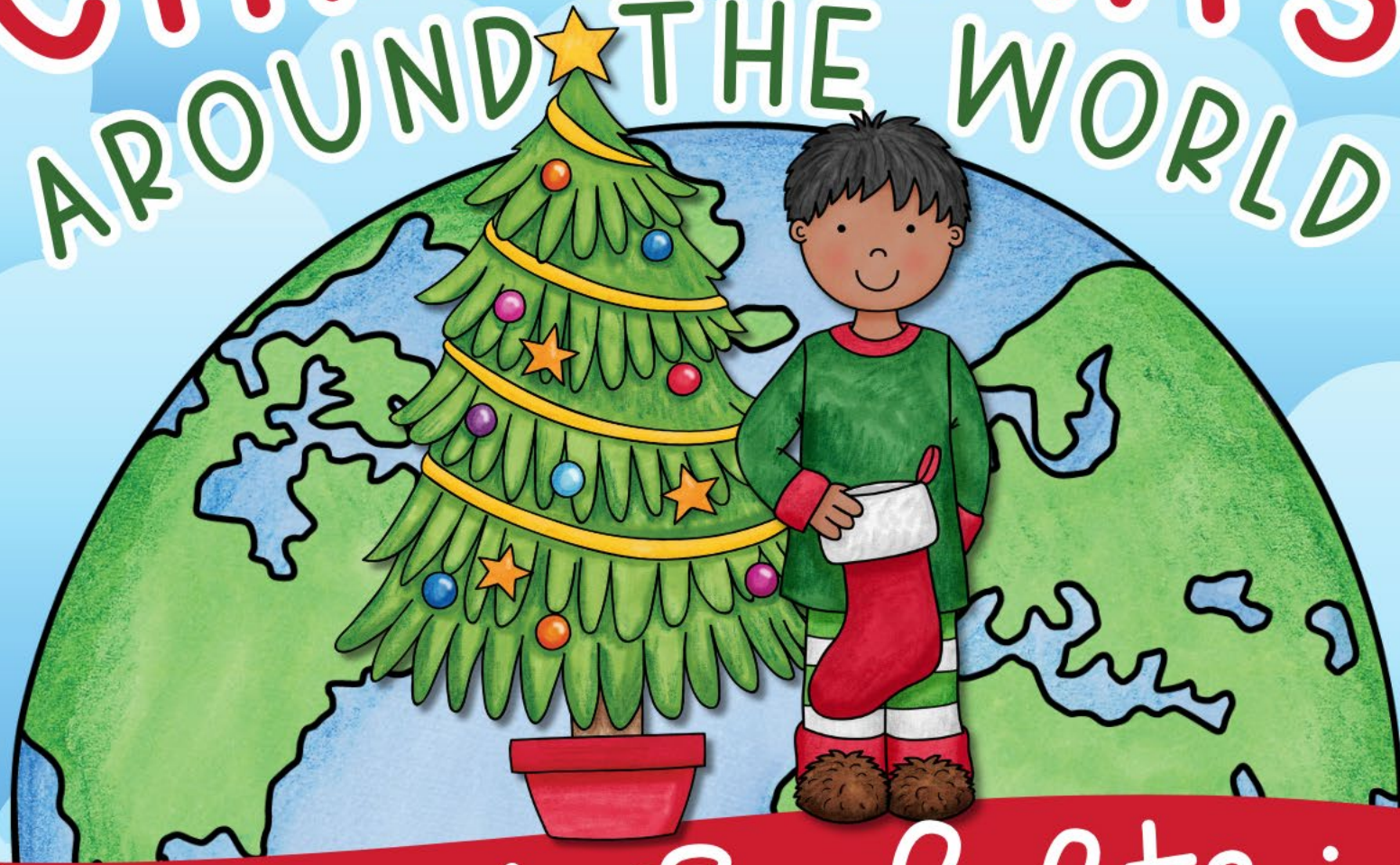


CHRISTMAS AROUND THE WORLD



VIRTUAL Fieldtrip

CELEBRATE CHRISTMAS

Travel to six different countries to learn how people around the world celebrate Christmas. Collect stickers in your suitcase as you go!



INTEGRATIVE READING

Watch read alouds,
read passages, and
complete interactive
questions and activities
to show what you learn
along the way.

The Legend of the Poinsettia

Who is the main character in The Legend of the Poinsettia?

What is the setting of The Legend of the Poinsettia?

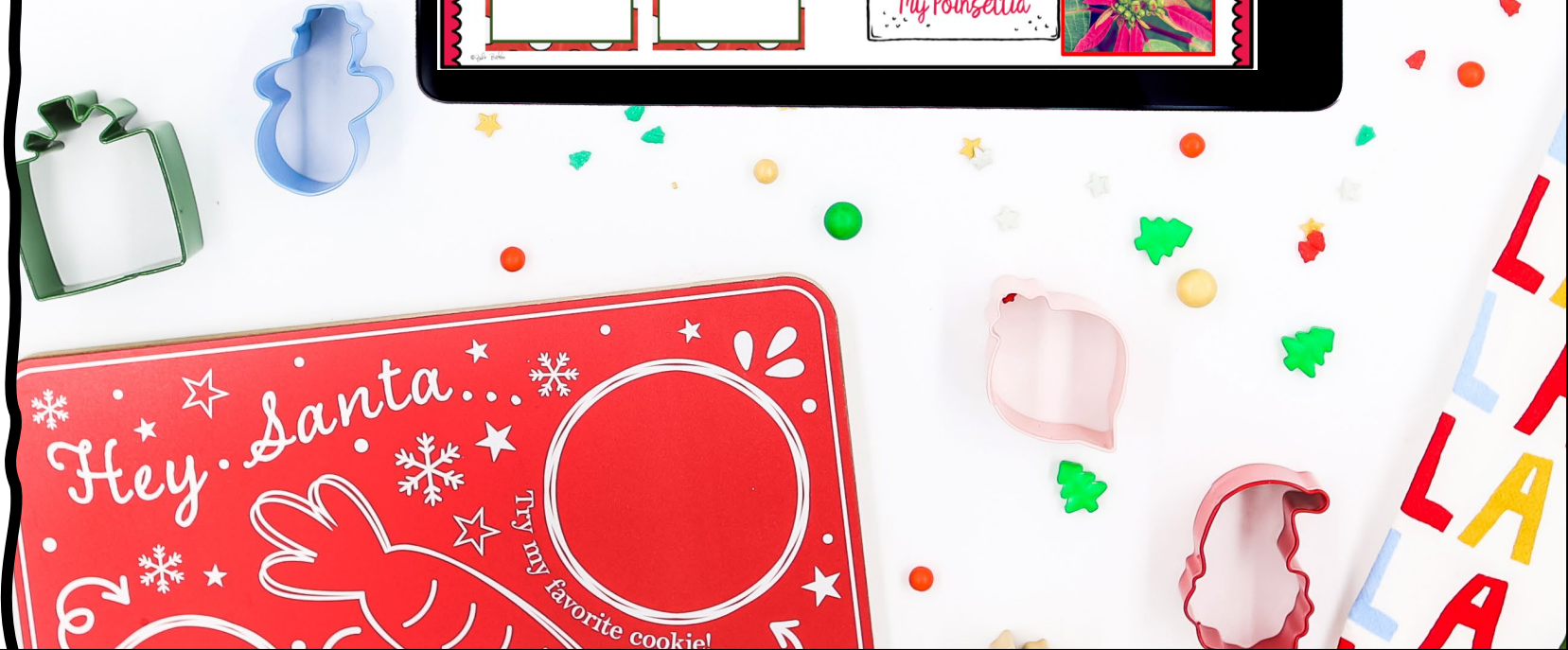
What **problem** does the main character face?

How does the main character **solve** their problem?

Directions: Click the picture to learn how to draw a poinsettia. Then, take a picture of your drawing and upload it to place in the frame below.


My Poinsettia

Back To Suitcase




Candy Canes

Watch the video to learn about the history of candy canes and how they are made. Sequence the steps in making the sweet treats.



1	Candy becomes white.
Add peppermint flavoring.	4
5	6



CROSS CURRICULAR


Videos incorporate social studies and reading skills. Includes standards-based interactive activities.



LEARN ABOUT DIFFERENT CULTURES

Highlights traditions
and celebration of
Christmas around the
world.

Let's Explore!: Germany




Click the picture to explore a German Christmas market.

Write a summary of how Christmas is celebrated in Germany.

Advent is a popular tradition in Germany. There are several different types of Advent calendars used in German homes. These calendars serve as a countdown to Christmas Day.

Another popular element of Christmas in Germany is the tree. The tree is used to keep presents under. Families use German made ornaments to hang from the tree's branches.

Father Christmas comes to visit December 24th.



Let's Explore!: China

Watch a Chinese Lion Dance performed by two dancers. This dance is done in China during all major holidays. The lion brings hope, fortune, and happiness.

China is one country that does not go overboard on Christmas decorations. There are only about one percent of citizens that are Christians. Therefore, most Christmas traditions only take place in major cities. These large cities decorate like the majority of the world with Christmas trees and lights. Santa Claus is known as 'Shen Dan Lao Ren'.

Inside their homes, only a few people have a real Christmas tree. If people do have a tree it is normally a plastic one and might be decorated with paper chains, paper flowers, and paper lanterns.



SOCIAL STUDIES

Explore new places,
learn about diverse
cultures, all while
meeting social studies
standards!

CRITICAL THINKING



Encourages higher-level thinking and meaningful comprehension skills.



Compare & Contrast

Compare and contrast how Australia and another destination of your choice celebrates Christmas. Use details from the video to support your thinking.

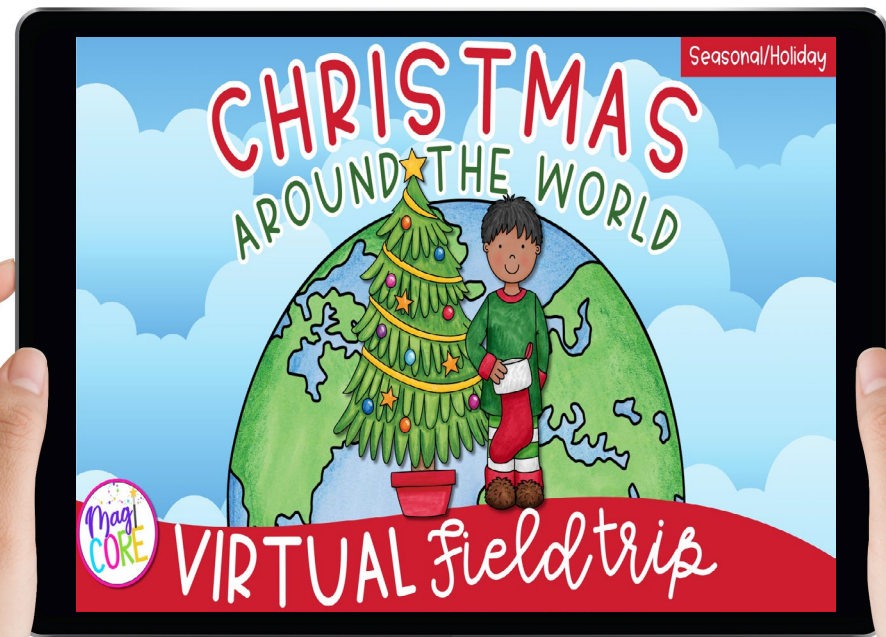
Australia	How are they the same?	



Suggested Uses

- Assign in Google Classroom or SeeSaw
- Whole Class Activity
- Small groups or center
- Early Finisher
- Incentive or Fun Friday

Google Slides and SeeSaw



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VIRTUAL FIELD TRIPS: Social Studies Bundle

The graphic features a wooden signpost with three directional arrows: a purple arrow pointing left labeled 'Titanic', a blue arrow pointing left labeled 'Egypt', and a yellow arrow pointing right labeled 'Boston'. To the right of the signpost is a large screen displaying three virtual field trip thumbnails. The top thumbnail shows a tropical beach with palm trees and the text 'Asia and the Pacific Islands'. The middle thumbnail shows the RMS Titanic ship with the text 'Titanic'. The bottom thumbnail shows a mountain landscape with the text '7 Wonders of the World'. Each thumbnail includes a small image of the product box. A 'Magi CORE' logo is visible in the bottom left corner of the graphic.



Click the picture to preview!