

***Secrets from the North Pole:
Discover the Magic of Christmas***

VOCABULARY

Word	Student-friendly definition
Christmas	a Christian holiday celebrated on December 25 th . It is a time for sending greetings and giving gifts.
Santa	a jolly old fellow who wears a red suit, lives at the North Pole, and brings children presents at Christmas
elves	Santa's small helpers at the North Pole
reindeer	a type of deer. At Christmas, the animals who lead Santa's sleigh
North Pole	the point on the earth that is farther north than anything else in the world. It is very cold at the North Pole.
snow	soft, white pieces of frozen water that fall from the sky like rain
sleigh	an open-air carriage on two runners. The most famous sleigh is the one Santa Claus uses at Christmas.
magic	a special power to make things happen. At Christmas we talk of the magic of Christmas as seen through the eyes of children.
gifts	something you give to someone because of a special occasion such a birthday or the holidays