

PATRON OF READING
NEWSLETTER
with
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Hi everyone! I hope that you enjoy the first issue of the Patron of Reading newsletter. I've included some book recommendations for some fantastic Christmas reads – let me know if you read them or try out any of the activities! It's been a real pleasure to chat with so many of you over the last term and to answer your questions. Have a wonderful break and I look forward to seeing you all in the new year!

Book recommendations for the festive season

Activities for the Holidays

Picture Books



Christmas book/writing activities:

<https://www.meltaylorbessent.com/resources>
<https://www.bonniebridgman.co.uk/work>
<https://authorfy.com/masterclasses/meltaylorbessent>

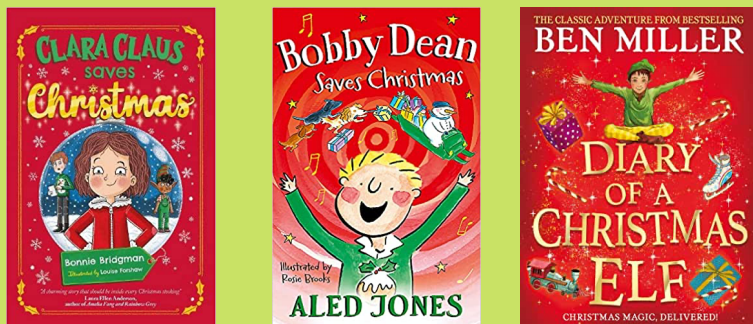
Drawing & Games:

<http://www.robiddulph.com/draw-with-rob>
<https://www.beano.com/categories/games>

Author Readings:

JK Rowling reading the Christmas Pig:
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=rfmenr0OL78>
 Ben Miller on The Christmas Elf:
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=hMc1dWqgJ0w>

Chapter Books for age 6+



Reader Teacher on his top Christmas reads:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=3PbubB467ds>

Creative Writing Prompt

You wake up on Christmas morning and all of the Brussels sprouts have come to life. (Do send me any stories this leads to!)



Chapter Books for age 9+

