

Thank you!

I hope you and your students have so much fun becoming *reading* and *writing* rock stars with this pack!

There are packs available for every month! They increase in difficulty throughout the school year as your students' skills improve.

Students enjoy the routine of these activities and love the monthly themes to fit with the changing seasons.

There are so many ways to implement these activities... whole group, small group, homework or even in literacy centers.

I hope you enjoy this **FREEBIE!**
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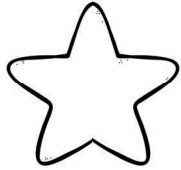
How to use this pack

Your students will read and write like a **rock star!**
My students love the routine of these activities and their confidence grows each month.

Each monthly pack includes themed, high-interest reading and writing activities.

The format stays the same so students know what is expected!

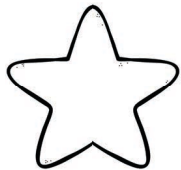
The sentence structure and vocabulary starts very simple and increases in difficulty throughout the school year.



MINI BOOKS

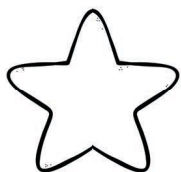
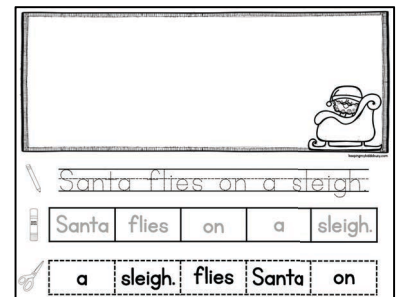


Use whole group or in a literacy center.
Students can read their book, trace the sentences, color the pictures and answer the comprehension page at the back.



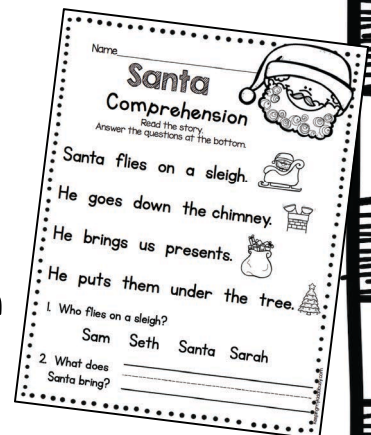
CUT & PASTE SENTENCES

Students read the sentence and trace the words.
Then they cut and paste the words to match and build the sentence correctly.
Finally, students illustrate a picture to match!
Flip the paper over and they write the sentence on their own two times.



COMPREHENSION

Use whole group or in small groups.
I read the passage, then we read it chorally together and finally students practice reading the passage on their own (or with a buddy.) We practice touching each word with our "magic reading finger" as we read.
Then we read and answer the questions together.




BUILD CONFIDENCE


so your students can
read and *write*
like rock stars!


Name _____


Christmas is Coming!
Comprehension

Read the story.
Answer the questions at the bottom.

Jess makes cards. 

Pat wraps presents. 

Nan decorates the tree. 

Fran sings songs. 

Christmas is coming! 

1. What does Jess do? _____ wraps presents _____ makes cards

2. What does _____ do? _____

COMPREHENSION

Four passages included each month (we do one each week.) The vocabulary and theme match the *sentence building worksheets* and *mini readers* to help students build confidence and fluency.


SENTENCE BUILDING


Students trace the sentence and then cut/paste to build the sentence.


Name _____

Write it on your own!
Write the sentence on your own two times.

Start with a CAPITAL
 Lowercase letters
 Use finger spaces
 End with punctuation . ! ?

 Christmas is almost here!

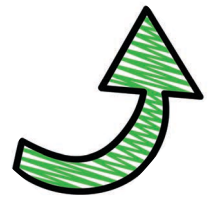
 Christmas is almost here!

 is here! almost Christmas

Name _____

Write it on your own!
Write the sentence on your own two times.

This helps with so many writing and CAP skills!
Finally, students illustrate a picture to match.
Flip over and students write the sentence two times on their own (copy these pages front to back.)



MINI READERS

Christmas is Coming

Name _____


Jess makes cards.


Pat wraps presents.


Nan decorates the tree.

What does Jess do?




What does Pat do?




Your students will love these mini readers! The vocabulary matches the *sentence building* and *comprehension* pages too!
Seeing the same words and pictures on three different activities helps build reading confidence quickly!
These are perfect for a literacy center or in small groups.
The last page has comprehension questions (optional.)

Santa



Name _____

Santa



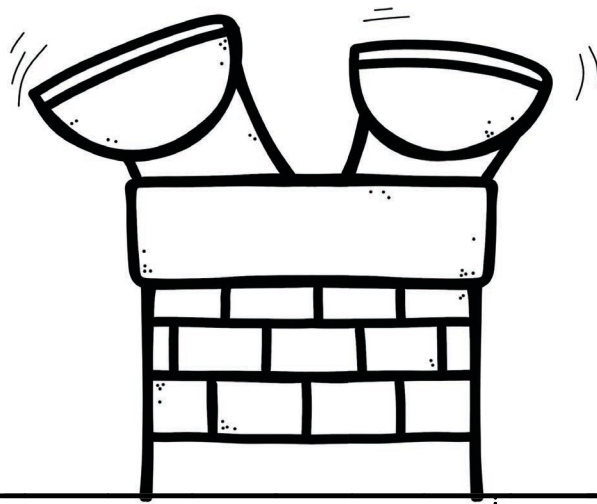
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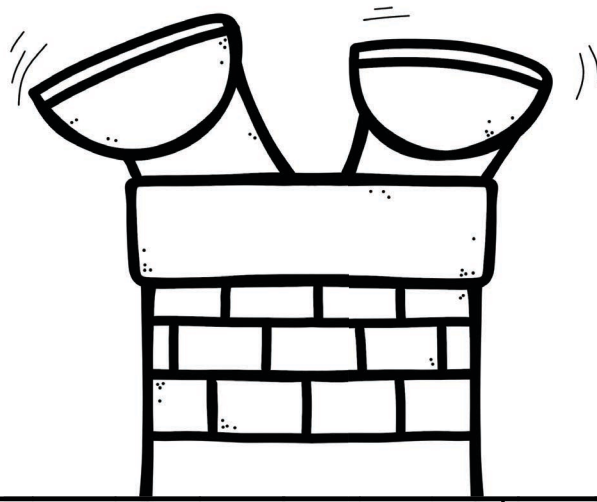
Santa flies on a sleigh



Santa flies on a sleigh



He goes down
the chimney.



He goes down
the chimney.



He brings us presents.



He brings us presents.



He puts them
under the tree.



He puts them
under the tree.

I see a

_____ ●

I see a

_____ ●

What does Santa fly on?

car fan sleigh bed

What does he bring us?

He puts presents under the...

table tree top

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Name _____

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December

Day 8

Syllables Gap the syllables in each word. Circle how many each word has.

1	2	3	4
1	2	3	4
1	2	3	4

Sight Words Trace it, Spell it, Write it.

and

Phonics Write the missing sound. Color the pictures that have the same first sound.

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a m
a t

Geometry Trace and color each shape. Then write the shape's name.

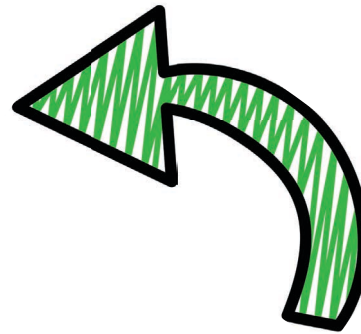
square

Numbers Write the number. Fill in that many on the ten frame.

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How many? Count and color the objects. Write how many in the box.

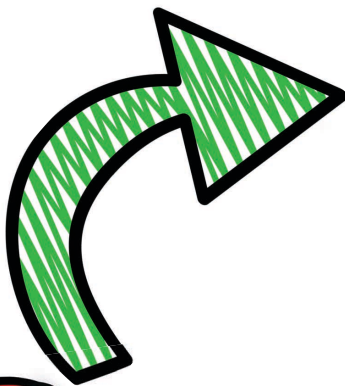
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December Morning Work

Need NO PREP **math** and **ELA** activities
for the month of December?



CHRISTMAS
Sequencing Worksheet

Name _____

CHRISTMAS Sequencing

Read the passage.
Cut & paste the words in the correct order.

First, we set out milk and cookies.
Next, Santa came down the chimney.
Then, he filled our stockings.
Finally, he put presents under the tree!

First	Next	Then	Finally
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CHRISTMAS
Count & Compare

Name _____

COUNT Compare & Write

Count each object and write the number in the correct box.

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CHRISTMAS
Count & Compare

Name _____

SORTING Word Families

Cut out the words and paste them under the correct sign.

at

ig

dig
cat
wig
hat
mat
big

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