

## The Children's University Christmas Challenge 2015

Remember to ask permission from an adult before starting an activity.

<b>1</b> Read <i>The Night Before Christmas</i> and write a Christmas poem and decorate the page	<b>2</b> Learn a new Christmas Carol and sing it for us	<b>3</b> Make your own wrapping paper and labels
<b>4</b> Look up 5 facts about reindeer and use them to make a poster	<b>5</b> Find information about the WW1 Christmas Day truce (football game) and write a summary	<b>6</b> Make a Christmas ornament/decoration
<b>7</b> Find out who is present in a 'Nativity' scene and draw it or recreate it with dressed up toys or family members	<b>8</b> Create a Christmas pop-up card	<b>9</b> Bake mince pies or biscuits for Father Christmas. Write out your recipe and how you made them.
<b>10</b> Research how another country celebrates Christmas	<b>11</b> Watch a Christmas film and write a film review	<b>12</b> Make a calendar for 2016, featuring key dates

You'll earn 1 hour of CU Learning in your *Passport To Learning* for each activity that you complete.

Please note that, if your local CU has its own Christmas Challenge, you can only earn hours for taking part in one of the Challenges (i.e. this one or the local one), rather than both.

Remember that your school teacher (or your local Children's University Manager if you have an individual membership) will need some evidence that you have completed these activities. On the next page, we've listed the evidence that they will need for each of the activities.





Here are some ideas for the evidence you could submit for each of the activities:

1	Show your poem to your teacher or email a photo of it/post it to your CU Manager.
2	Send a video of you performing your Christmas Carol to your teacher or CU Manager.
3	Show photos of you making the wrapping paper (and the finished paper!) to your teacher or email/post them to your CU Manager.
4	Show your poster to your teacher or email/post it to your CU Manager.
5	Show your summary to your teacher or email/post it to your CU Manager.
6	Show your decoration, or a photo of it, to your teacher or email/post a photo to your CU Manager.
7	Show photos of your recreation (with each person labelled so we know which person from the Nativity they are) to your teacher or email/post them to your CU Manager.
8	Show your card to your teacher or email/post it to your CU Manager.
9	Write up how you made your tasty treats (including the recipe). Show your recipe and photos of you making the treats to your teacher or email/post it to your CU Manager.
10	Write 100 words about how another country celebrates Christmas. Show your research to your teacher or email/post it to your CU Manager.
11	Show your film review to your teacher or email/post it to your CU Manager.
12	Show your calendar to your teacher or email/post it to your CU Manager.

