CHRISTMAS AROUND THE WORLD

Solutions

Christmas Around the World Crossword

Across
1. Meat
3. India
5. Summer
10. Presents
11. Beach
14. Christmas
17. Egypt
18. Carols
19. Ethiopia

Down
1. Mass
2. Time
4. Differences
6. American
7. Sprinkling
8. Decorate
9. Christians
12. White
13. Faiths
15. Wat
16. Hot
17. Eve

A ‘Novel’ Christmas Eve - Comprehension Questions

1. The story is written in past tense.
2. Teacher check.
3. Jack and Cassie are brother and sister.
5. Jack and Cassie are staying at their Grandfather’s house for Christmas Eve.
6. Teacher check.
7. The teleportation machine in the story is the shower (any of the words used in the text are acceptable here: shower/bath/tub) and it was found in the upstairs bathroom.
8. Jack and Cassie were transported to the North Pole because Cassie had been thinking of the book she had been reading about the North Pole when she turned the tap in the shower.
9. Students to mention any three of the following:
   • A fire
   • A table
   • Silver cutlery
   • Red Christmas crackers
   • A roasted turkey
   • Garlands of ivy
   • A Christmas tree
   • Presents
   • An old woman
10. The children realised they were in the North Pole when they saw the reindeer in the stables.
11. The story was given the title A ‘Novel’ Christmas Eve because the children are transported into the setting of the novel Cassie was reading on Christmas Eve.
12. Teacher check.