



# Father Christmas

An Easy Read Story



## About The Play



Father Christmas is a Play.

This is a story told by people on stage.



There are puppets in the play  
which are the animal characters – Dog,  
Cat, Hen and Reindeer.



There is music and songs in the play.

## Characters



**Father Christmas** is a grumpy old man.

His job is to deliver presents to children on Christmas Eve.



The Puppeteer plays **Cat, Dog, Hen** and the **Reindeer**.

They are **Father Christmas's** pets.



The **Musician** plays lots of different instruments.

The **Musician** also sings and creates some of the sound effects.

## SCENE 1 – FATHER CHRISTMAS' HOUSE



**Father Christmas** is dreaming.



**Father Christmas** wakes up on  
Christmas Eve.

He gets out of bed.



The **Dog** has stolen his slipper!

**Father Christmas** gets the  
slipper back from **Dog**.



**Father Christmas** is grumpy that  
it is Christmas Eve again!



**Father Christmas**  
puts the kettle on.



**Father Christmas** says  
hello to **Cat**.

## SCENE 2 – OUTSIDE & THE TOILET



**Father Christmas** goes outside.  
It is cold.



**Father Christmas** goes to the toilet. He looks at holiday brochures. When he is done he wipes and flushes the toilet.



**Father Christmas** feeds the **Reindeer**.

## SCENE 3 – FATHER CHRISTMAS' HOUSE



**Father Christmas** pours the kettle to make a cup of tea.



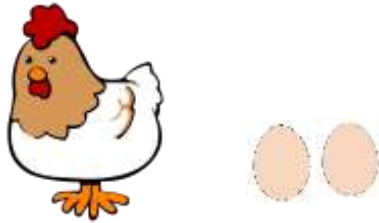
**Father Christmas** brushes his hair and washes his face.



**Father Christmas** gives **Cat** and **Dog** their breakfast.



**Father Christmas** gets dressed.



The **Hen** lays 2 eggs for **Father Christmas** for his breakfast.

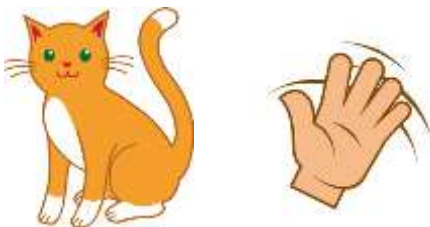


**Father Christmas** cooks and eats his breakfast.

## SCENE 4 – OUTSIDE & GETTING READY TO GO



**Father Christmas** fills the sleigh with presents.



**Father Christmas** says goodbye to **Cat**.



**Father Christmas** checks he has everything he needs for the day.



**Father Christmas** says  
goodbye to **Dog**.



**Father Christmas** gets into the sleigh  
and the sleigh takes off!

### SCENE 5 – In the Sleigh



There are lots of different  
weathers as **Father Christmas** flies.



**Father Christmas** lands the sleigh.

### SCENE 6 – FIRST PRESENTS DELIVERY



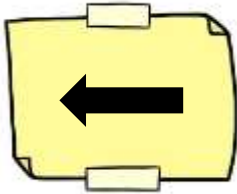
**Father Christmas** climbs  
across the rooftops.



**Father Christmas** climbs down a chimney into a living room.



**Father Christmas** looks around the room. He finds some milk and biscuits.



**Father Christmas** finds a note to tell him where to leave the presents.



**Father Christmas** leaves a stocking at the end of the bed and presents under the tree.

## SCENE 7 – BACK ON THE ROOFTOPS



**Father Christmas** climbs over rooftops of other houses and hears what is going on inside.



**Father Christmas** sits on a rooftop with the **reindeer** and has a picnic.



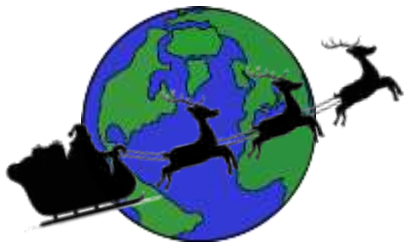


**Father Christmas** listens to the radio.  
The **musician** sings.



As **Father Christmas** leaves a little boy  
sees him through the window!

## SCENE 8 – DELIVERIES AROUND THE WORLD



**Father Christmas** delivers presents  
all around the world in his sleigh.



The final delivery is to  
Buckingham Palace!

## SCENE 8 – FATHER CHRISTMAS' HOUSE



**Father Christmas** arrives home.



**Dog** has stolen  
**Father Christmas'** pyjamas!



**Father Christmas** puts on his  
pyjamas and slippers.



**Father Christmas** says  
hello to **Cat**.



**Father Christmas** cooks and  
eats his Christmas Dinner.



**Father Christmas** opens his  
Christmas presents.



**Father Christmas** gives presents  
to **Cat** and to **Dog**.



**Father Christmas** goes to bed.

## **THE END**



The Play is finished.

All the actors bow and the  
audience will clap.