

## Fun Facts

# Christmas Traditions Around the World



We all know Santa travels to many different countries all around the world on Christmas Eve. But did you know different countries have different Christmas traditions? Here is a few:

**In the Philippines, people like to celebrate Christmas for as long as possible and you can hear Christmas carols in shops in September!**

**In Jamaica, on Christmas Day you eat a traditional breakfast in the morning with boiled bananas.**

**In Germany, Christmas Eve is the main day when you exchange presents with your family.**

**In Australia, Christmas comes at the beginning of your summer break from school!**

**In Mexico, Christmas is celebrated from December 12th to January 6th.**

**In Kenya, you'd say 'Heri ya Krismasi' for 'Happy Christmas' in Swahili, and the response is 'Wewe pia' (you also).**

**In Greenland, people put stars in the windows of their homes and all public buildings at Christmas time.**



# What are your Christmas traditions?

Use this space to write down some traditions that make Christmas special in your family.

