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Christmas Charades

A traditional game with a Christmas twist.

- Put the class into two teams.
- Give each team a set of cards. (Split the pack and deal them out face down.)
- Explain the rules:

One person from each team starts

He/she will select a card

On each card is written the name of a song, book or film (with a Christmas link)
He/she must then mime what is said on the card to the rest of his/her group
No speaking is allowed

- First they should mime the category, i.e. song open hands around mouth, book –
 open hands in a book-reading pose and projector-like pose for a film.
- Also explain symbols for 'little words', e.g. T shape for 'the', thumb and forefinger together for 'little word', etc.
- When the team guesses the first one, the second person can take a card and so on.
- The winners are the first team to mime and guess all their cards correctly.

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I'm Dreaming of a White Christmas	Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs	Star Wars	Silent Night
SONG	FILM/BOOK	FILM	SONG
The Snowman	Rockin' Around the Christmas Tree	Santa Claus is Coming to Town	The Twelve Days of Christmas
FILM/BOOK	SONG	SONG	SONG
I Saw Mummy Kissing Santa Claus SONG	Rudolf the Red-Nosed Reindeer SONG	We Wish You a Merry Christmas SONG	The Night Before Christmas FILM
A Christmas	The Snow	The Ice	Mistletoe
Carol FILM	Queen BOOK	Queen BOOK	and Wine
Happy Christmas (War is Over)	Santa Baby	Let it Snow! Let it Snow! Let it Snow!	Driving Home for Christmas
SONG	SONG	SONG	SONG

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