

Pieces Of Christmas

A Book of Christmas Stamps



ENJOY THE POEMS AND THEN.....

1. During the month of December, have children bring in postage that comes to their home. Tear the postage from envelopes and have them fall in a snow scene on a bulletin board.
2. Have the students design their own postage stamps to send with a winter greeting. They can represent something about themselves or family, and can represent holiday or activity that is enjoyed in the winter time. For older students have them design the shape, but for younger you might give them a template to work within.
3. Are all postage stamps geometrical? How about their postmarks?
4. Make new poems to go with the stamps in *Pieces Of Christmas*. I'd love to have them visit www.terisloat.com. Brainstorm for vocabulary first.
5. Write a letter to Santa asking him for the things you think our world needs. Tear the letter into flakes and have them fall on the part of the world that needs the things you ask for. A good starting point is PEACE.

