

Is Santa Smarter?

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Here is a Christmas musical/revue featuring your school's fifth graders on a game show with Santa as a celebrity contestant. This is a Christmas concert all in one easy step. It is very flexible and will work with any combination of students, from as simple as one class, to a multi-class and multi-grade grouping. Your whole school could even have fun with this script and score, and your audience will equally enjoy the show!

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Cast of Characters

Elf 1

Elf 2

Elf 3

Accountant Elf

Santa Claus

Tommy Tinsel (Host)

Sam

Sara

Robert

Megan

Jordan

Ryder

Choir



Is Santa Smarter?

Scene 1: Santa's workshop. The elves are looking at a calendar on the wall. If this can be done in front of the curtains, it will be easier to change to game show set.

Elf 1: Wow! Look at that calendar! It's only 4 weeks until Christmas!

Elf 2: I can't wait. I just love Christmas. I love the singing ...

Elf 3: the presents...

Elf 2: the turkey...

Elf 3: the presents...

Elf 2: the Christmas tree...

Elf 3: the presents...

Elf 2: the cookies....

Elf 3: the presents...

Elf 2: the concerts....

Elf 3: the presents...

Elf 1: *(turns and stares at Elf 3)* Presents? Is that all you think about? Christmas is the very best time of the year!

Choir sings: Christmas is a Time to Sing

Christmas is a time to sing! La la la!
Christmas is a time to sing! La la la!
Christmas is a time to sing together!
Christmas is a time to sing! La la la!

Christmas is a time to dance! Cha cha cha!
Christmas is a time to dance! Cha cha cha!
Christmas is a time to dance together!
Christmas is a time to dance! Cha cha cha!

Christmas is a time to laugh! Ho ho!
Christmas is a time to laugh! Ho ho!
Christmas is a time to laugh together!
Christmas is a time to laugh! Ho ho!

Christmas is a time to play! *(play instruments)*
Christmas is a time to play! *(play instruments)*
Christmas is a time to play together!
Christmas is a time to play! *(play instruments)*

Christmas is a time to clap! *(clap clap clap)*
Christmas is a time to clap! *(clap clap clap)*
Christmas is a time to clap together!
Christmas is a time to clap! *(clap clap clap)*

Christmas is a time to sing! La la la!
Christmas is a time to sing! La la la!
Christmas is a time to sing together!
Christmas is a time to sing! La la la!

5. Christmas in Hawaii - piano/vocal

Hawaiian Swing $\text{♩} = 120$

C. Cassils

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We're dream-ing of snow, and for-ty be -

6

low! We're read-y for Christ - mas, — Christ-mas with you, — yoo hoo hoo.

11

— We're wear-ing a smile, — — in hol-i-day style! We're read-y for

16

Christ - mas, — Christ-mas with you, — yoo hoo hoo. — It's Christ-mas in Ha-wai -

7. S-A-N-T-A - piano/vocal

mf

C. Cassils

Christ-mas! It's a
Christ-mas! Hear the

f *mf*

hol - i - day sight! — Christ-mas! Let's be mer - ry and bright! I said,
car - ol - ers sing! — Christ-mas! Let the jin - gle bells ring! — I said,

Christ-mas! There's no time to be blue! — I'm gon-na have a hap-py time with you! —
Christ-mas! Make your own mu-sic too! — I'm gon-na have a hap-py time with you! —

1st time repeat Verse 1
2nd time repeat Verse 2

'Cause we're gon - na see S - A - N - T - A, — We're gon - na see

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Is Santa smarter than the kids in your school? It's a Christmas musical/revue featuring your school's fifth graders on a game show with Santa as a celebrity contestant trying to win enough money to pay for the high cost of gas to power his sleigh. This is a Christmas concert all in one easy step. It is very flexible and will work with any combination of students, from as simple as one class, to a multi-class and multi-grade grouping. Your whole school could even have fun with this script and score, and your audience will equally enjoy the show!

Each song will be a hit with the students AND the parents. The collection includes piano/vocal scores, vocal reproducible scores, reproducible script with lyrics and performance/accompaniment CD. Unbelievable value! Denise Gagne and Craig Cassils have teamed up to create a musical that will a huge hit! #12 \$40

1. Christmas is a Time to Sing

* an easy opener for a preK-Grade 2 class.

2. Elvis the Elf

* dress the students like rock stars and let them rock and roll

3. Christmas Tree Tango

* Who says your students won't want to be the tree in the Christmas play? These Christmas trees are going to tango!

4. Teddy Bear Twist

* Make teddy bear headbands, and teach your teddy bears to do the twist!

5. Christmas in Hawaii

* Visit your local "dollar" store to stock up on Hawaiiin leis. Your students can hula as they sing about Christmas on the beach.

6. Snowman Stomp

* You'll need brooms, rhythm sticks and volleyballs (aka-snowballs) to perform this stomp selection.

7. S-A-N-T-A

* Hold up the letters or create letters with body shapes. A fun piece with a great rock accompaniment in the style of the Village People.

8. Christmas Time is Here

* This is the closing number for the musical.

This musical will be easy to stage and a ton of fun for your school!

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The holiday concert newsletter from 2003 has great suggestions on organizing your holiday concert.