



# Father Christmas and the red feather

## MAIN STORY

feather (n) the soft covering on a bird's body 羽毛 | 羽毛

sleigh (n) a vehicle used for sliding over snow 雪橇 | 雪橇

gust (n) a sudden strong wind 一陣狂風 | 一阵狂风

tickle (v) to touch your body lightly such that you want to rub it

搔癢 | 搔痒

curious (adj) interested in knowing something 好奇的 | 好奇的

forest (n) a large area of land with many trees 森林 | 森林

upset (adj) unhappy or worried 難過 | 难过

alone (adv) without other people 孤獨地 | 孤独地

sigh (v) to breathe in and out making a long sound 嘆氣 | 叹气

heal (v) to make sick people well again 治癒 | 治愈

promise (v) to say you will do something for sure 承諾 | 承诺

twirl (v) to turn in a circle 旋轉 | 旋转

swirl (v) to move in a twisting, circular movement 打轉 | 打转

fever (n) the state of having high body temperature 發燒 | 发烧

headache (n) a pain in your head 頭痛 | 头痛

out of breath (phr) having difficulty breathing 喘不過氣來 | 喘不过气来

shrug (v) to raise the shoulders 聳肩 | 耸肩

convince (v) to make someone change their mind by talking to them

說服 | 说服

herb (n) a type of plant whose leaves are used in making medicine

草藥 | 草药

gentle (adj) kind and soft 溫柔的 | 温柔的

square (n) a large open area in the centre of a town 廣場 | 广场

silence (n) quietness 靜默 | 静默

shaky (adj) unsteady 顫抖的 | 颤抖的

cure (v) to make sick people healthy again 治癒 | 治愈

trust (v) to have confidence in 信任 | 信任

mysterious (adj) strange and unknown 神秘的 | 神秘的

well (n) a deep hole in the ground 井 | 井

finger crossed (phr) a gesture for bringing good luck

交叉手指祈求好運 | 交叉手指祈求好运

## MAIN STORY

grateful (adj) thankful 感激的 | 感激的

deliver (v) to carry goods to someone 運送 | 运送

## SILLY SPELLS WITH ZOUK

decorate (v) to make something look more beautiful 裝飾 | 装饰

tinsel (n) a thread with shiny paper attached, used for decoration

(聖誕用的) 閃光紙裝飾帶 | (圣诞用的) 闪光纸装饰带

slimy (adj) covered in a sticky liquid 黏糊糊的 | 黏糊糊的

Christmas log (n) a Christmas cake shaped like a thick piece of tree

trunk 聖誕樹幹蛋糕 | 圣诞树干蛋糕

gooey (adj) thick and sticky 黏稠的 | 黏稠的

gherkin (n) a small cucumber that has been preserved in vinegar

醃黃瓜 | 腌黄瓜

beaver (n) an animal with webbed hind legs and a flat tail that builds

dams with sticks and mud across river 河狸 | 河狸

## CREATIVE CORNER

artificial (adj) manmade 人造的 | 人造的

## SAMSAM

brake (v) to make a vehicle go slower or stop 剎車 | 刹车

give someone a hand (idiom) to help that person 幫助 | 帮助

road hog (n) a driver who blocks others 魯莽的司機 | 鲁莽的司机

## ANIMAL WORLD

antler (n) a branched structure that grows on the head of a deer

鹿角 | 鹿角

migrate (v) to travel to a different place when the season changes

遷移 | 迁移

## SHORT STORY

wind (v) to wrap or coil around 纏繞 | 缠绕

perfect (adj) as good as it can be 完美的 | 完美的