

### **The Polar Express: Short Response Strips**

**Copy and paste the following questions below, which have provided in the notes and then paste the answers into your notes.**

As they travelled through the night, the children were woken watching the train as it travelled by.

The boy took the conductor's mistletoe and attached it to the train.

One Christmas Day, the boy discovered a package from Santa under his tree. Inside the bag found the silver bell that Santa had given him, with a note attached to it. The note told the young boy to get the bell in his pocket first.

The boy chose that gift of Christmas. It was a silver bell from a window's fireman.

The train climbed mountains so high it seemed as if they would scrape the clouds.

When the train arrived at the North Pole City, Santa and his elves were waiting for all them.

On the train, children sang carols, ate cookies with sugar cream, and drank hot cocoa.

One Christmas Day, as a young boy looked out his bedroom window, he saw a train standing perfectly still in front of his house.

The young boy was so disappointed to find out that the bell Santa had given him had fallen through the hole in the pocket of his hat.

Though the boy grew up, the bell still rang for him, as it does for all those who believe.

After their exciting visit with Santa and his elves, the Polar Express took the children home.