# Santa letters Mr. Flaherty, first grade

To Santa, How is Rudolph? I wod like . a Lego maker. Love Arik

Dear Santa Happy Christmas I would like a cat I would like dress Love Bellah

Daer Santa,
How is Rudolph! I would like a robotdog. Please. Merry Christmas. Santa I like your elves to. Love JeB Lenk.

to santa. Fa la la la la la la. I would like a wwe wrestling bed Please. From Wyatt!!!!!

I Miss You Santa, can you come here Pleas. Come here on Christmas. I wod like a Dress and a Frozen doll. Please. Love Jocelyn

dear santa. How is Rudolph? I would like 2ds and i would like a video game Leg dimension Love Mason.

Dear Santa., Fa la la la! I would like a scooter Please Merry Luve Katalina.

Dear Santa, How is Rudolph? I would like a snake Please. Merry Christmas I like you. Love Paiton

Dear santa How is Rudophh? I would Like A fish and 2 dress. Love Amilya 4 santa.

Dear Santsa, How is Ruddlph? I would like a Blaster. I like you. Love Jackson

I see a snowman. Dear Sana I wot a turtle Ples. Happy Holidays! Love OZARA

To saNta Plees give me a Football love Jace. Falalalalalaalalala Fallalalalalala Falalalalalalalala Falalalalalalala

Dear santa I believ in you I would like a Ghostbusters lego set and rieyol Poke Bois and vieyol pokemone even 7 raccoons mace my cristmas JoLly Love Arthur

Dear santa I would like a dress. Please. I beive in you. Loe Lydia.

Dear Santa, Merry Christmas I wot a xbox one. Love Brooklyn I want To see you

I like your bouts. I like you santa. I wont for Christmas a fire truck. I see you santa I can give a prazint santa, Love Reanna

Dear Santa, Happpy Holidays I would like a lego set please. Love Dante I like you.

Dear Santa, I like you. I woud like a fish in a tank plese. I like you! I woud like a snow globe pleses. I like snow flackes and snow and snow and Santa Love Aleigh

Dear Sant, How is Rudolph? I like your boots I woud like christmos Love Isabel rose to santa

Dear Santa, Merry Christmas. I like you. I see you. I will like Lego Maker. I will like Otter.
Love Edgar

Dir saju I wond like a toy Lego set Happy Holidays Love Ty.

Dear santa, I would like a scooter please. How is Rudolph?
Love FIoNa

Dear santa. I like you. I like a skateboard. Happy Holidays. Love Misael

Dear santa, I hope I see you. I would like a LegoMaker Luv I Lee

Dear Santa I like you. I would Like a Barbie. House love Jasmine. I see decorations. Santa. Likes me I love Santa. I would like to have a Barbie doll to I like to hug Santa

Dear Santa, How are you? This year I have been Very good I would like a

# Santa letters Mrs. Gill, first grade

microphone and a cat toy Merry Christmas! Your friend, Stevie

Dear Santa, How are you? This year I have been good I would like a monster high doll. Merry Christmas! Your friend, Alex

Dear Santa, How are you? This year I have been good. I would like a polor express and a PS4. Merry Christmas! Your friend, Ryder

Dear Santa, How are you? This year I have been very good. I would like a plushy finaf. Merry Christmas! Your friend, Robert

Dear Santa, How are you? This year I have been very good I would like a doll. Merry Christmas! Your friend, I Love you Santa. Samantha

Dear Santa, How are you? This year I have been very good. I would like a doll and a skates. Merry Christmas! Your friend, Ari.

L love you santuclos Emily Dear Sant, How are you? This year I have been very good. I would like a blanket and a shoos and shirts. Merry Christmas! Your friend, Emily love emily

Dear Santa, How are you? This year I have been good I would like a game and a train. Merry Christmas! Your friend, Gaige

Dear Santa, How are you? This year I have been very good I would like a tent and a game. Merry Christmas! Your friend, Kirra

Dear Santa, How are you? This year I have been very good I would like a Leapfrog and a bird. Merry Christmas! Your friend, OliviaMrecisnus

Dear Santa, How are you? This year I have been good I would like a game and a train and skates.. Merry Christmas! Your friend, RaJeanna Giles

Dear Santa, How are you? This year I have been good I would like a toy BatMan and a toy Roben. Merry Christmas! Your friend, Demien

Dear Santa, How are you? This year I have been very good I would like a game and skates. Merry Christmas! Your friend, Donald

Dear Santa, How are you? This year I have been very good I would like a doll and a barbie. Merry Christmas! Your friend, Miss Remedy

Dear Santa, How are you? This year I have been good I would like a gervil and LoL's (dolls). Merry Christmas! Your friend, Bella

Dear Santa, How are you? This year I have been very good. I would like a drum and guitar and piano. Merry Christmas! Your friend, Blaze

Dear Santa, How are you? This year I have been very good I would like a make-up kit and a doll. Merry Christmas! Your friend, Etnie

Dear Santa, How are you? This year I have been very good I would like a mind craft game and Legos. Merry Christmas! Your friend, Carson

Dear Santa, How are you? This year I have been very good I would like a Barbie amd a dream House. Merry Christmas! Your friend, Araya

Dear Santa, How are you? This year I have been good I would like a conkndemeker (cotton candy maker) and a nurf gun. Merry Christmas! Your friend, merekrmes (Merry Christmas) Jake

Dear Santa, How are you? This year I have been very good I would like a char AzaRd and a new littles pet shops. Merry Christmas! Your friend, Chloe

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# DOGS . . .

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"I have reason to believe that there are people coming in from Northern California and taking dogs here. We had three dogs stolen in one week, and dead dogs have been found in the area and along the I-5 corridor," she said. "While officials may need to protect their investigations, people still need to be aware there is a problem. Dogs are going missing. We cannot minimize this. Look how long it took to bring Michael Vick to justice for his role in dog fighting."

Smith said people shouldn't leave their dogs in cars while they shop, or leave their dogs outside in rural areas without supervision. "We need to protect animals as if they're our children, from all kinds of predators, including humans," she said. "While investigations can go on for years, in the meantime countless dogs - and cats as well - can suffer horribly. So it's really important that when people see things that are suspicious, if they believe there is nefarious intent, they need to take pictures, get license plate numbers and document the situation and call animal control right away."

Smith also said that dogs of all sizes can be stolen for use as "bait dogs" to train other dogs to fight. She said they might have their mouths taped shut or their teeth filed down or pulled out so they can't fight back.

"Whether there's a dog fighting ring or not, there are always plenty of dog thefts, so people need to remain vigilant," said Mara Carnes, Dr. Joe's office manager. "Sometime they get lost or get out of the yard. And sometimes people end up finding their dogs in one of the transient camps. And in this cold weather, dogs shouldn't be left outside."

Hoover also said that owners "continue to be diligent in ensuring that their dogs are safely contained at home and are licensed." Licenses cost $20 for a spayed/neutered dog and $40 for an unaltered dog and can be obtained either at the county animal shelter or at a local veterinarian's office. These licensing fees "go far in helping the animal shelter return lost dogs to their families," the release added. "We were able to reunite over 200 dogs to their families last year."

About current concerns related to organized dog fighting, Hoover said, "We're trying to be vigilant and if we find enough evidence that links cases together, then we'll let people know. Right now we do not have a case. But we've had dogs taken out of cars before, so people should use good judgment when they travel with their pets, and if your dog goes missing please report it to the shelter so that we know. I do encourage people to be responsible dog owners and keep them at home."

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