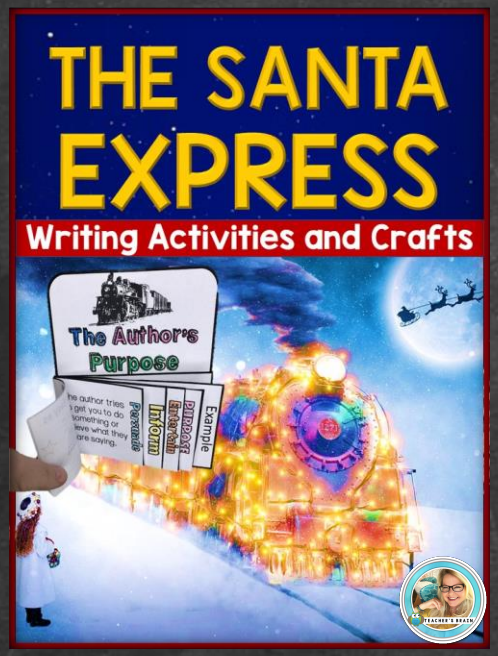


K-3 Lesson Plan

Teach Author's Purpose

Create a Flip Book

POSTERS

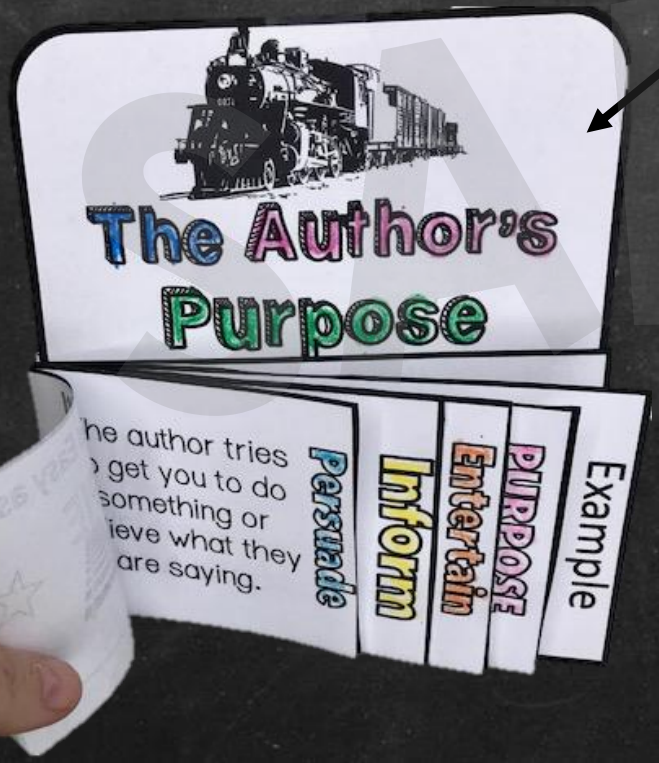
Lesson Plan

Author's PURPOSE for The Polar Express

Share the posters with the class.

Print pages 5-7 to make a Decorative Flip Book. Follow the directions on page 4. Have students color all the pages, read the definitions, fill out the last two pages using the story The Polar Express. They will put the title on the first line, write about the purpose, and then, on the last page they will write about an example from the book.

** Review the posters with your class. Use the









Write about the Author's Purpose

POSTERS

Train Boarding Tickets


NAME _____ Author's Purpose

What book are you reading now? _____

Write about the author's purpose. Draw an example.

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Check Yourself

☐ Capitals ☐ Punctuation ☐ Space ☐ Neat ☐ On Topic

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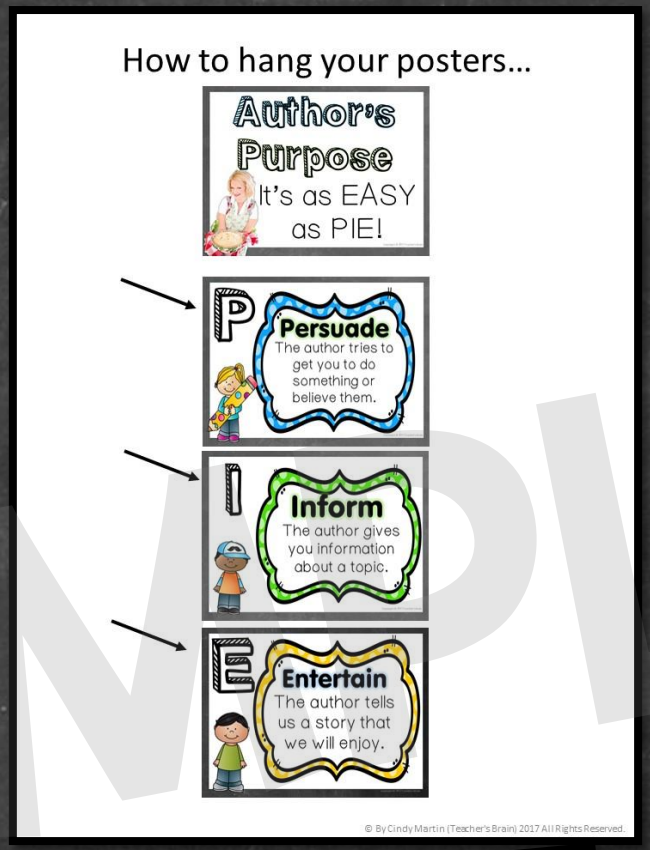
How to hang your posters...

Author's Purpose
It's as EASY as PIE!

P Persuade
The author tries to get you to do something or believe them.

I Inform
The author gives you information about a topic.

E Entertain
The author tells us a story that we will enjoy.

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Give each student their own golden ticket to ride the train!
Print in color and cut out the tickets.

The Santa Express
ROUND TRIP

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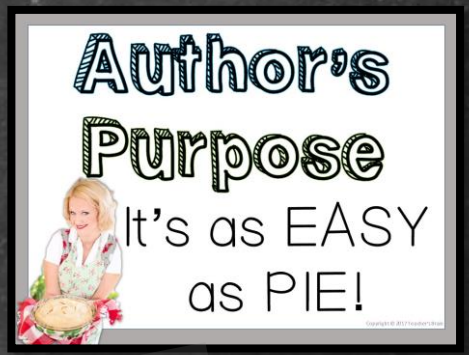

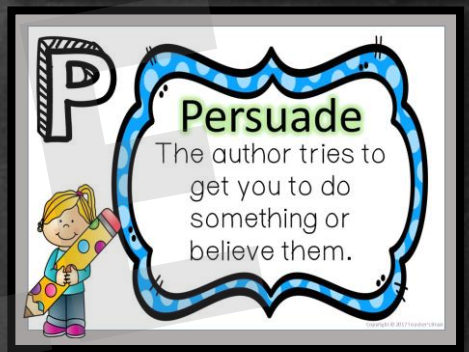

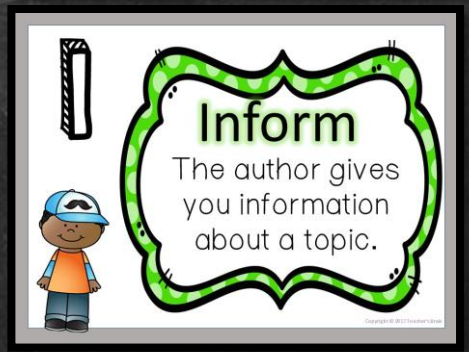

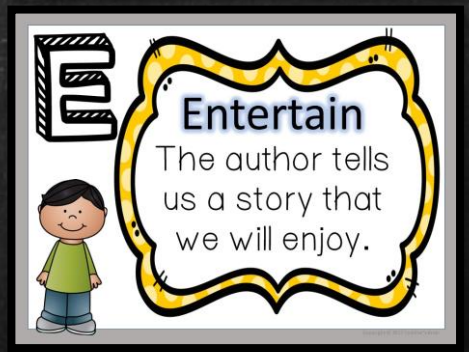

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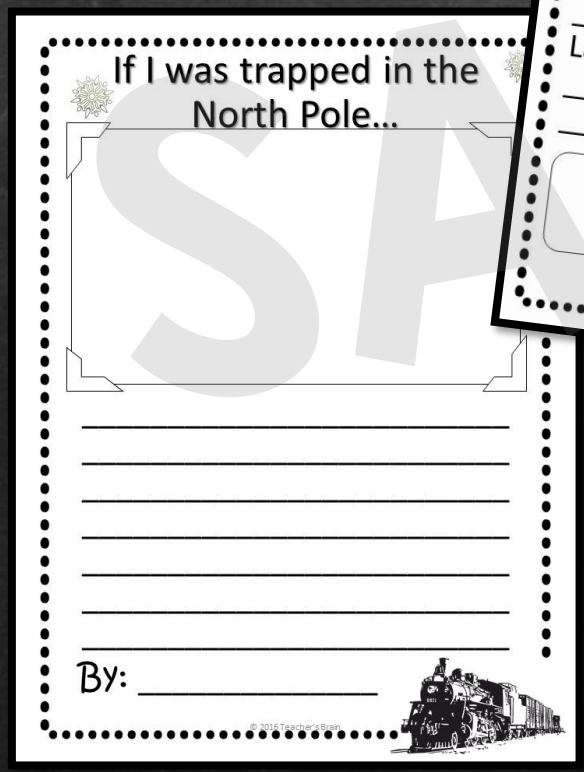
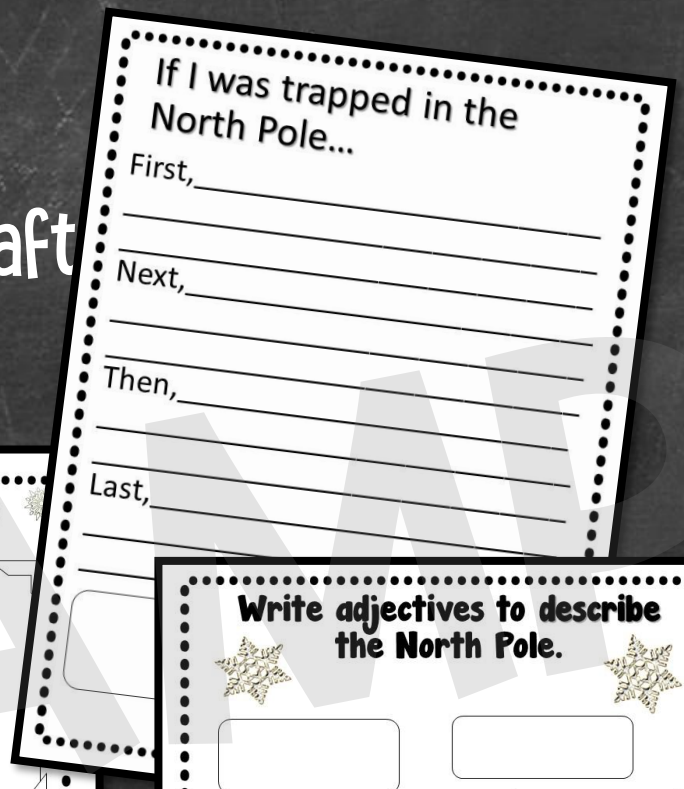
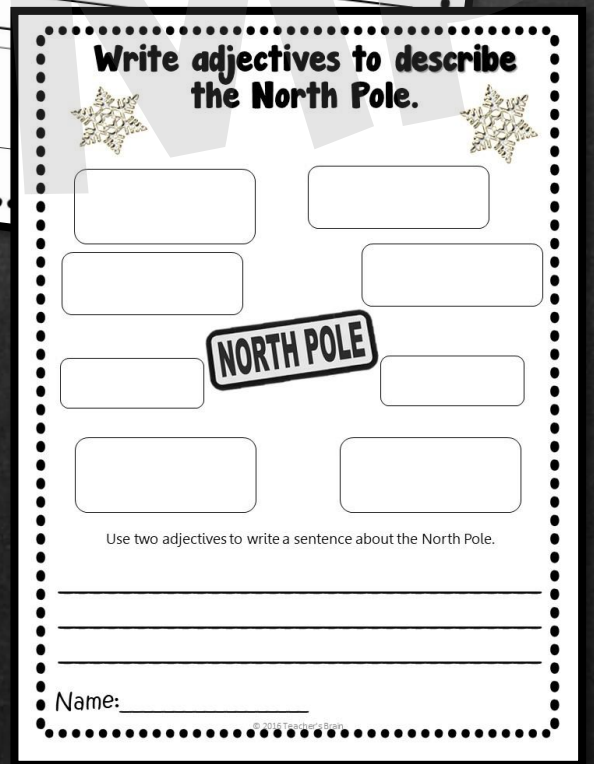
Writing Prompts

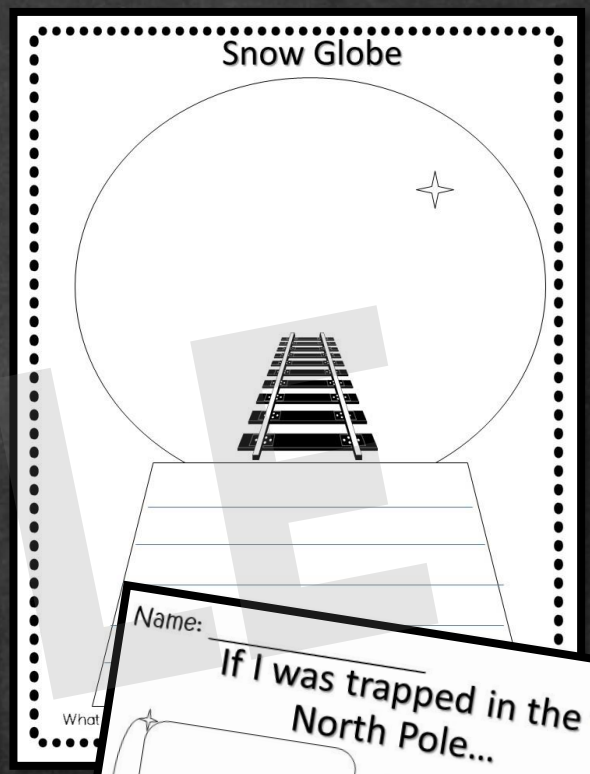
Organizers

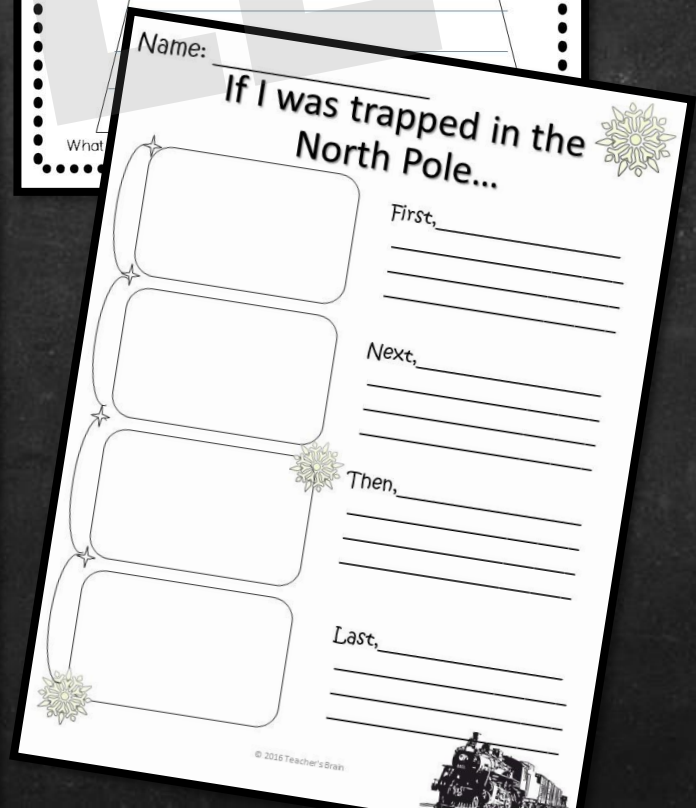
Snow Globe Craft











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OW Words

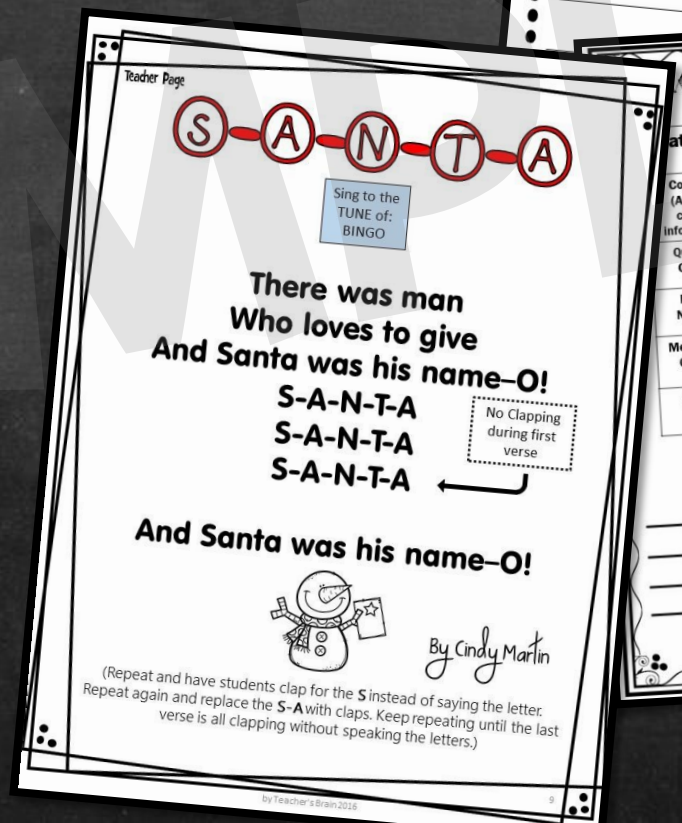
Letters to Santa

Poems











SAMPLE


Polar Express Tickets


Polar Express
Tickets
$20.00
ROUND TRIP
CONDUCTOR
ROUND TRIP


The Santa Express
ROUND TRIP