



Foundation

# Christmas Worksheets

WEEK 2



Every week through December Manchester United Foundation will bring you an activity sheet to keep your mind active, have fun and get ready for the festive period.



# 1. December fixture scramble

Unscramble the letters below to find out which teams Manchester United will be playing in the Premier League throughout December 2020.

For bonus points can you tell us if it is a home or away game, and what date it will be played.



1. TSWE MAH DNEUIT

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2. NTERAESCHM TCIY

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3. ESIFDHLEF NUETDI

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4. LEDES UNдите

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5. LCREEESTI CIYT

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6. HNAWEMLPROVOT EDSENRWRA

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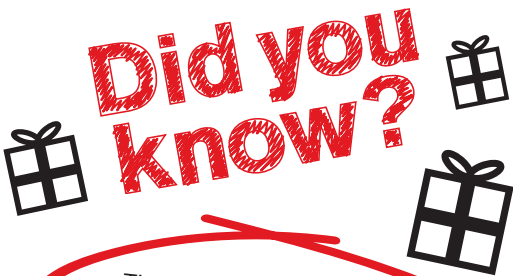
1. West Ham United 2. Manchester City 3. Sheffield United 4. Leeds United 5. Leicester City 6. Wolverhampton Wanderers

# 2. Boxing Day goal-scorers wordsearch

Find the iconic Manchester United players, who have scored on Boxing Day when they played for the club.

L C A N T O N A G V  
H J D Q I E V A N S  
R E S R O O N E Y M  
A R R E Q T B D S A  
S O H N D G U L M R  
H N U K A A T P T T  
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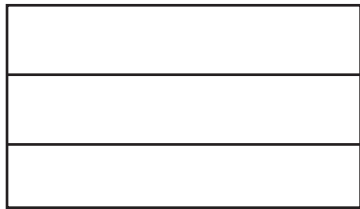
ROONEY	CANTONA
VAN PERSIE	EVANS
HERNANDEZ	MARTIAL
HUGHES	BUTT
RONALDO	RASHFORD



The Red Devils have won an astonishing 20 of their 25 Premier League games on Boxing Day, drawing three and losing twice.

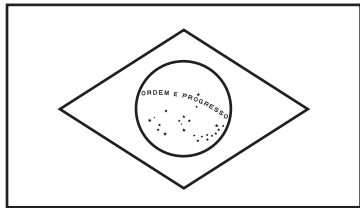
### 3. Christmas around the world

Countries around the world celebrate Christmas in all different ways. Using the information below, name the Manchester United players that were born in that country.



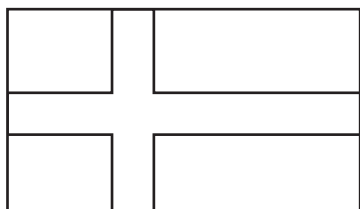
**1. For most children in the Netherlands, 5th December is the most important day. This is the day Sinterklass (St.Nicholas) brings them their presents.**

Player/s



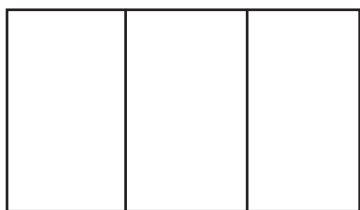
**2. In Brazil, Santa Claus is called Papai Noel and Bom Velhinho (Good Old Man). It's also very hot at Christmastime, so many people go to the beach!**

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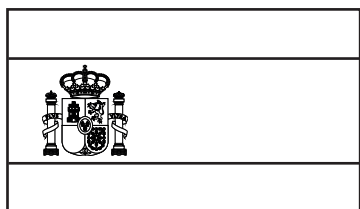
**3. Around Christmastime in Sweden, one of the biggest celebrations is St. Lucia's Day on 13th December. The celebration comes from stories that were told by Monks who first brought Christianity to Sweden.**

Player/s



**4. Christmas in Nigeria is a family event, similar to the UK. Many families will throw Christmas parties that last all night long on Christmas Eve!**

Player/s



**5. In Spain, most families eat their main Christmas meal on Christmas Eve before attending Midnight Mass at church. In Galicia (a region in north-west Spain) the most popular meal for Christmas Eve and for Christmas Day is seafood.**

Player/s

### 4. How does Fred the Red celebrate Christmas?

Your challenge is to create your own short story about how Fred the Red celebrates the festive period

#### Research

Before you start creating your story you will need to research other festive or Christmas stories to get inspiration for your story. This could be a nice thing to do as a family to get into the Christmas spirit. You can research online or ask your friends and family. It might be that the story is inspired by a real-life event.

#### Creating your festive story

Now you have researched different stories, start to now create a story board for your story. When planning your story make sure you have a start, middle and end. Don't forget your main character is Fred the Red!



# Fred the Red story board

1	2	3
4	5	6
7	8	9

## Congratulations

Well done for creating your own Christmas story about Fred the Red! Your final step now is to read it to your family and friends and ask them to give you feedback so that you can make sure your next story is even more successful!

Feedback:	
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