

DAY	ACTIVITIES	Holiday Calendar Pinterest Board	Where to Buy It/Find it	Card	Shopping List
				Write this on your index card.	
1	Holiday calendar BEGINS! Make paper chain to countdown. Work on puzzle and watch Christmas Vacation.			It's December 1st! The first day of our holiday calendar! On our very first day we are going to watch our favorite movie Christmas Vacation	Christmas puzzle, colored construction paper for paper chain.
2	Make easy snickerdoodles and make winter garland and watch Elf.	Easy Snickerdoodles	<a href="#">Garland template</a>	We're doing something new today! We're going to make easy snickerdoodle cookies, make garland and eat spaghetti with maple syrup. Just kidding. But we will watch Buddy the Elf and make cookies and garland.	ingredients for easy snickerdoodles and supplies for garland
3	Work on puzzle and watch the Grinch (Jim Carrey) and Christmas Drawing Game.			Tonight Aniston has a basketball game but we can work on our puzzle and watch the Grinch before we go! I have a new Christmas Drawing Game to try this year first!	
4	Draw for sibling gifts.			Before we go to church, we will draw names for our sibling gifts!	
5	Christmas parade and dinner at Pioneer Electric			Milani dances tonight in the Christmas parade and we will grab some chili at Pionner Electric .	
6	Polar Express night.  Make homemade hot chocolate and homemade marshmallows.	Hot Chocolate  Homemade marshmallows recipe OR Cool Whip Shapes		All aboard! It's "Polar Express" night with snacks and hot chocolate!	all ingredients for hot chocolate, homemade marshmallows OR Cool Whip shapes
7	Grinch Night!  Grinch suckers, Grinch popcorn and Grinch punch!	Grinch Suckers Grinch Popcorn Grinch Punch		One of our favorite nights...Grinch Night! This year we're going to make Grinch suckers too!	ingredients for Grinch suckers, popcorn and punch
8	Visit Santa today AND Reindeer Day!  Make reindeer floats and reindeer cookies.	Reindeer cookies		It's Reindeer Day! We are going to make reindeer cookies, root deer floats, and watch Prancer.	ingredients for reindeer cookies and root beer (reindeer) floats.
9	Business Christmas party			Mom and Dad have a party to attend so you guys have a free night!	
10	Marriage counseling			Mom and Dad have counseling tonight so you have another free night!	
11	Love letters to family.			We are writing love letters to each other! Draw a name and write a letter answering these questions: 1. Why do you love this person so much? 2. What do you appreciate about this person? 3. What does this person do that makes you so thankful for them?	paper and questions
12	Watch The Christmas Star and make Christmas punch		<a href="#">Christmas Punch</a>	Tonite we will watch "The Star" and drink Christmas punch!	ingredients for Christmas punch
13	Make gingerbread houses and watch a Charlie Brown Christmas.		<a href="#">gingerbread house kit</a>	It's gingerbread house night! This year we have the Charlie Brown gingerbread house and we'll watch a Charlie Brown Christmas.	
14	Home Alone Night  Play Home Alone game, watch both Home Alone movies, pizza and snacks.		<a href="#">Home Alone game</a>	"Did somebody order me a plain cheese?"  Home Alone Night! We're going to play the game, and watch BOTH movies! Have dad order the pizza and we'll go to the dollar store to get the snacks!	order pizza, Home Alone game, both Home Alone movies, snacks
15	Make gingerbread cookies and have family game night at church.	Gingerbread Cookies		Today we are going to make gingerbread cookies and have a family game night!	Gingerbread cookies ingredients
16	Drink hot cider, watch "It's a Wonderful Life" and make paper snowflakes.	Paper Snowflakes	<a href="#">hot cider</a>	Tonite we will drink hot cider, make paper snowflakes and watch "It's a Wonderful Life"!	
17	Make Grandma & Grandpa anniversary cards and watch Miracle on 34th Street			Grandma and Grandpa are having an anniversary very soon so lets make them cards!	supplies for homemade cards

18	Church Christmas party.	Christmas Picture Puzzle Game		Church Christmas party tonight! Before we go let's do a fun Christmas puzzle game.	
19	Watch a Christmas Story.			New movie tonight! We are going to watch a Christmas Story! I hear it's a funny one.	
20	Grandma and Grandpa's anniversary.			Today is Grandma and Papa's anniversary so lets take them their cards and gifts and spend some time with them.	
21	Grocery shop and kids buy sibling gifts.			Grocery shopping day and you will buy your sibling gift that you drew.	
22	Make sugar cookies and have our fun gift exchange. Watch Christmas with the Kranks and The Santa Claus while we bake!	Sugar Cookies Gift Exchange Game		Sugar cookie day! And we will have our fun gift exchange.	Sugar Cookies ingredients, frosting, sprinkles. Fun gift exchange is usually items to have a movie night with (snacks, chips, candy, drinks etc)
23	Paint party	How to Paint a Snowman at Night	I ordered all my supplies from Hobby Lobby	PAINT PARTY!	all supplies for painting
24	Christmas lights scavenger hunt. Kids exchange sibling gifts.	Christmas Lights Scavenger Hunt		Christmas Eve is here! We are going to do our Christmas lights scavenger hunt and come home to exchange your sibling gifts.	Sibling gifts
25	Merry Christmas!			Go Jesus. It's your birthday!	