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Follow the North Star

Santa relies on the North Stars to find his way around the world to deliver Christmas presents. He knows everything about the stars!

And you? Do you know what the North Star is?

The North Star, also called Polaris, is a special star in the night sky that people have used for thousands of years to help find their way. Imagine you're looking up at all the twinkling stars. Most of them seem to move across the sky at night, but the North Star stays in almost the same spot! It's like a tiny bright friend that always points to the north.

If you ever get lost at night and can see the North Star, it can help you figure out which way is north. Sailors and travelers long ago used it like a natural compass. You can find it by looking for a group of stars called the Big Dipper—it's like a spoon—and following the edge of the "spoon" to the North Star.

It's cool because it's steady, helpful, and always in the same place!



Can you help Santa follow the North Star?

