

POLAR EXPRESS UNIT

MATH & LITERACY ACTIVITIES



13 Activities

Hands On &
Interactive

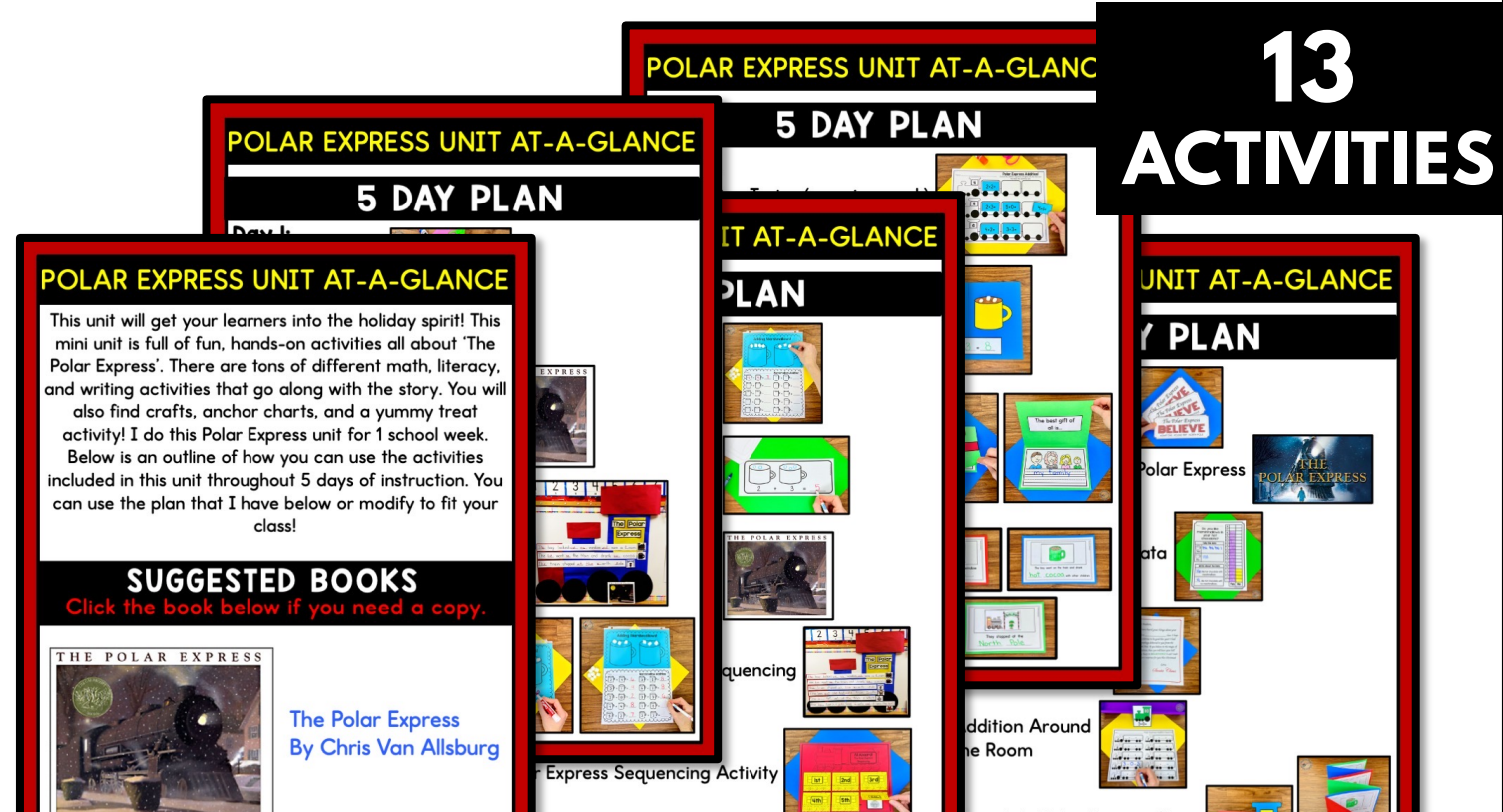
Literacy and
Math FUN!

and MORE! ≡

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What's included?

- LITERACY
- MATH
- WRITING
- READING
- ANCHOR CHARTS
- CRAFTS
- AND MORE!



POLAR EXPRESS UNIT AT-A-GLANCE

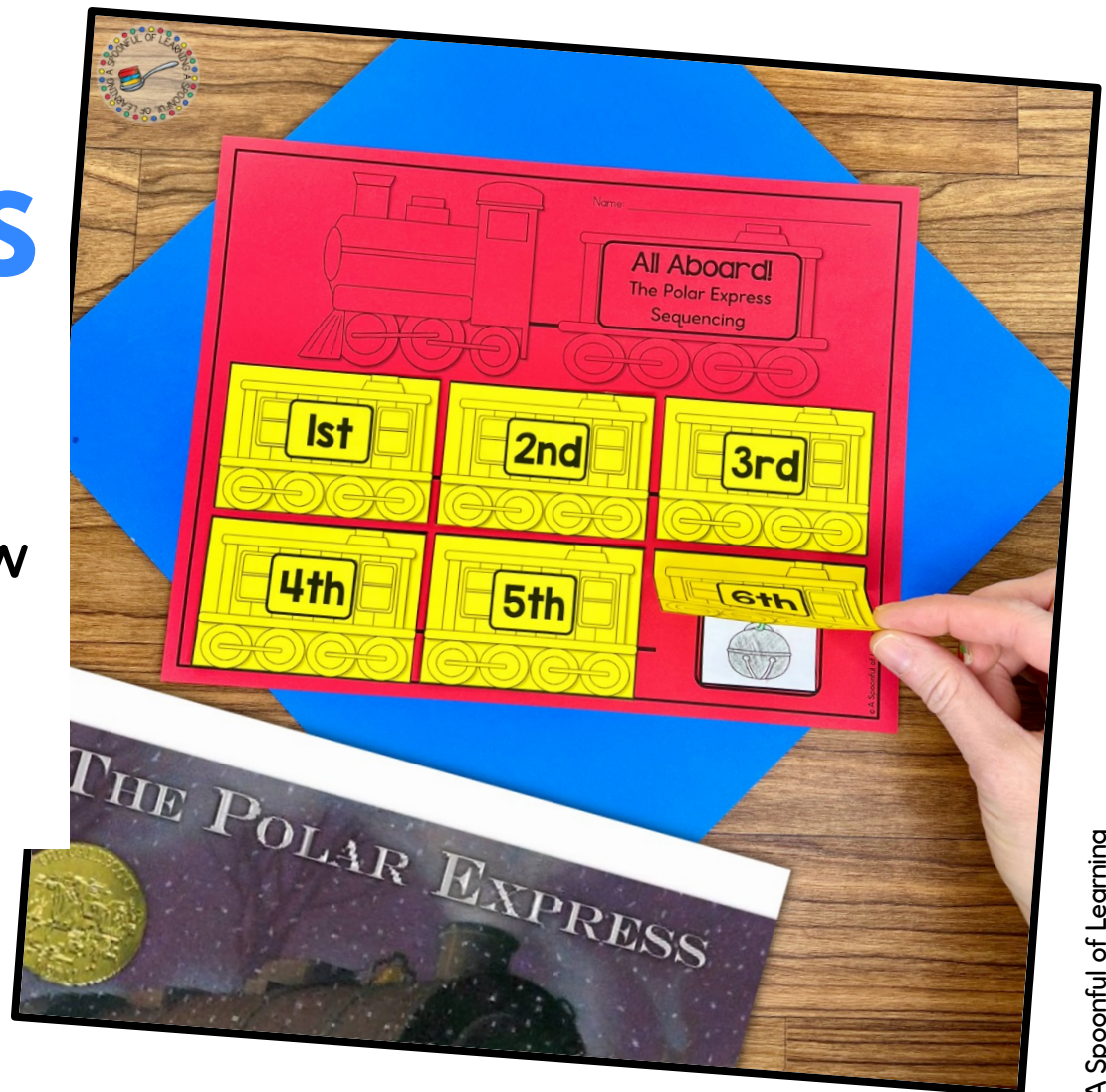
A 5-day plan that allows you to see how you can space out all of the activities that are included. I also share my favorite books for this unit.

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POLAR EXPRESS SEQUENCING

Complete an interactive sequencing activity to show the order of events in the story.

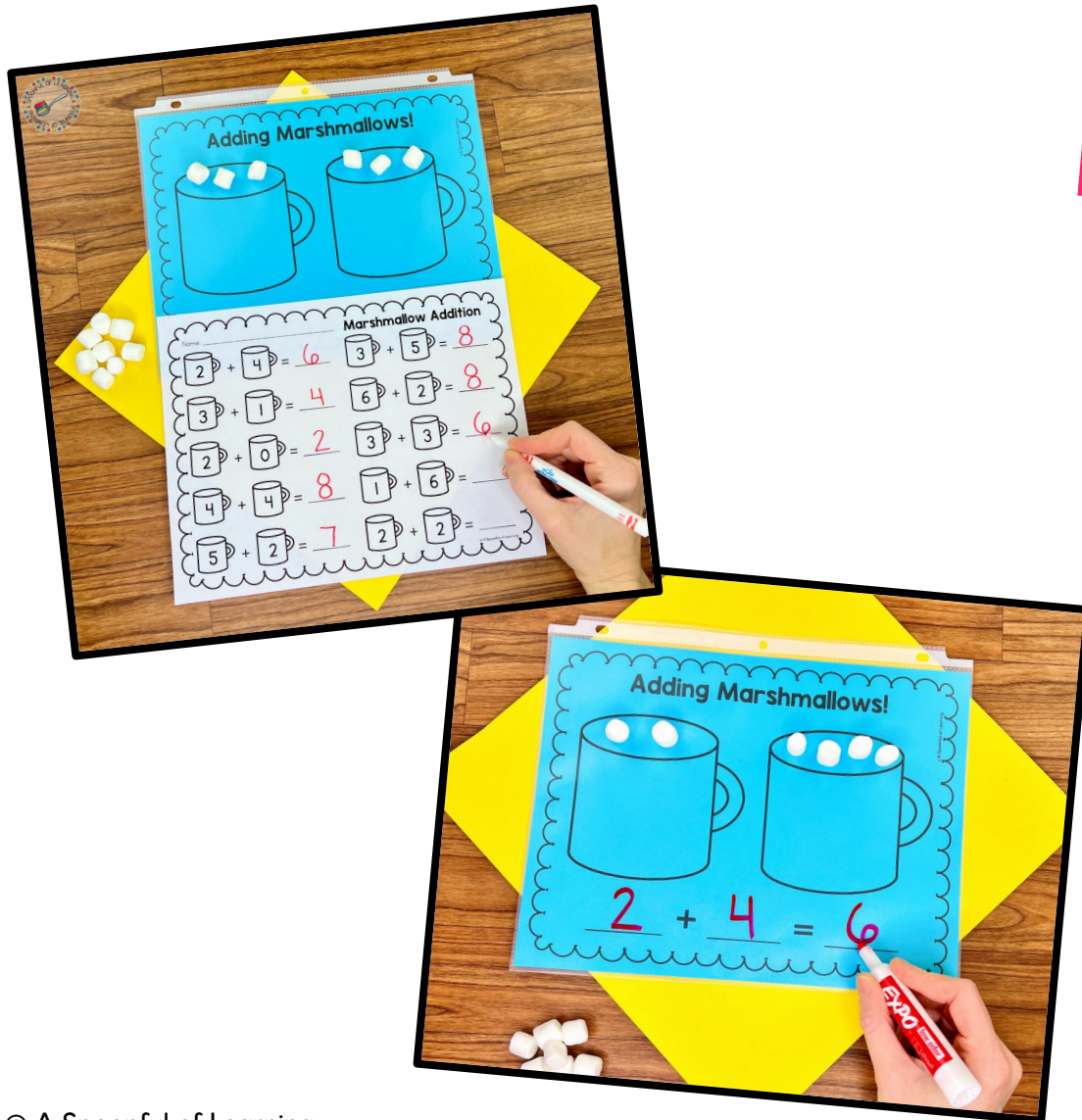


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MARSHMALLOW ADDITION MATS

Practice addition by acting out addition equations with marshmallows. Place these mats in a paper protector to reuse, write on, and for fun addition practice!

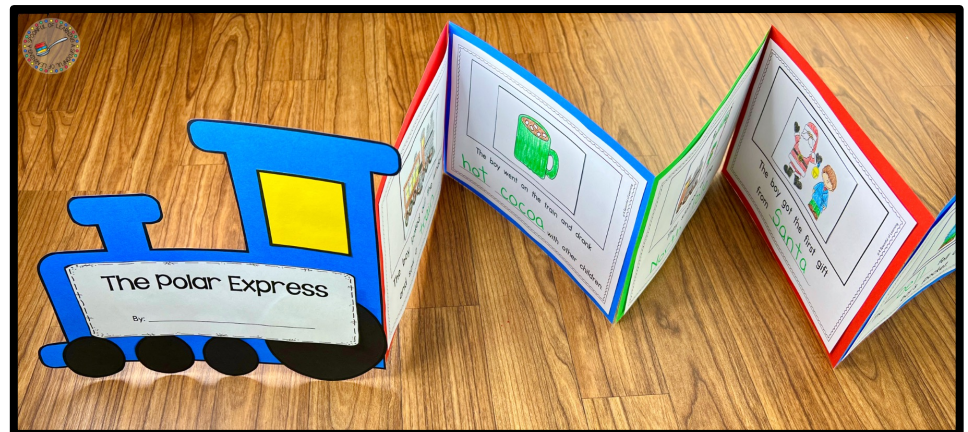
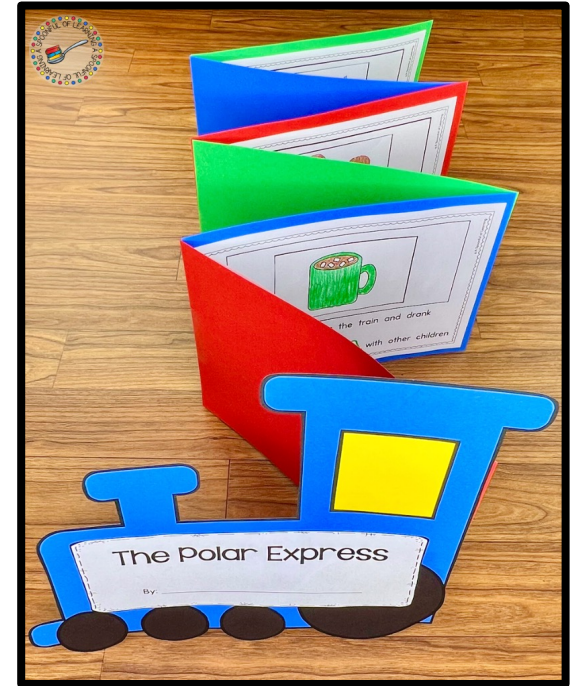


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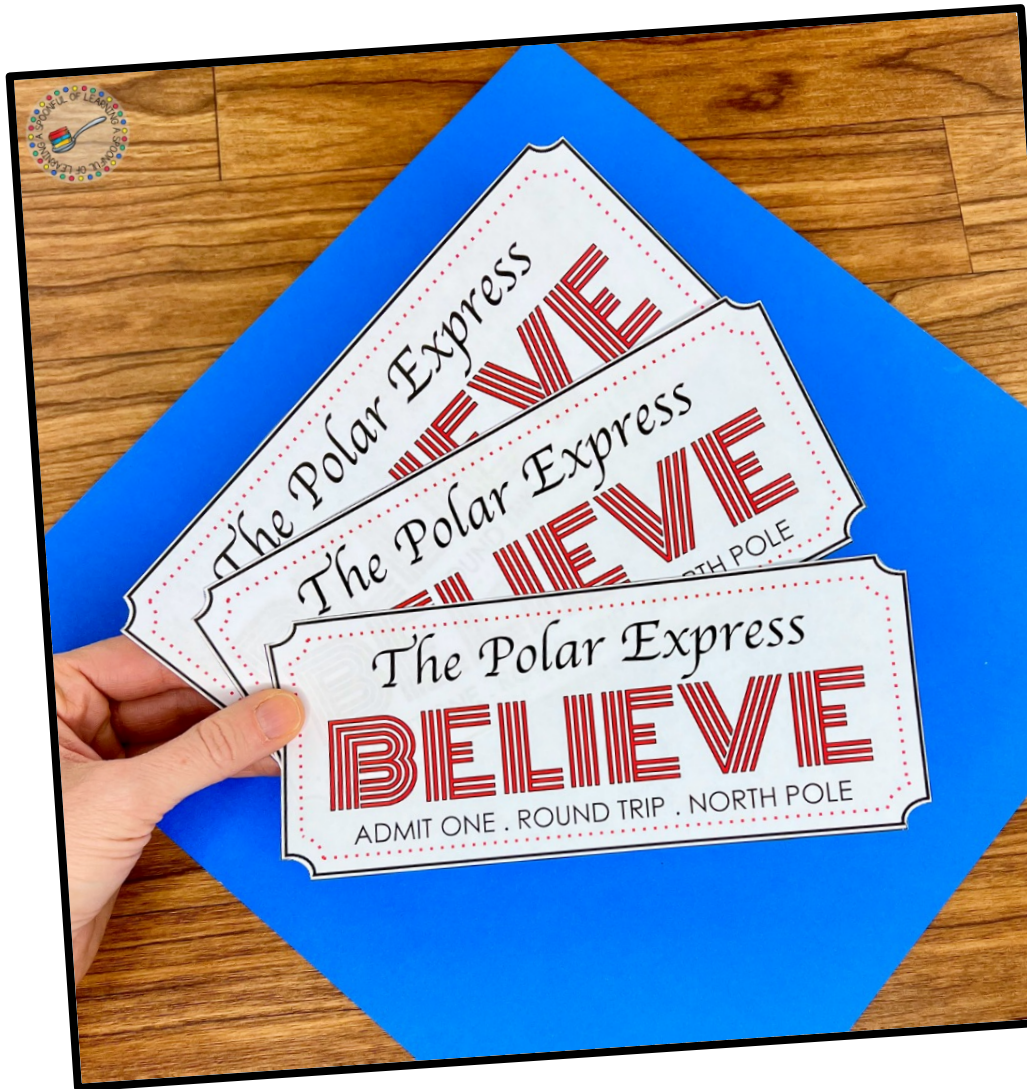
POLAR EXPRESS SEQUENCING CRAFT

Complete the fill in the blanks to write about the events in the story. Place the events in the correct order and turn them into a train craft that opens like an accordion!



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POLAR EXPRESS TICKETS

Turn the day into a special Polar Express event! Present these special tickets to each student before the fun begins. You can even hole punch the ticket just like the story!

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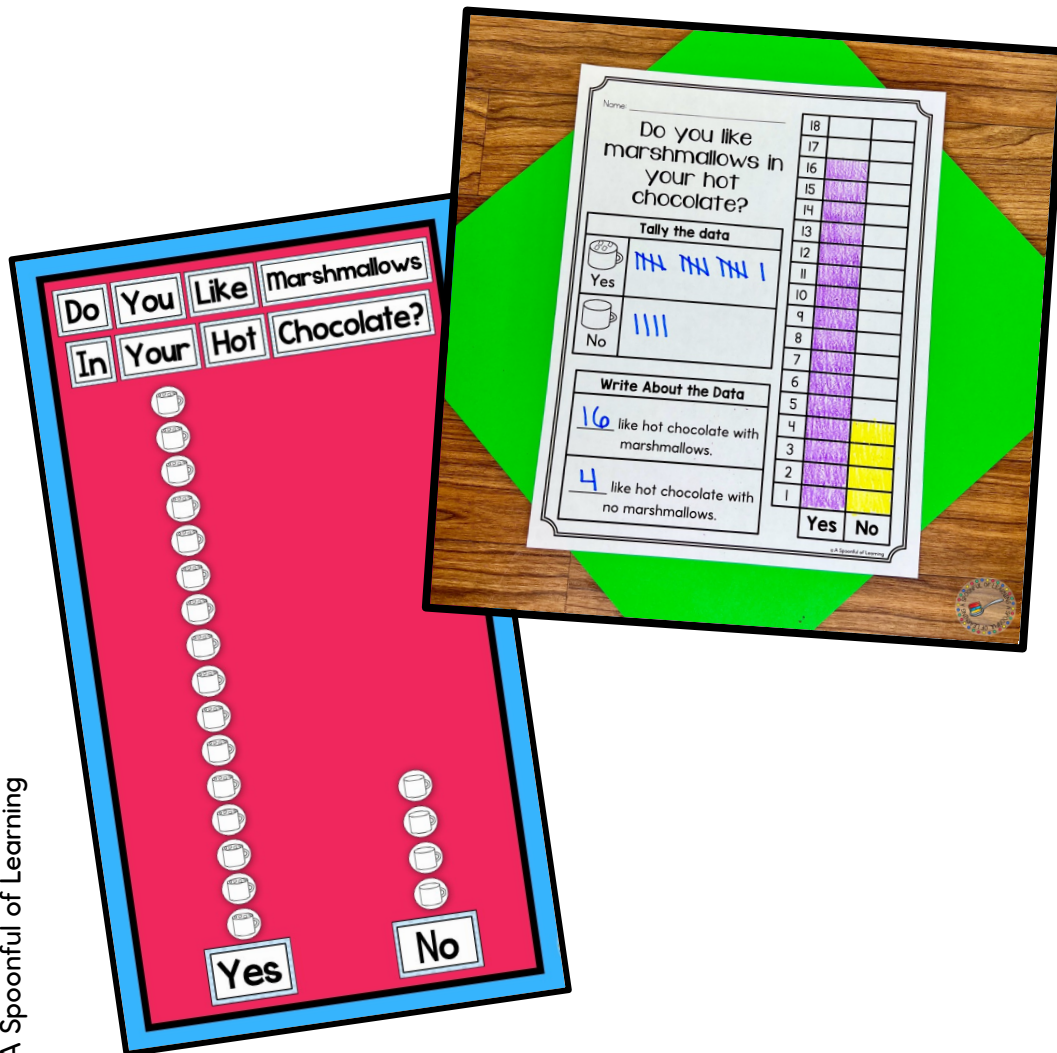
THE BEST GIFT OF ALL CRAFT

Write about what the best gift of all to you is. Turn the writing into a present and open to reveal the writing.



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MARSHMALLOWS GRAPH & DATA

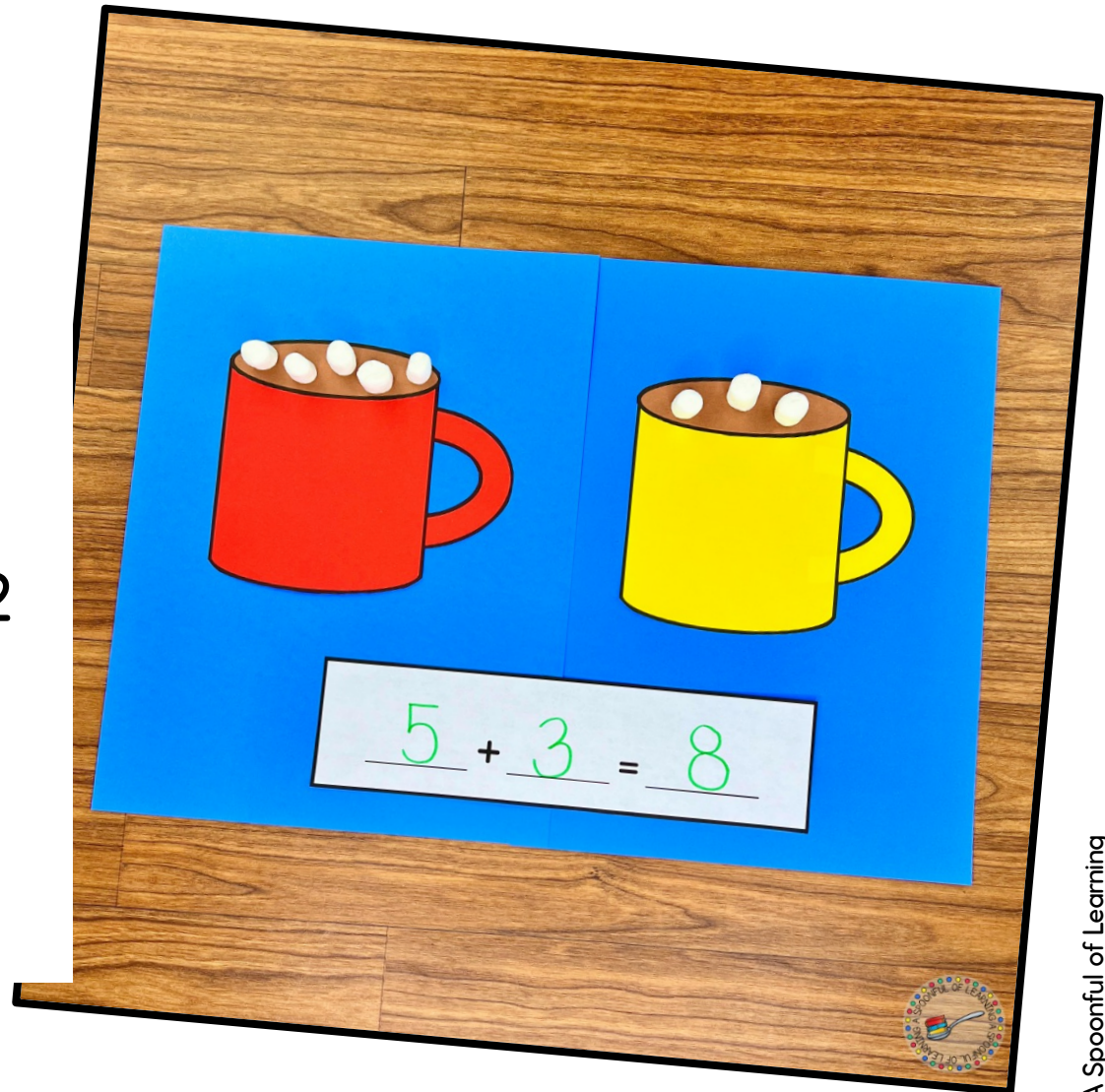
Try some marshmallows in your hot cocoa. Decide if you liked the marshmallows in the hot cocoa and share by making a class graph. Fill in the data to show the class results.

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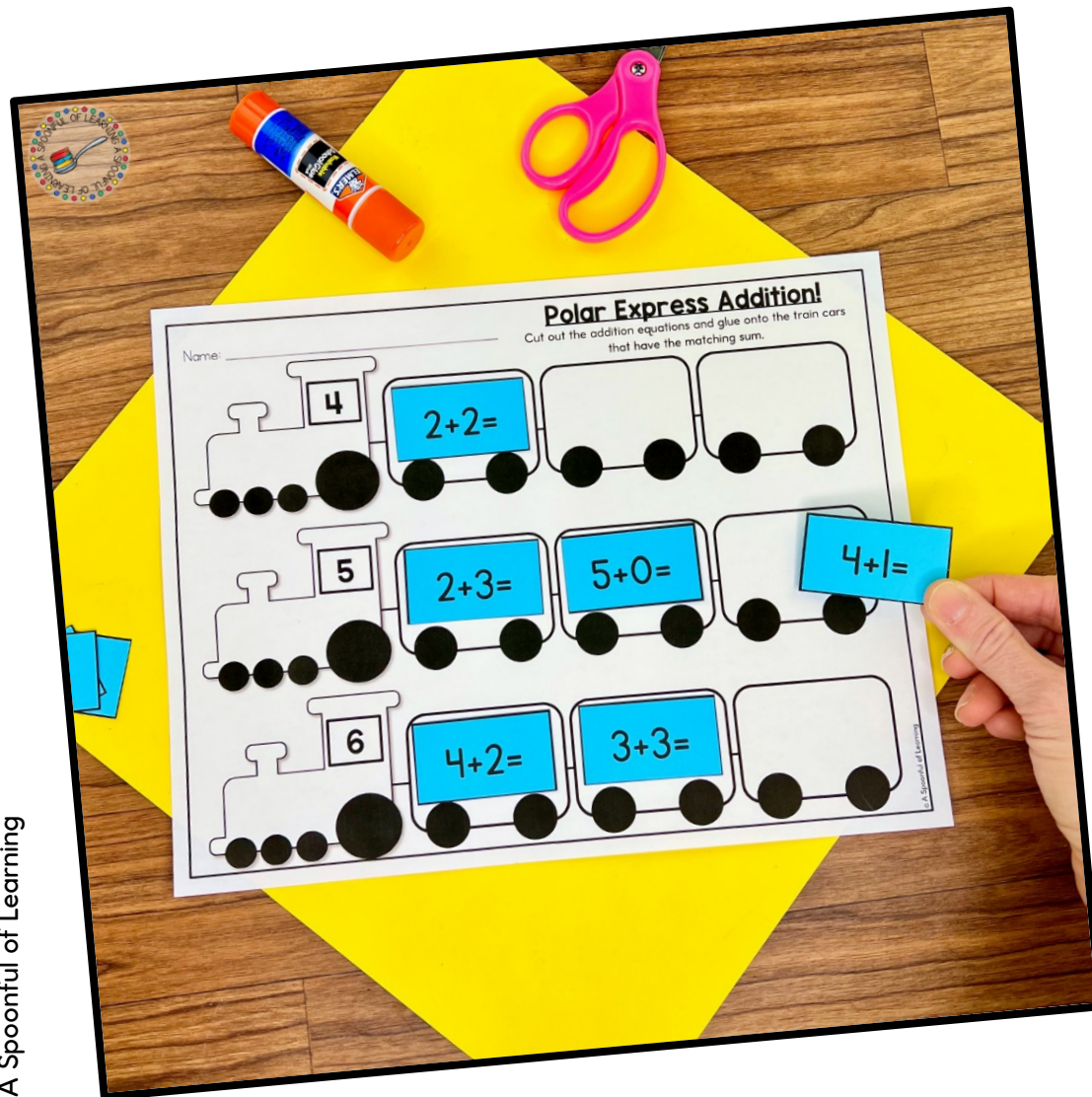
HOT COCOA ADDITION CRAFT

Make an addition craft by place real marshmallows in 2 mugs. Create an addition equation to show how many marshmallows are in each mug and altogether.



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ADDITION TRAINS

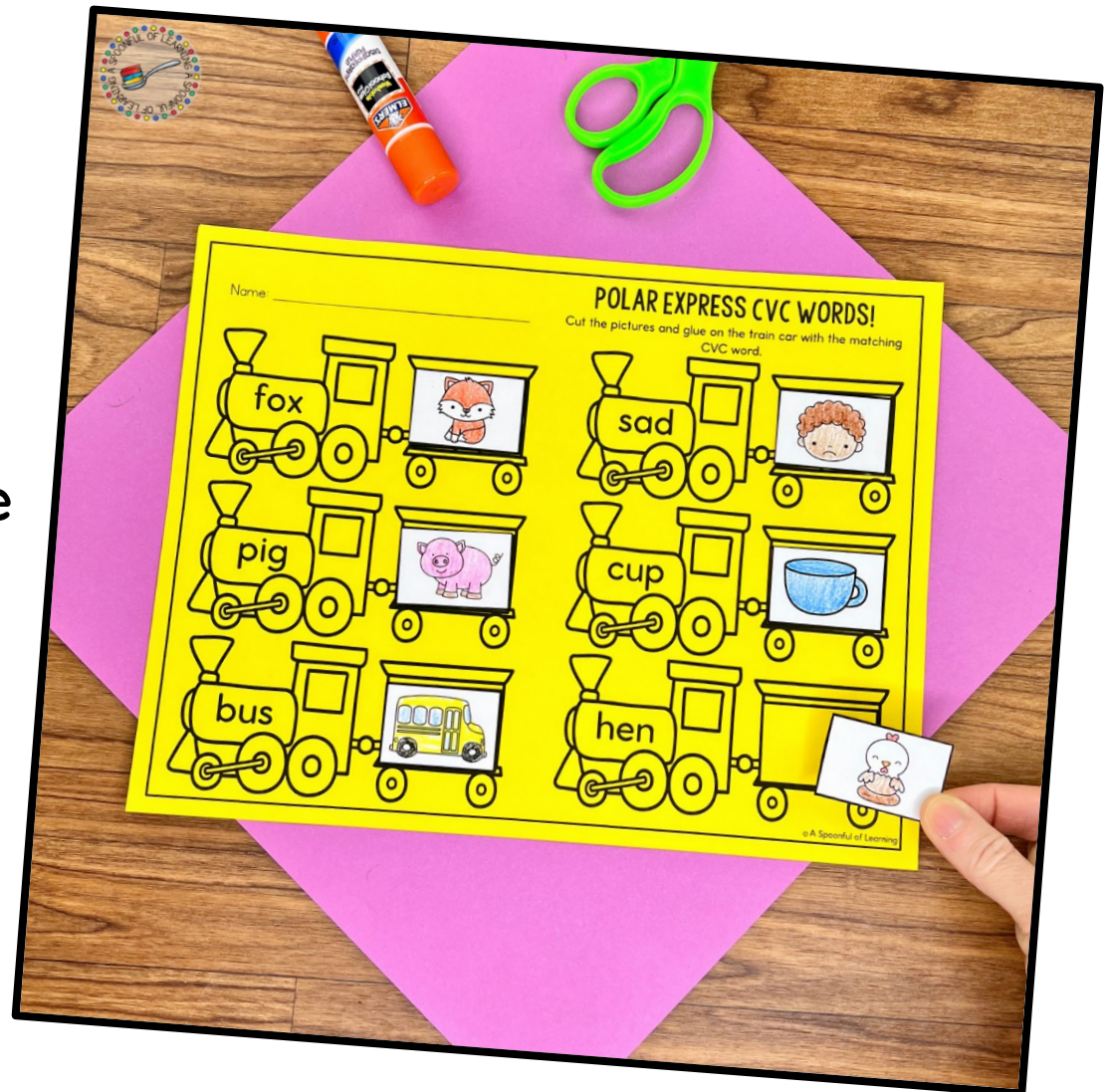
Sort the addition equations to the train with the correct sum.

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CVC TRAINS

Glue the pictures next to the correct CVC words.

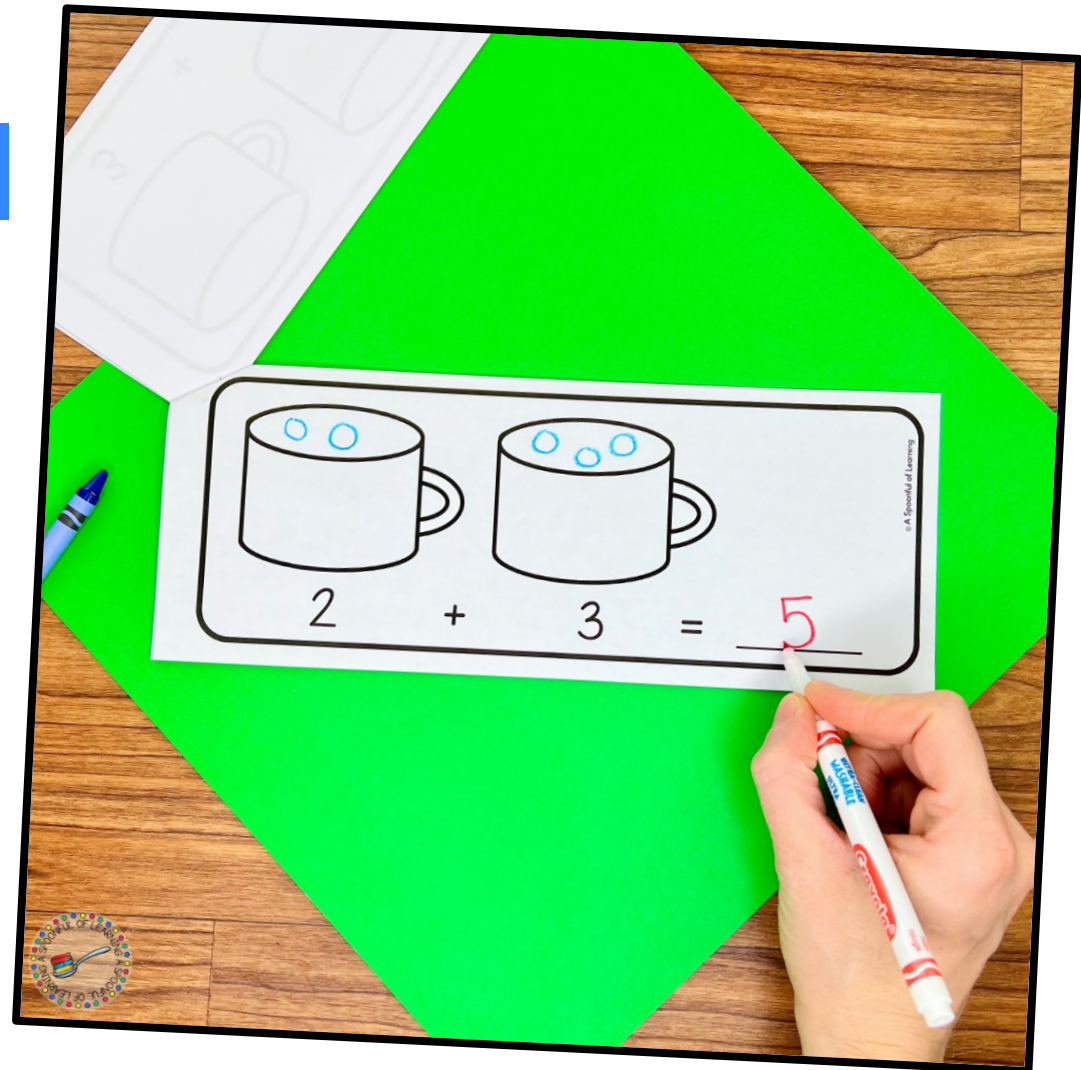


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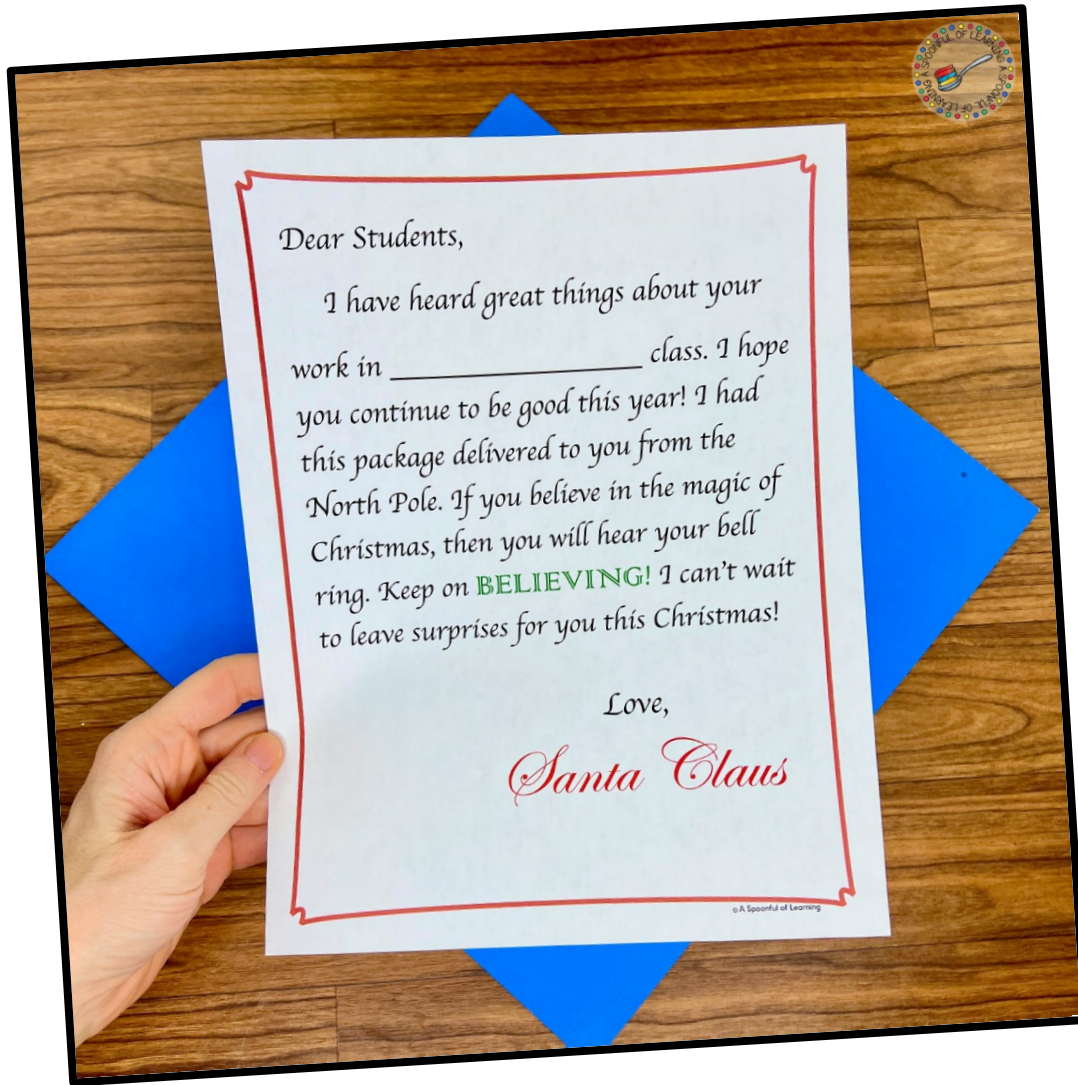
ADDITION MINI READER

Solve the addition equations in this mini book by drawing marshmallows in each mug and counting how many there are altogether to find the sum.



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LETTER FROM SANTA

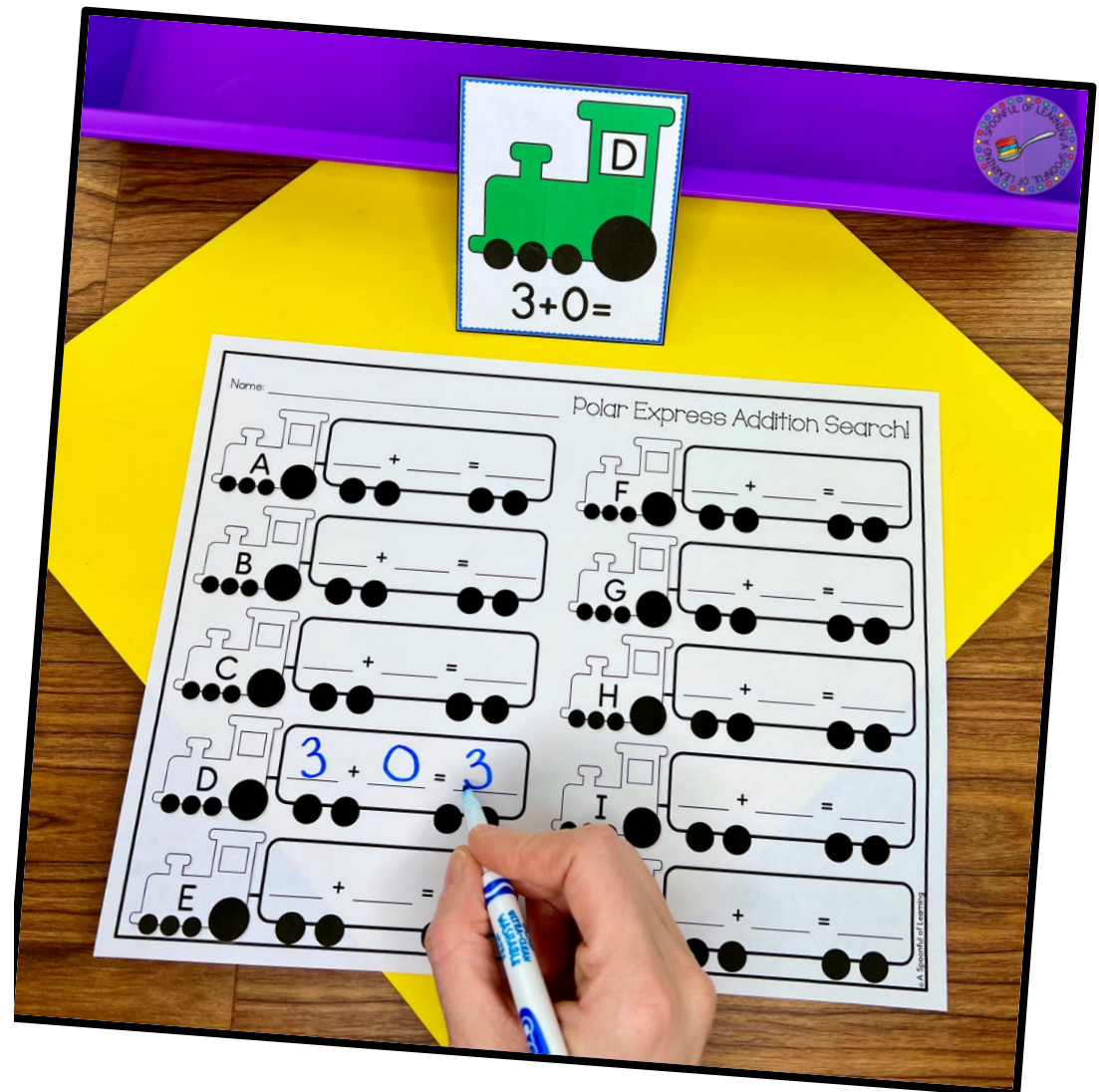
Surprise your class with a letter written just for your class from Santa! Ideas for what to do with this letter are included.

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ADDITION AROUND THE ROOM

Find the trains around the room. Write the addition equation and determine the sum.



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What **SKILLS** are covered?



Reading Comprehension



Number Sense



Retelling



Mental Math



Sequencing



Counting



Fine Motor Skills



Addition



CVC Words



Graphing



Respond to Questions Writing

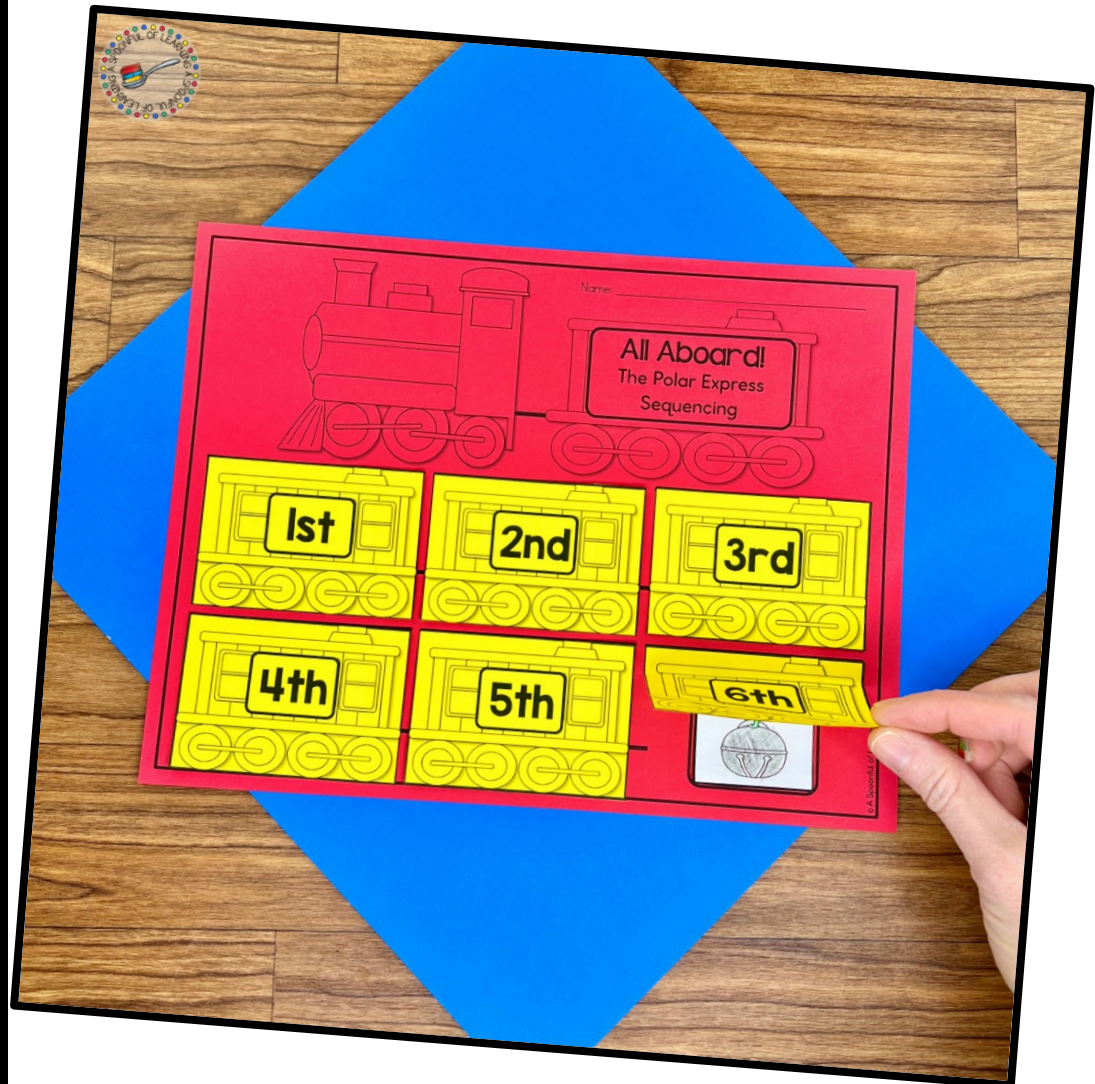


Writing

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Perfect for...

- Whole Group
- Thematic Unit
- Week Long Plans
- Small Groups
- Centers
- Independent Work



TEACHERS REVIEWS



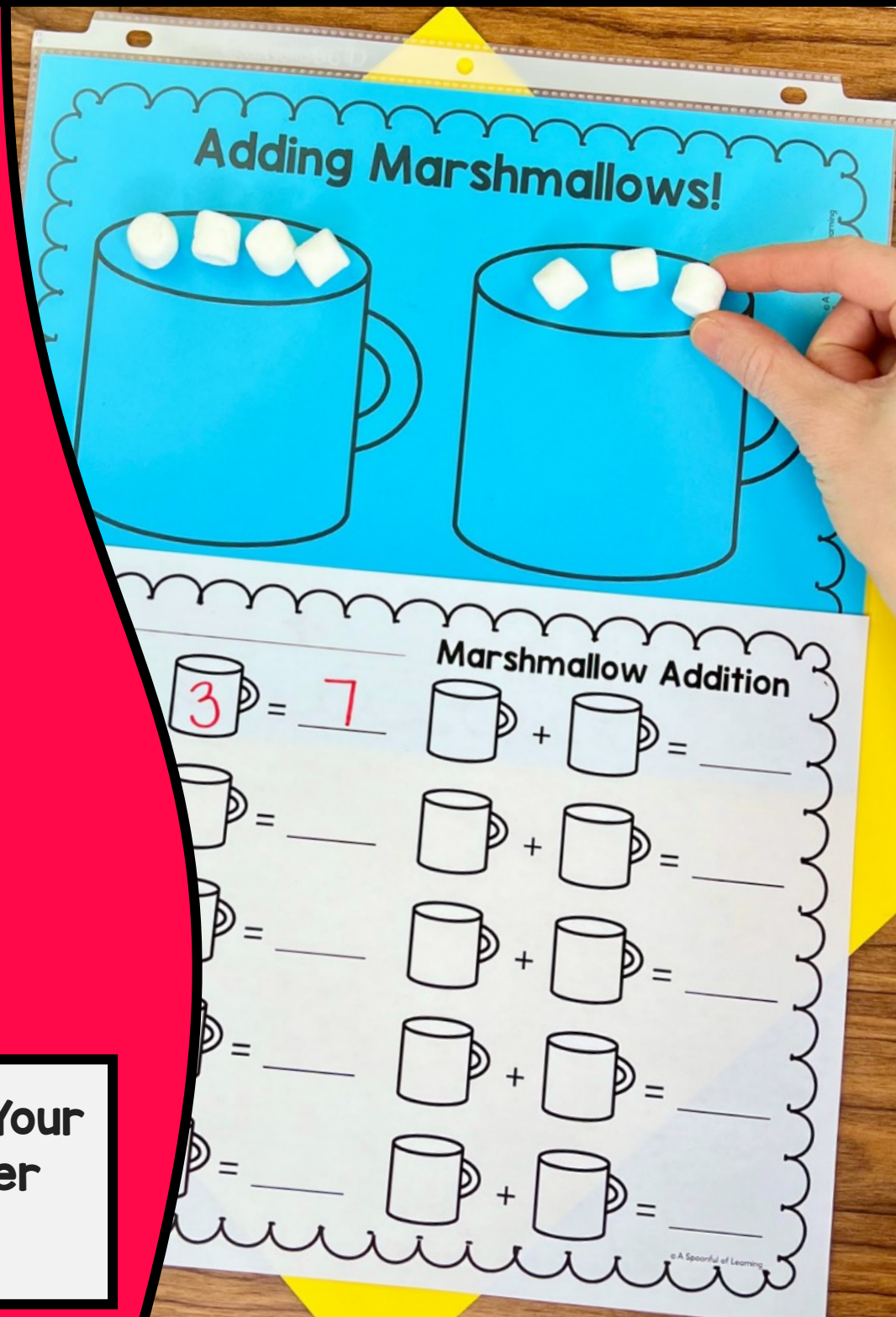
"My students love this! I really like the differentiation options. Each activity is so engaging, fun, teach so many skills, and the quality is amazing. I love how organized and easy this was for me as well!"



"My students absolutely loved this! We had so much fun celebrating Polar Express Day and this was the perfect resource to accompany our day! This took our day to the next level!"



"Love, love, love! Your activities are better than I can ever ask for. So many fun and engaging activities for students!"



WHY USE THIS POLAR EXPRESS UNIT?

1. Provides you with **13 activities** as well as a **5-day plan** for you to add these activities into your week. The different options included will allow you to **meet your students needs** and provide you with plenty of activities to keep students excited for more.

2. These activities are full of different math, literacy, and writing skills that will provide a **ton of quality and effective instruction** in an **engaging way**.

3. Students will engage with the content being taught, **make connections, develop vocabulary, comprehension skills, and draw from previous experiences and knowledge.**