

“And what happened then? Well...in Whoville they say, That the Grinch’s small heart Grew three sizes that day!”



# The Library News

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### 2024-2025



### Holiday Book Quotes

*I don't want Christmas season to end, because it's the only time I can legitimately indulge in one particular addiction: glitter*

– Eloisa James, Paris in Love

*Christmas is like candy; it slowly melts in your mouth sweetening every taste bud, making you wish it could last forever.* – Richelle E. Goodrich, Smile Anyway

*I will honor Christmas in my heart, and try to keep it all the year.* – Charles Dickens, A Christmas Carol



### Poem of the Month



The Best Present

The best present in the world  
 Can't be bought in the mall.  
 The best present in the world  
 Isn't a bike or a ball.  
 The best present in the world  
 Can't be caught like some hugs

“At one time, most of my friends could hear the bell, but as years passed, it fell silent for all of them.



Though I've grown old, the bell still rings for me, as it does for all who truly believe.”  
 -Polar Express

“The Polar Express” by Chris Van Allsburg



### Reading Challenge- December

Read a Christmas, holiday, or winter-themed chapter book OR half-point book during F.A.R.T. and PASS the AR quiz.

### Have a Library Question? A Suggestion?

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winter selections!



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AR Quiz **198689**



AR Quiz **192442**



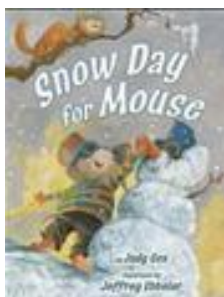
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