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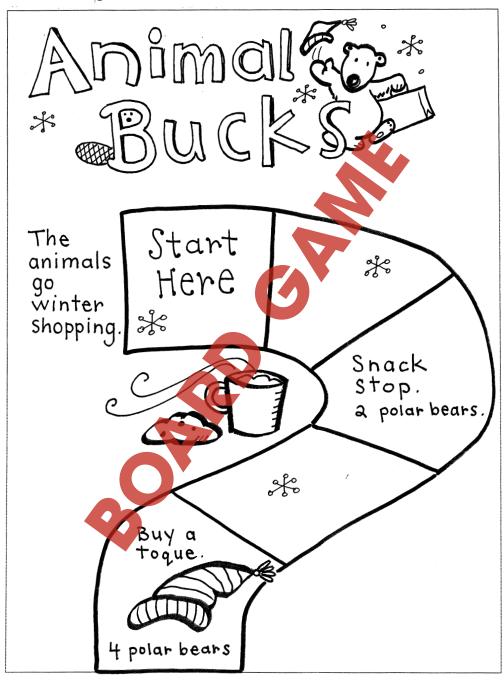
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#### Martha and the Northern Lights

Long ago a little Inuit girl named Martha lived in Nunavut, which is in northern Canada. Her winter home is an igloo that she shares with her grandmother. One day Martha went out ice fishing.

"Don't be late," said Martha's grandmother. "If you get lost, remember to follow the dancers."

Martha went out to find a place to fish and chiseled a hole out of the ice. She found a good spot and began to fish. She fished for a long time until her basket was full.

Soon it was dark.

"I don't think I can find my way home," said Martha. Martha remembered what Grandmother told her. "When you are lost at night, look for the dancers."

"Grandmother is always talking riddles, "thought Martha. "What did she mean?"

Martha kept walking and saw a pair of arctic hares dancing. Perhaps the hares could show her the way home.

"Do you know where I live?" asked Martha.

"Sorry, we do not," replied the hares and they kept on dancing.

Martha kept walking and saw a pair of orca dancing in the water.

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Name	Date
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	ad the story <u>Rabbit, North Wind, and</u> you answer the following questions?
Who are the three	main characters of the story?
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What season is it?_	*
what season is it?_	
What words in the	story tell us what season it is?
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	d was not in the story? How could Rabbit
get Mountain Ash t	o share his berries?
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# Bruce the Moose

Bruce the Moose was hungry,
One frosty winter's day.
The snow was blowing in his face.
He couldn't find his way.

A fast food restaurant, o Was where he willed to go. But Bruce had faulty eyesight, In the blinding, white snow.

But on the road ahead, Bright lights were in his eyes. He saw a neon burger, loaded With cheese, and a side of fries.

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What do you like to do for winter?

Draw and colour picture for your

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