

Expository Writing Prompt

READ the information in the box below.

Christmas parades can really get you in the mood for the holidays! It's fun to see the brightly- lit floats, the marching bands, the carolers, and Santa Claus. Ho, Ho, Ho!

THINK about the Christmas parades you've been to or even been in.

WRITE about what you see and do at a Christmas parade. Tell about your favorite part of the parade and **explain** why it gets you in a Holiday mood.

Be sure to:

- make your central idea very clear
- organize all of your writing
- use details to develop your writing
- carefully choose your words
- always use correct spelling, capitalization, punctuation, grammar, and sentences.