Going to visit our family and friends at Christmas

During Christmas, my family and I might go to visit family or friends.

This can be exciting but a little different from being at my own home. Here is what I can expect, so I feel ready.

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When we get there, I might see people I know well and some people I might not know. I can say 'hello' if I want, or I can stay close to my family until I feel comfortable.



I might not feel ready to ______ (e.g. take off my headphones, stop reading my book) and that's okay.

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Their home might look different to my home, with different decorations, lights, sounds and smells.



They might celebrate Christmas in a different way.
That's okay!



Every family has their own way of celebrating and I can decide to watch, learn or ask questions about what they are doing.



There might be background music, gifts exchanged, new food or games being played. If I don't want to be involved, I can say, 'No, thank you' or let someone from my family know.

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