



## Christmas under palm trees

Is the easy way to simple present & going-to-future. In this film you visit people celebrating Christmas in the Southern hemisphere, in this case Australia. Even though it is warm and sunny over here and there is no snow to be found anywhere, everybody enjoys Christmas. They just celebrate it in a very different way. Australians celebrate it on December 25th. On December 26th, they celebrate Boxing Day.

When talking about traditions people use the simple present, which is an authentic way to learn this grammar. When it comes to plans and intentions they use the going-to-future and we learn how to create and use it.

This film is also a fun and easy way to catch some more vocabulary about barbecuing - Australian Christmas food is more often cold than hot. In contrast to other cultures Australians dress up: for example as Santas little helper, with red bathing shorts or with reindeer antlers.

### KEY WORDS

Christmas tradition, blended teaching scenario, everyday communication, simple present: tradition, going-to-future: intentions, plans, food: barbecue, chicken, ham, Greek salad, bacon, eggs, hash browns, lamb, Thai food, veggies, sausages, Boxing Day, cricket, Melbourne, Sydney.

### TARGET GROUP

General-educational schools (grades 4-8):

Grundschule, Hauptschule, Realschule, Gesamtschule, Gymnasium.

Alle Berufsschulen & Tourismusmanagement.

English classes and bilingual classes.



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### Didactical DVD

Running Time: 10 min.  
Chapter selection possible.

### Chapters: 6

1. Introduction
2. Simple present
3. Food for Christmas
4. Boxing day
5. Going-to-future
6. Practice makes perfect

### Additional Teaching Material

- film script
- game
- quiz
- word puzzle
- audio files

Language: English  
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Production countries:  
Germany, Australia.

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Didaktische DVD mit kompetenzorientiertem Unterrichtsmaterial im DVD-ROM-Teil  
nach länderübergreifendem Kernlehrplan (G8)



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