On the train, children sang carols, ate sweets with nougat centres and drank hot chocolate.



Though the boy grew up, the bell still rang for him as it does for all who truly believe.



On Christmas Eve, a young boy saw a train standing perfectly still in front of his house.



The boy asked for a silver bell from a reindeer's harness but he lost it in Santa's sleigh.



The Polar Express took the boy home.
On Christmas Day he discovered a
package from Father Christmas. Inside



The boy took the conductor's outstretched hand and climbed aboard.



They arrived at North Pole City where Father Christmas chose the boy to receive the first gift of Christmas.



They travelled northwards through cold forests and climbed mountains so high it seemed as if they would scrape the moon.