### Christmas Checklist - October

#### Things to Do

- Update holiday card addresses; determine number of cards to send
- Select holiday cards
- Print labels for cards
- Take or schedule date to take pictures for holiday card
- Start Christmas list for family and friends - printable chart
- Set a budget
- Take inventory for wrapping paper, bows and bags
- Clear a shelf or area to store gifts purchased
- Work on fall cleaning to avoid major cleaning right before Thanksgiving

#### Things to Buy

- Shop for holiday outfits for children - buy early for selection
- Order return address labels
- Holiday cards

#### Holiday Calendar

- Schedule date to get tree, decorate tree
- Set date for holiday party
- Set date for holiday activities: Santa express train, pix taken with Santa