Santa’s Personalized Response to a Child’s Letter.

The Postal Service can help you prove it when Santa replies to your child’s letter, complete with a North Pole postmark. Here are the steps for a child to get a letter back from Santa:

1. Have the child write a letter to Santa and place it in an envelope addressed to: Santa Claus, North Pole.
2. Later, when alone, open the envelope and write a personalized response.
3. Insert the response letter into an envelope and address it to the child.
4. Add the return address: SANTA, NORTH POLE, to the envelope.
5. Ensure the envelope is affixed with a First-Class Mail stamp, such as a recently issued Holiday stamp.
6. Place the complete envelope into a larger envelope — preferably a Priority Mail Flat Rate Envelope — with appropriate postage, and address it to:

   NORTH POLE POSTMARK
   POSTMASTER
   4141 POSTMARK DRIVE
   ANCHORAGE, AK 99530-9998

“Letters from Santa” must be received by the Anchorage, AK postmaster no later than Dec. 15. Santa’s helpers at the Postal Service, will take care of the rest. Also be sure to share the experience on social media using #LettersFromSanta. The Letters from Santa program adds to the excitement of Christmas and is ideal for interesting youngsters in letter writing, stamps and penmanship.