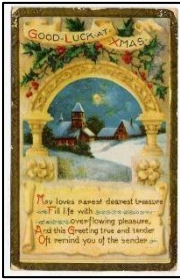# Colour in a Christmas postcard

This is a Christmas postcard dating from 1910-20. Greetings cards such as this became popular in the Victorian era. Henry Cole sent the very first Christmas card in 1843. He asked an artist friend to illustrate his idea for a greetings card for Christmas. Cheap mass printing and the penny post contributed to the soaring popularity of this idea.

Using felt tip pens or pencils, colour in the Christmas postcard.