July 30th 5th grade

ACTIVITY 2: READING

INTRODUCTION

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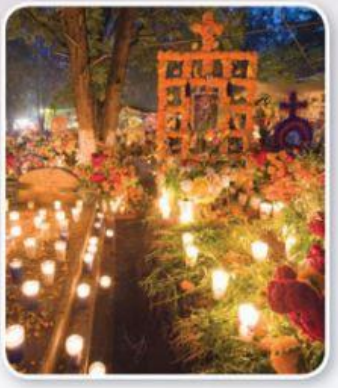
READING ★

1 Listen and read. TR: 2.9

November *Celebration*

The Day of the Dead is an important festival in Mexico. People celebrate it on the first day of November.

Families take food to cemeteries, and they light candles and play music. Sometimes there are fireworks, too. People give candy and chocolate in the shape of skulls. For Mexicans, the festival is not sad. The Day of the Dead is a happy time.



Day of the Dead

2 Read. Complete the chart.

The Day of the Dead	
Where do people celebrate it?	
When is it?	
What do people do?	

3 Talk with a partner. Look at the pictures on this page. What do you see? What do you like?

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Paragraph 1:

When is the Day of the Dead celebrated?

Paragraph 2:

What do families do on this day?

What kinds of presents do people give at this celebration?

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