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Reading Comprehension

Holidays



Read the passage carefully. Answer the questions that follow.

Christmas is my favorite holiday. My grandmother makes ham, salad, and cupcakes on Christmas. I also get a present on Christmas! Last year I got a new set of paint brushes. This year I hope to get new pencils and a drawing pad. I always have fun on Christmas.

Halloween is another good holiday. My grandmother makes candy corn and cupcakes on Halloween. People wear costumes during Halloween. Last year I wore a skeleton costume. This year I am going to wear a zombie costume. July 4 is a good holiday. July 4 is the birthday of the United States of America. My grandmother makes hot dogs and salad on July 4. I don't have to go to school on July 4. But I don't get any presents either. If I got presents on July 4 it would be my favorite holiday.

Questions

1) When does the author's grandmother make cupcakes?

I. Christmas II. Halloween III. July 4
A. I only **B. I and II only** **C. I, II, and III**

2) Which holiday does the author like most?

A. Christmas **B. Halloween** **C. Easter**

3) Based on the things the author gets for Christmas, we can understand that he likes _____.

- A. sports
- B. art
- C. music

4) What is the author's favorite thing about holidays?

- A. not going to school**
- B. eating candy**
- C. getting presents**

5) What costume did the author wear for Halloween last year?

- A. a skeleton costume**
- B. a zombie costume**
- C. a pumpkin costume**

6) Based on what you know about the author, what costume will he probably wear next year?

- A. a pumpkin costume**
- B. a flower costume**
- C. a ghost costume**

7) This story is mainly about

- A. why the author likes some holidays**
- B. how someone can get out of school**
- C. which foods are the best to eat on different holidays**

8) What is the best title for this passage?

- A. The Holidays I Like**
- B. Why Christmas is Best**
- C. Hot Dogs and Salad**