

6B Times we love

I. GRAMMAR

1. Write the verb+ -ing form of the verbs in the box in the correct column

buy come draw find get have give run stop
swim take wait

verb + -ing	e + -ing	double consonant + -ing
buying		

2. Look at the chart and complete the sentences.

😊😊 = love 😊 = like 😐 = don't mind 😞 = don't like 😞😞 = hate	 William	 Amanda
dance at parties	😞😞	😊😊
do housework	😊	😞😞
drive at night	😊	😞
sit in cafés	😐	😊
swim in the sea	😊😊	😞
watch football	😞	😊😊

II. VOCABULARY

1. Complete the chart.

1/1 14/2 4/7 31/10 25/12

Day	Date	You say...
Christmas Day	25/12	the twenty-fifth of December
Halloween		
New Year's Day		
US Independence Day		
Valentine's Day		

2. Continues the series.

1 September, October, November, December

2 May, June, _____, _____

3 January, February, _____, _____

4 spring, summer, _____, _____

1 William hates dancing at parties.

Amanda _____ at parties.

2 William _____ housework.

Amanda _____ housework.

3 William _____ at night.

Amanda _____ at night.

4 William _____ in cafés.

Amanda _____ in cafés.

5 William _____ in the sea.

Amanda _____ in the sea.

6 William _____ football.

Amanda _____ football.

5 first, second, _____, _____

6 sixth, seventh, _____, _____

7 eighteenth, nineteenth, _____, _____

III. PRONUNCIATION

Choose the stressed syllable.

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|------------|-------------|
| 1 January | 7 July |
| 2 February | 8 August |
| 3 March | 9 September |
| 4 April | 10 October |
| 5 May | 11 November |
| 6 June | 12 December |

IV. READING

Read the article about important dates in the UK and find the answers to the questions. Write **A**, **B**, **C** or **D**.

On which day or days...?

- | | |
|---|---|
| 1 do some people watch football | ☒ C |
| 2 do people remember a moment in history | ☐ |
| 3 do people celebrate a change in the weather | ☐ |
| 4 do people go to work | ☐ ☐ |
| 5 do people hear stories which aren't true | ☐ |
| 6 do some people wear special clothes | ☐ |



to remember

A April Fool's Day is on 1st April. It isn't a public holiday, but it's a day when people play jokes on friends and family. Some good jokes are in the newspapers or on TV – for example, one year on the BBC there was a programme about spaghetti trees in Switzerland. Many people believed it was true!

B In most countries, **May Day** is on 1st May, but in the UK the holiday is always the first Monday of May. A traditional May Day activity is maypole dancing, when people in colourful clothes dance around a tree or a pole to celebrate the end of winter and the start of sunny weather.

C Boxing Day is a holiday on 26th December. If this is a weekend, then the holiday is the following Monday. The name comes from the custom of giving servants a small box with a present or money on this day. Some families meet to watch sport, while others prefer to go shopping on the first day of the sales.

D Bonfire Night isn't a holiday but it is a national celebration. On 5th November, people remember Guy Fawkes' plan to destroy the English Parliament in 1605. The plan was not a success, and every year since then towns and villages have huge bonfires and fantastic firework displays. They also burn a model of the man responsible for the plan, Guy Fawkes.