

Unit 9. FESTIVALS AROUND THE WORLD**FURTHER PRACTICE****I. Fill in each blank with a suitable preposition.**

1. The children often get a lot of presents _____ Christmas and _____ their birthdays.
2. I'm going to invite my friends to come over _____ my house _____ dinner _____ the night of the festival.
3. Next summer, my family will have a vacation _____ Thailand and stay there _____ one week.
4. _____ Thanksgiving (Day), people have a feast _____ turkey, cornbread and sweet potatoes.
5. The Twins Day Festival is one of the most exciting festivals I've been _____.

II. Give the correct forms of the verbs in brackets.

1. It wouldn't be safe (start) now; we will have (wait) till the mist clears.
2. While the guests (dance) thieves (break) into the house and (steal) a lot of fur coats.
3. The children look extremely exhausted. What they (do)? Oh, they just (collect) the garbage in the school yard.
4. I've hung out the clothes. It's lovely and sunny; if it (stay) like this, they (be) dry in two hours.
5. A woman (come) in with a baby, who she (say) just (swallow) a safety pin.

III. Find and correct the mistake in each of the following sentences.

1. Beautiful is in the eye of the beholder. E.g. beautiful -beauty
2. They cannot go camping right now because they are taking care of their three-weeks-old baby.
3. If it rain this afternoon, we will have to cancel the picnic.
4. Are you familiar of the latest scientific developments in biology?
5. The children were surprised when the teacher had them to close their books unexpectedly.
6. We are looking forward to hear from you.
7. We studied very hard for the lesson, because we passed the exam very easily.
8. Nancy asked me when my school vacation start.
9. Jane wishes you can help her solve this financial problem.
10. There were so much people trying to recognize each other at the anniversary.