

Labour Day Exercises - A2 Level

Exercise 1: Vocabulary Match

Match the words with their meanings:

1. Worker
2. Holiday
3. Celebrate
4. Rights
5. Protest

- a. Special day with no work or school
- b. A person who works
- c. To do something special for an event
- d. To say you don't agree with something, usually in public
- e. Things people are allowed to have or do

Exercise 2: Reading Comprehension - True or False

Read the text and answer the questions:

Text:

Labour Day is a special holiday in many countries around the world. It is usually celebrated on the 1st of May. On this day, people remember the efforts and achievements of workers. Many years ago, workers had to work for many hours, sometimes more than 12 hours a day, and they did not have many rights. They wanted better conditions, fair pay, and shorter working hours. That's why they started to protest and ask for changes.

Today, many countries celebrate Labour Day to thank workers for their hard work. Most people don't go to work or school on this day. Some people take part in parades or marches. Others stay home and relax with their families. In some places, there are speeches or concerts to celebrate. Labour Day is also a time to think about workers' rights and how we can improve jobs for everyone.

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Decide if the sentences are True or False:

1. Labour Day is celebrated in only a few countries.
2. Workers in the past had good working conditions.
3. Labour Day is always on the first of May.
4. On Labour Day, some people join marches or parades.
5. Workers asked for better pay and shorter hours.
6. Today, everyone must go to work on Labour Day.
7. Some people celebrate with concerts and speeches.
8. Labour Day is about thinking of workers and their rights.

Exercise 3: Fill in the blanks

Use these words: holiday, work, celebrate, workers, rights

1. We don't go to _____ on Labour Day.
2. It's a _____ in many countries.
3. People _____ the hard job workers do.
4. Labour Day is about the _____ of workers.
5. _____ are important to every country.