Hi everyone, I'm Gina. After Christmas, the second biggest _____event of the year in the UK is Easter. Even for people who don't celebrate Easter as a religious _____, it is an important time of the year. The date changes every year, but it always _____ with the start of spring. In this lesson, you're going to learn about Easter and how it is celebrated. How many chocolate eggs are eaten in the UK at Easter? We'll show you the answer at the end of this video. At Easter, we give each other eggs. Eggs _____ the _____ and new life of _____ following his Crucifixion. When this tradition started, it was bird eggs painted in bright colours that were given. Now, we give _____ to each other, and especially to children that often have even more chocolate inside. A popular activity at Easter is to hold an Easter Egg Hunt. Small eggs are hidden (*Gina wrongly says 'given'*) in an area, usually a garden or public place such as a school, and then people try to find them. The eggs can be real eggs that have been _____ and _____, or small chocolate eggs. Schools will hold many events and competitions related to Easter, and one of the most famous is the _____. For this, hats are decorated with Easter-related decorations such as eggs, chicks and rabbits. There are egg _____competitions, where _____ eggs are rolled down a slide or a hill, and the egg that travels the furthest without breaking apart wins. Also, there are egg decorating competitions. At Christmas, it is Santa Claus that brings the presents, but at Easter, it is the _____ that brings the eggs. Chocolate _____ in the shape of bunnies are popular gifts at Easter, alongside the traditional eggs. And now I'll give you the answer to the earlier quiz. How many chocolate eggs are eaten in the UK at Easter? Around _____ eggs are eaten by Brits at Easter. This is particularly impressive for a country that has a population of only _____ people! How was this lesson? Did you learn something interesting? Do you have any games similar to the ones I spoke about in your country? Leave us a comment at EnglishClass101.com, and we'll see you in the next lesson. Bye!

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