



Thanksgiving, a little history



At the beginning of the 17th century, a religious group called the Puritans are persecuted in _____.



In September _____, a hundred and two Puritans and colonists leave Plymouth, England on a ship called _____.

1620



The Mayflower



They decide to go to _____ to establish a colony where they can practice their religion freely.



The voyage on the _____ Ocean is very dangerous.



Their first winter is very difficult.

The Pilgrims are _____ and _____.



In the spring of 1621, Native Americans from the Wampanoag tribe _____ the Pilgrims survive.



One of them can speak _____.
His name is Squanto.

Forty-five Pilgrims die during the _____.



Squanto shows the colonists how to plant local crops, such as _____ and _____, as well as where to fish and hunt.



The harvest of 1621 produces a lot of food so a _____ is organized to celebrate and give _____ to God.



The Pilgrims work hard. They build houses, they go hunting and _____.



The grateful Pilgrims invite Squanto and other Native Americans. They have a big celebration for three days. It is the first _____.

