

Special days and celebrations

What special occasions do people celebrate in our country? What do people do?

Match the verbs with the phrases:

1-have	a restaurant
2-eat	fireworks
3-go to	new clothes
4-sing	presents/gifts to each other
5-give	a party
6-watch	to special music
7-invite	special food
8-decorate	Happy Birtday!!
9-wear	guests
10-dance	your home

Ex:

1- Have a party

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Read the programme information and answer the questions:



DIWALI, the festival of light, is an important time for more than a billion Hindus all around the world. It is a time of colour and light, a time for family and new beginnings. This BBC programme meets Hindu families in the UK for Diwali, and looks at how they prepare for the five day event and their different customs of the festival.

- 1- Another name for Diwali is
- 2- This festival is celebrated by the
- 3- This festival lasts days.

Watch the video and mark True or False

- a-Diwali is always in October or November
- b-It lasts for three days
- c-Men buy jewellery for their wives
- d-The woman throws a pakora(Indian food) in two directions
- e-They make a picture using colour paints
- f-The Hindu New year's day is the third day.
- g' People visit their parents and children
- h- fireworks are only on the last day of DIWALI.