

THANKSGIVING

1. Match the vocabulary words with the pictures.

turkey

bread

pie

cook

sale

wedding

grandparents



2. Watch the video and read the text about Thanksgiving.



Thanksgiving is one of the most important holidays in the United States and Canada. In the United States it's always the fourth Thursday in November.

Thanksgiving is an important day to be with your family. I always visit my grandparents on Thanksgiving and the weekend after Thanksgiving. I sometimes visit my dad's parents, like in this photo. You can see my grandma, my granddad, me, my sister, my dad, my aunts, my cousins, and the dog! I sometimes visit my mom's parents, but they hardly ever take photos on Thanksgiving. This photo is from my sister's wedding.

We always have a big dinner. Thanksgiving has many traditional foods. In these photos you can see a turkey, cranberry sauce, okra, pumpkin pie, and sweet potatoes. Every person in my family cooks some of the food. I usually do baking. I like to make bread or pumpkin pie. I sometimes cook potatoes with cheese and onions. They're delicious!

Thanksgiving is a day to be thankful. To be thankful means to feel gratitude for the good things in your life. At dinner, we usually talk about what we are thankful for. For example, I am thankful for my parents and sister, my cats, having good food, and having the opportunity to live in Galicia.

In New York, there is always a big parade on Thanksgiving. You can see bands playing music, famous celebrities, and big balloons. My family usually watches the parade on TV. Santa Claus is always at the end of the parade. People start to prepare for Christmas. On the Friday after Thanksgiving, many shops have Black Friday sales. Many people do the Christmas shopping. Thanksgiving is my favourite holiday. I love to visit my family, do baking, eat good food, watch the parade, relax, and be thankful.

3. Answer the questions using the video and text. Use complete sentences.

1. When is Thanksgiving this year in the United States?
2. Where is the Thanksgiving parade?
3. Which Thanksgiving food does Laura make?

4. Answer the questions with your opinion. Use complete sentences.

1. Which American Thanksgiving food do you want to eat?
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2. What is your favourite holiday? What do you usually do for that holiday?
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3. What are you thankful for?
I am thankful for