

## FOURTH OF JULY IN THE USA 05

- 1** Work with a partner and discuss the questions.

- 1 Can you remember ...
  - ... any national holidays in the USA?
  - ... what the USA celebrate on 4<sup>th</sup> July?
- 2 What do people do on national holidays in the US? In your country?

- 2** Work with a partner. Write in the missing letters to complete the words about national holidays. Which words will you hear in the video about 4<sup>th</sup> July?

- 1 ☐ h \_ l \_ d \_ y
- 2 ☐ t \_ r k \_ y
- 3 ☐ f \_ m \_ l y
- 4 ☐ t h \_ n k s g \_ v \_ n g
- 5 ☐ p \_ r \_ d \_ s
- 6 ☐ f \_ r \_ w \_ r k s
- 7 ☐ c \_ r n on the c \_ b

- 3**  **05** Watch the video and tick [✓] the words in Exercise 2 that you hear. Then write the correct words from Exercise 2 under the pictures.



- 4**  **05** Read the questions. Watch the video again and choose the correct answer.

- When did the US government make 4<sup>th</sup> July a national holiday?  
**a** 1938                                  **b** 1978
- Which week is a busy travel week in the US?  
**a** first week of July                **b** last week of November
- Why did the USA write the declaration of independence?  
**a** They wanted to become more powerful.      **b** They didn't want Britain to rule them.
- When did they write the declaration of indepdence?  
**a** July 1776                             **b** July 1876
- How many people lived in the USA in 1776?  
**a** 2.5 million                          **b** 3.5 million
- How many people live in the USA today?  
**a** 235 million                         **b** 325 million

- 5**  **Work in small groups and discuss the questions.**

- 1 Does your country celebrate Independence Day? Why? / Why not?
- 2 What is the most popular holiday in your country? Why?
- 3 Do you know about any other holidays in other countries? Give details.