

Lesson C: Adverbs of Frequency

A Complete the sentences with *always*, *sometimes*, *often*, or *never*.

1. Independence Day in the US is always July 4th.
2. Carnival is _____ in October.
3. New Year's Day is _____ January 1st.
4. Mihn is a doctor. She _____ works on holidays.
5. Carlos is a police officer. He _____ works on holidays.

B Unscramble the words to make sentences.

1. is / always / Thanksgiving Day / a Thursday. / on Thanksgiving Day is always on a Thursday.
2. sometimes / fireworks / We / on / New Year's Eve. / watch _____
3. sends / family. / often / to / cards / her / She _____
4. eat / his birthday. / on / chicken / never / They _____
5. on / never / give / teachers / The / Mondays. / tests _____

C Fill in the blanks with *always*, *sometimes*, *often*, or *never*.

1. Martin doesn't read the newspaper. He never reads the newspaper.
2. My mother catches the bus every morning. She _____ catches the bus.
3. I eat out three or four nights a week. I eat out _____.
4. Nadia goes to the movies one or two times a month. She _____ goes to the movies.
5. My grandmother is afraid to drive. She _____ drives the car.

D Read about Thanksgiving. Circle the adverbs of frequency.

Thanksgiving is a big holiday in the United States. It is always on the last Thursday in November. The celebration is always a big meal. The main dish is usually turkey. Families often eat the meal in the afternoon. People never give gifts on Thanksgiving. People sometimes call family and friends on Thanksgiving.

E Read the paragraph in **D** again. Circle **T** for *true* or **F** for *false*.

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| 1. Thanksgiving is sometimes on the last Thursday in November. | T | F |
| 2. People often eat a big meal on Thanksgiving. | T | F |
| 3. The meal is usually turkey. | T | F |
| 4. People often eat the meal in the afternoon. | T | F |
| 5. People sometimes give gifts on Thanksgiving. | T | F |