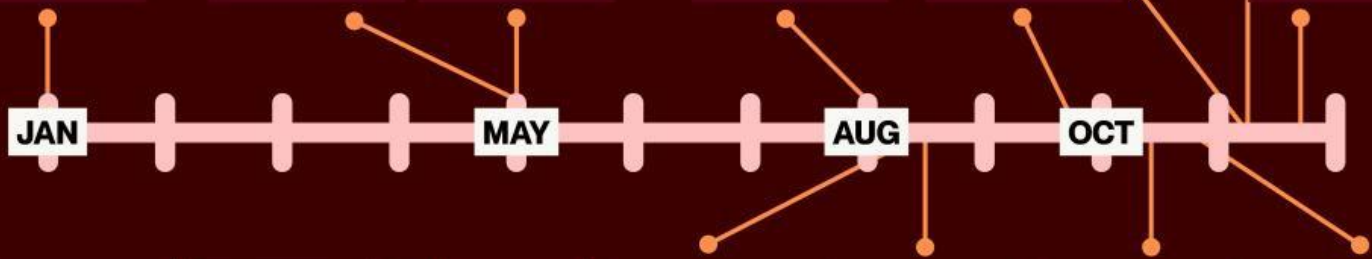


Thanksgiving

AROUND THE WORLD



Malaysia

Kaamatan
(May)

Barbados

Crop Over festival
(1st MON in August)

Japan

Kinrō Kansha no Hi
(November 23rd)

Ghana

Homowo Festival
(May 'til August)

Grenada

Thanksgiving
(October 25th)

THE Netherlands

Dankdag
(1st WED in November)

Canada

**Thanksgiving or
Action de Grâce**
(2nd MON in October)

Liberia

Thanksgiving
(1st THU in November)

China

**Mid-Autumn or
Moon(cake) Festival**
(15th day of the 8th month
of the Chinese calendar)

Germany

Erntedankfest
(late September or
1st SUN in October)

South India

Pongal
(during the month of Thai,
based on the solar calendar
—typically around January)

Korea

Chuseok
(15th day of August,
according to the
lunar calendar)

pick the word that fits best

_____ give **1)** _____ and celebrate by offering **2)** _____ to their ancestors. Families come together a night **3)** _____ to prepare rice cakes as a **4)** _____ activity followed by offering gifts to family and friends—spam being a **5)** _____ gift!



write the gerund that collocates with the noun

Families hold a three-day feast complete with dragon **6)** _____, lantern **7)** _____, gift-**8)** _____, mooncake **9)** _____ and cassia wine **10)** _____. Because the festival takes place during the Harvest Moon, the full moon closest to the Autumnal Equinox, these pies are also sacrificed to deities.

name the pictures

In Newfoundland they prepare a Jigg's dinner of boiled **11)** _____  served with a side of split **12)** _____  pudding, and over in _____, dessert looks more like flaky **13)** _____  tarts, a pastry filled with **14)** _____  **15)** _____ , or **16)** _____ .

unscramble the letters to make words

The holiday is observed only by **17)** _____ (DHXRTOOO) protestants. They convene in Pieterskerk, a 900-year-old **18)** _____ (RCHCUH), to celebrate the perseverance and good **19)** _____ (NUFOESRT) of the early American **20)** _____ (LTSTERES).

write the verbs in their correct form

This holiday **21)** _____ (mark) when **22)** _____ (free) American slaves **23)** _____ (found) the country in 1822. Most people **24)** _____ (celebrate) by **25)** _____ (attend) a church service **26)** _____ (follow) by a meal with family. Foods **27)** _____ (eat) include rice, yams, collard greens, and cassava.

fill the blanks with the correct prepositions

The tradition started **28)** _____ the suffering **29)** _____ a time **30)** _____ famine **31)** _____ the 16th century. Traditional dances, singing, and street parades take place **32)** _____ this time, and featured foods include palm nut fish soup, yams, and a corn powder dish.

find synonyms for the highlighted words

The **33)** festivities = _____ **34)** last = _____ for around **35)** six weeks = _____ to **36)** three months = _____ and the **37)** celebrations = _____ include singing, dancing, drinking **38)** competitions = _____, **39)** feasting = _____, and an **40)** interesting = _____ competition to climb up a greased pole.