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# Conv. 2

Complete these sentences with the correct idiom(s)

1. My friends and I \_\_\_\_\_ to school, so we could save money.
2. It's usually very cold in the \_\_\_\_\_.
3. He \_\_\_\_\_, because he always came to work late.
4. I'm crazy about IU. It was \_\_\_\_\_ when we first met.
5. A: Would you ever move to Hawaii?  
B: Sure! I'd move there \_\_\_\_\_ if I had the money.
6. The soccer coach gave his players a \_\_\_\_\_ before their big match. He said, "Ok everybody! We can do it! We can win this match!~ Fighting!!!!"
7. The 2 runners finished in a \_\_\_\_\_. They both ran the 100 meters in 10.2 seconds.
8. Student: What's 5 x 5?  
Teacher: Come on! \_\_\_\_\_ You know what it is!
9. One of my \_\_\_\_\_ is eating chocolate ice cream at night.
10. I felt \_\_\_\_\_ after I broke up with my girlfriend.
11. My friend and I argued yesterday, but we've \_\_\_\_\_ our differences since then.
12. A lot of people have \_\_\_\_\_ covid-19 in the last 2 years.
13. A lot of older people are \_\_\_\_\_ for voice phishing(보이스피싱).
14. The study group decided to \_\_\_\_\_ new ideas for their class project.
15. A: I think we should have in person classes again.  
B: Hey! You're \_\_\_\_\_. I've wanted in person classes for a long time.

- a. sitting ducks
- b. use your head
- c. carpool
- d. pep talk
- e. love at first sight
- f. ironed out
- g. in a heartbeat
- h. guilty pleasures
- i. fallen prey to
- j. dead of winter
- k. brainstorm
- l. dead heat
- m. down in the dumps
- n. got sacked

o. preaching to the choir

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Write the meaning for these idioms in English  
([www.clichelist.net](http://www.clichelist.net))

1. don't tempt fate
2. smooth operator
3. a short fuse
4. a shut out
5. deal with it
6. don't rock the boat
7. a big heart
8. Fifty(50)Fifty(50)
9. you snooze you lose
10. dog it
11. you lost me
12. take 5
13. if you don't have anything nice to say don't say anything at all
14. get it, to
15. Hump day



# Time to celebrate!

- ▶ Discuss holidays and special occasions
- ▶ Describe celebrations, annual events, and customs

## SNAPSHOT

### HOLIDAYS AND FESTIVALS



**Saint Patrick's Day**  
March 17th

People of Irish background wear green to celebrate their culture with parades, dancing, parties, and special foods.

**Day of the Dead**  
November 2nd

Mexicans make playful skeleton sculptures and bake *pan de muerto* – bread of the dead.



**Chinese New Year**  
January or February

Chinese people celebrate the lunar new year with fireworks and dragon dances.

**Thanksgiving**  
November

In the United States, families get together, have a traditional meal, and give thanks for life and health.



Do you celebrate these or similar holidays in your country?  
What other special days do you have?  
What's your favorite holiday or festival?

## 2 WORD POWER Ways to celebrate

A Which word or phrase is not usually paired with each verb? Put a line through it. Then compare with a partner.

- |           |             |               |                     |
|-----------|-------------|---------------|---------------------|
| 1. eat    | candy       | sweets        | a mask              |
| 2. give   | presents    | a celebration | money               |
| 3. go to  | decorations | a wedding     | a party             |
| 4. have a | picnic      | beach         | meal                |
| 5. play   | games       | candles       | music               |
| 6. send   | cards       | flowers       | a barbecue          |
| 7. visit  | relatives   | food          | close friends       |
| 8. watch  | a birthday  | a parade      | fireworks           |
| 9. wear   | costumes    | invitations   | traditional clothes |

B **PAIR WORK** Do you do any of the things in part A as part of a cultural or family celebration? When? Tell your partner.



### 3 PERSPECTIVES Favorite celebrations

**A** Listen to these comments about special days of the year. Match them to the correct pictures.

**1.** "My favorite celebration is Mother's Day. It's a day when my husband and my kids make pancakes for me – just like I used to make for my mom – and I get to have breakfast in bed."

**2.** "February 14th is the day when people give cards and presents to the ones they love. I'm really looking forward to Valentine's Day! I already have a gift for my boyfriend."

**3.** "New Year's Eve is a night when I have fun with my friends. We usually have a big party. We stay up all night and then go out for breakfast in the morning."



**B PAIR WORK** What do you like about each celebration in part A?

### 4 GRAMMAR FOCUS

**Relative clauses of time**

Mother's Day is **a day** **when** my kids make pancakes for me.  
 February 14th is **the day** **when** people give cards to the ones they love.  
 New Year's Eve is **a night** **when** I have fun with my friends.

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**A** How much do you know about these times? Complete the sentences in column A with information from column B. Then compare with a partner.

**A**

1. Mother's Day is a day when \_\_\_\_\_
2. New Year's Eve is a night when \_\_\_\_\_
3. April Fools' Day is a day when \_\_\_\_\_
4. Valentine's Day is a day when \_\_\_\_\_
5. Labor Day is a day when \_\_\_\_\_
6. Summer is a time when \_\_\_\_\_

**B**

- a. people sometimes play tricks on friends.
- b. people celebrate their mothers.
- c. many people like to go to the beach.
- d. people in many countries honor workers.
- e. people express their love to someone.
- f. people have parties with family and friends.

**B** Complete these sentences with your own information. Then compare with a partner.

Winter is the season . . .

Birthdays are days . . .

Spring is the time of year . . .

Children's Day is a day . . .

July and August are the months . . .

A wedding anniversary is a time . . .

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Unit 8  
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Focus)

Complete these sentences(2 ways)

1. Parents Day is a day when \_\_\_\_\_
  - a.
  - b.
2. Foundation Day is a holiday when \_\_\_\_\_
  - a.
  - b.
3. Spring is a season when \_\_\_\_\_
  - a.
  - b.
4. A birthday is a day when \_\_\_\_\_
  - a.
  - b.
5. Independence Day is a holiday when \_\_\_\_\_
  - a.
  - b.
6. September is a month when \_\_\_\_\_
  - a.
  - b.
7. White Day is a day when \_\_\_\_\_
  - a.
  - b.
8. Fall is a season when \_\_\_\_\_
  - a.
  - b.
9. A wedding anniversary is a day when \_\_\_\_\_
  - a.
  - b.
10. Halloween is a day when \_\_\_\_\_
  - a.
  - b.
11. Christmas is a holiday when \_\_\_\_\_
  - a.
  - b.
12. Buddha's birthday is a holiday when \_\_\_\_\_
  - a.
  - b.
13. American Thanksgiving is a holiday when \_\_\_\_\_
  - a.
  - b.



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**Crossword puzzle: Special Days**

Use words from the unit to complete the crossword puzzle.

*Across*

4 Chris and Meg's wedding \_\_\_\_\_ was in a beautiful old church.

6 People in the United States and Canada celebrate the \_\_\_\_\_ at Thanksgiving.

8 \_\_\_\_\_ is the time of year when there are a lot of weddings in the U.S.

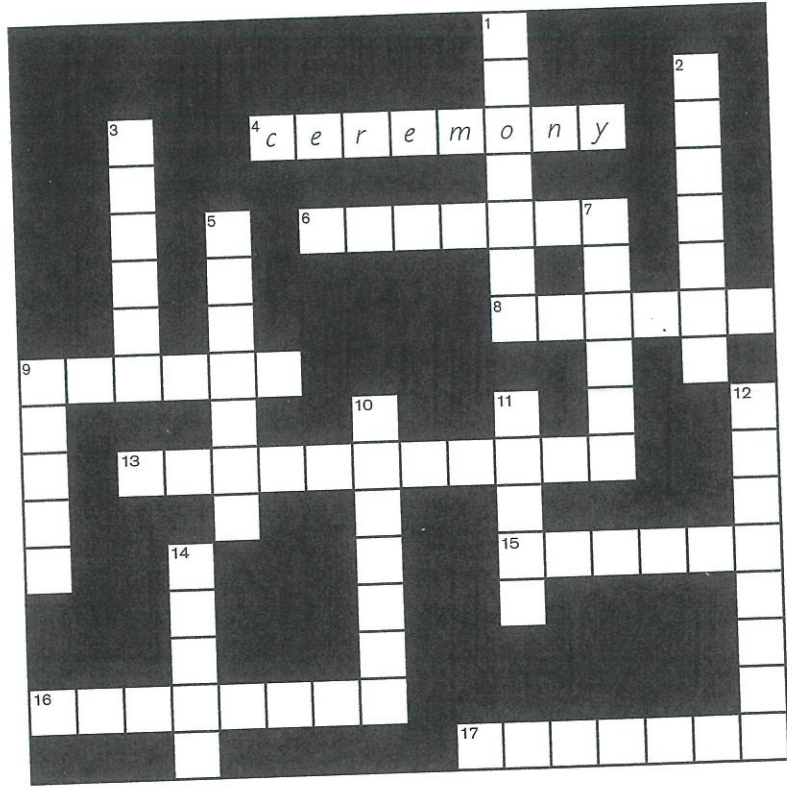
9 People waited along the route for hours to see the \_\_\_\_\_ pass through the streets.

13 Tomorrow is my parents' twenty-fifth wedding \_\_\_\_\_.

15 People like to play \_\_\_\_\_ on each other on April Fools' Day.

16 November 2 is the day when I go to the \_\_\_\_\_ to offer food to the dead.

17 My favorite \_\_\_\_\_ are spring and summer.



*Down*

1 I gave my grandmother a bouquet of \_\_\_\_\_ on Mother's Day.

2 In my hometown, we have a music festival when everyone goes \_\_\_\_\_ in the streets. It's fun and the music is great, too.

3 \_\_\_\_\_ is the time of year when it is very cold and dark.

5 Janice and Nick are getting married soon. They plan to have a small \_\_\_\_\_ with just a few family members.

7 Everyone in my family eats roast \_\_\_\_\_ on Thanksgiving.

9 I'm really thirsty! Let's go see if there's any more fruit \_\_\_\_\_.

10 My wife loves \_\_\_\_\_, so I gave her a diamond bracelet on Valentine's Day.

11 We always have a \_\_\_\_\_ at our house on New Year's Eve.

12 My friends and family gave me some very nice \_\_\_\_\_ on my birthday.

14 For the moon festival, the Chinese eat special kinds of sweet \_\_\_\_\_ made with lots of eggs.

Matching(U.S. Holidays/Special Days)

- 1.Independence Day\_\_\_\_\_
- 2.Thanksgiving\_\_\_\_\_
- 3.Martin Luther King Jr.'s Birthday\_\_\_\_\_
- 4.Columbus Day\_\_\_
- 5.April Fool's Day\_\_\_\_\_
- 6.Easter\_\_\_\_\_
- 7.Valentine's Day\_\_\_
- 8.Severn's Birthday\_\_\_
- 9.Labor Day\_\_\_
- 10.President's Day\_\_\_

- a.Honors African-American
- b.Christians celebrate Christ rising from the dead
- c.November 30
- d.Honors Lincoln and Washington
- e.4th of July
- f.Couples give each other candy and flowers
- g.Last holiday of summer
- h.People eat turkey
- i.Honors the European founder of America
- j.People play jokes on each other

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Chuseok(추석)

1. What's another name for 추석?
2. When is it this year?
3. What is -----
  - a. 한복
  - b. Go Stop
  - c. 송편
  - d. 체사
  - e. 윷놀이
4. What do you usually do?(3 things)
  - a.
  - b.
  - c.
5. Why do some people like it and some people not like it?