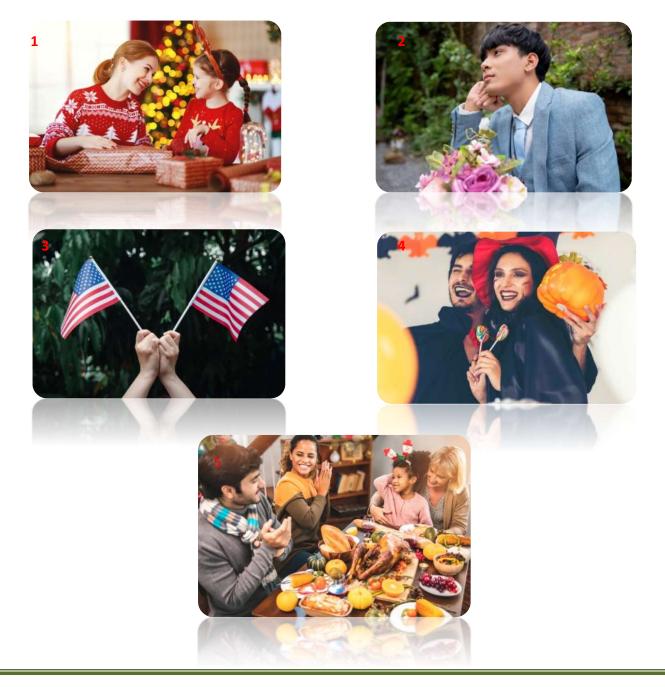


Holidays and Annual Events (Units 59, 60, 61, 62, & 63)

Introduction

Describe each picture.



📥 Q & A

Answer the following questions:

59 Christmas and New Year's

- a. Why do people look forward to celebrating Christmas?
- b. What traditional ways of welcoming the New Year do most people in your country have?

60 Valentine's Day

a. Do children in your country celebrate Valentine's Day at school?b. What gift would a Japanese guy/girl give to his/her better half?

61 Independence Day

a. What do you know about freedom of speech?b. Do you believe that democracy id the best system for a country?

62 Halloween

a. Why is Halloween celebrated in many countries?b. Why do you think some people believe in ghosts while others don't?

63 Thanksgiving Day

a. What does thanksgiving mean to Japanese?b. What is the best thing about being grateful (positive)?



📕 Role Play

Do the role play with your teacher.

SITUATION You are talking to your friend about culture differences related to Christmas and the New Year. Ask your friend about: how Filipinos celebrate _ food they eat house decorations parties/events places they visit gifts they give others Also, answer his questions about Japan's culture of celebrating Christmas and the New Year. Your foreign co-worker in Tokyo has a date tonight and he/she doesn't know how to make it perfect. Give him/her some ideas and answer his/her questions. Your friend is organizing a Halloween party. He wants to wrap-up the program with a game but he doesn't know what kind of game people would enjoy. Help him/her come up with one game.

L Extra exercise!



Talk about a time when you had to thank someone

You should say:

- when and where it happened
- what happened exactly
- why you had to thank the person
- how you felt after thanking the person

and explain why it is important to say thank you