

Задание 2: Примеры вопросов и ответов по теме Festivals

Электронный помощник задает прямые вопросы. Отвечать нужно полным предложением, давая точную информацию.

- *What is your favourite holiday or festival?*
— My favourite holiday is New Year because I like the atmosphere and spending time with my family.
 - *When do you celebrate it?*
— We celebrate New Year on the 31st of December.
 - *How do people in Russia celebrate this day?*
— People decorate a Christmas tree, cook festive meals, give presents and watch the President's speech at midnight.
 - *What is your favourite traditional food for this holiday?*
— My favourite traditional food is Olivier salad.
 - *Do you prefer giving or receiving presents? Why?*
— I prefer giving presents because I love seeing the joy and surprise on my friends' and family's faces.
 - *Why do you think people like holidays so much?*
— I think people like holidays because they help us relax, forget about our daily routine and spend time with loved ones.
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Задание 3: План монолога

В третьем задании нужно построить монолог (10–12 фраз) на основе четырёх пунктов плана:

1. **What festival/holiday you are going to talk about.**
2. **When and how it is celebrated.**
3. **What traditions connected with this holiday you like most of all.**
4. **Why this holiday is important to you.**

Пример готового монолога (New Year)

"I am going to give a talk about my favourite holiday, which is New Year.

It is celebrated on the night of the 31st of December in Russia. People usually prepare for it in advance: they buy presents, decorate their houses and put up a New Year tree. On that night, families gather around a festive table, eat traditional food like Olivier salad, and talk. When the clock strikes midnight, people congratulate each other and watch fireworks outside.

As for the traditions, I like decorating the tree and unwrapping presents the most. It creates a truly magical and warm atmosphere.

This holiday is very important to me because it gives a chance to stop, look back at the passing year, and make plans for the future. Most importantly, it brings all my family members together under one roof, and I cherish these moments."