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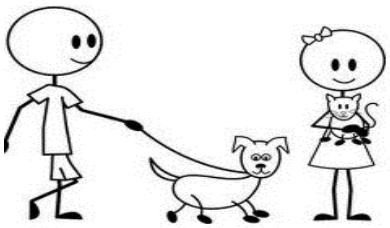
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4TH YEAR WELCOME ACTIVITIES

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Search for people, places and things



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Work and Education

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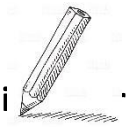
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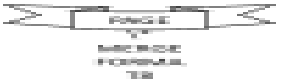
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All About Me

My name is Valerie Martinez. I'm 25 years old and I am catholic. My birthday is on the 5th of January. I'm a secretary at Franklin High School. I was born in Sacramento, California and I live in Stockton, California, at 2718 Louis Ct., zip code 95203. I live there with my husband. His name is Carlos Fernandez, and our anniversary is the 8th of June. My school is University of the Pacific (UOP), I studied at that college. I studied languages and learned to speak Spanish, English, French and German. I like reading in all languages, one of my favourite books is called A Thousand Splendid Suns. When I have spare time, I also like to watch movies, one of my favourite movies is Forest Gump, especially when he says "Life is like a box of chocolates, you never know what you're going to get." I also like watching Bones and Friends on television. On weekends, my husband and I go to clubs, we like to listen and dance salsa and hip hop. When we're tired, we don't go out; we just play poker or monopoly. I think everyone should enjoy their life like we do, like my grandmother used to say "Life's too short to be sad."

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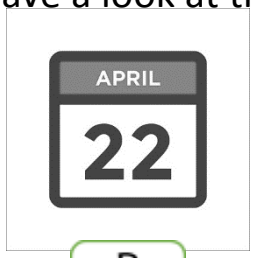
WHAT DO YOU REMEMBER ABOUT SPECIAL DAYS?

1

Have a look at these dates.



A



B



C



D



E

2

What Special Days are celebrated on these dates? Let's match.

A



B



C



D



E



READING TIME



Friends and Friendship.

Friendship Day (or ***Friend's Day***) is celebrated in many countries. But it isn't celebrated on the same day - it is celebrated on **different** dates depending on the country. It is translated as *Día del Amigo* or *Día de la Amistad.*



In Argentina, ***Friend's Day*** is on July 20th. It isn't an official public holiday, but it is a very important celebration, especially for young people. It is a commercial day, but it encourages people to send messages and get together with close friends. It is originally the idea of Enrique Ernesto Febbraro - an Argentine dentist and psychology professor - inspired by the first Apollo 11 moon landing. on July 20th, 1969. For Febbraro, the moon landing represents friendship to the universe and, in his opinion, true friendship is very important because it makes the world better.

In Brazil, Chile and Uruguay, **Friend's Day** is on the twentieth of July too. And in Peru, it is celebrated on the first Saturday of July. In Bolivia, it is on 23rd July. Spain is the only country in Europe that celebrates **Friendship Day** on July 20th. In the USA and India, ***Friendship Day*** is celebrated on the first Sunday of August.

But apart from a ***National Friend's day***, there is also ***World Friendship Day***. It is on July 30th and it is promoted by the United Nations to raise awareness of the importance of friendship.



Are you planning to celebrate Friend's Day this year?

A) Read again and write T for True or F for false?

Friendship Day around the world is always on a Sunday.	➔

B) Read again and mark the best answer.

1. *When is* ***National Friendship Day****?*
    a. *It is in August.*
    b. *It is in July.*
    c. *It depends on the country.*

2. ***Friend's Day*** *in Argentina …*
    a. *… is associated with the 1969 landing on the moon.*
    b. *… is not a very popular holiday.*
    c. *… intends to raise awareness of the importance of moon landing.*

3. *On* ***Friendship Day****, people in Argentina …*
    a. *usually receive messages from their friends.*
    b. *get together with friends.*
    c. *Options "a" and "b".*

C) Read again and match. (There are two extra dates)

When is Friendship Day celebrated?

Match

- *in Argentina*
- *in Bolivia*
- *in USA and India*
- *World Friendship Day*

- *on the twentieth of July*
- *on the first Sunday of August*
- *on the 1st Saturday of July*
- *on the 23rd of July*
- *on August 3rd*
- *on the thirtieth of July*

Do you celebrate Carnival?

Have a look at these photos. Which Carnival is it?





Gualeguaychú is a city located in the Entre Ríos province, about 230 kilometres (143 miles) north of the Argentine capital Buenos Aires. The city is known nationally and regionally for the incredible festivities it puts on for Carnival. This South American tradition was brought to Argentina by the Spanish, while in Brazil, where it is perhaps even more popular and famous, it was brought by the Portuguese, both in the 17th century. However, Carnival also has roots in African traditions, which are upheld today.

Carnival is a communal celebration: city streets are taken over by local communities who spend months rehearsing their dances, songs and performances. It is one of the liveliest times of the year, and is an opportunity for people to gather together and celebrate during the summer months.

Every weekend in January and February, there are parades and street parties. Gualeguaychú's Carnival takes the form of an elaborate parade where you can see dancers in extravagant costumes and headpieces before ending up at their destination, the Corsódromo. Each float has got huge models of mythical creatures teamed with participants who are from the particular area the float comes from, as well as dancers and performers who march energetically ahead of the float.

The Carnival parade is a competition and only one float is crowned the winner when the night is over. The teams are judged on costumes, synchronicity of choreographies and the floats, and how well they have stuck to their themes. It is a once-in-a-lifetime experience to attend the Carnival in Gualeguaychú, so if you missed it this year, make sure it's on your bucket list for next year.

After- Reading Activities

1) Answer
    a) Where is Gualeguaychú located?
    b) When do we celebrate Carnival?
    c) Describe how people celebrate Carnival in Gualeguaychú.
    d) Did you go to Gualeguaychú Carnival or any other Carnival this year? Can you describe your experience?