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### Instrucciones

Use [www.wordreference.com](http://www.wordreference.com) (English-Spanish dictionary) o su diccionario personal. Si tiene consultas escríbame a mi correo electrónico institucional, [patricia.leiva@colegioparroquialandacollo.cl](mailto:patricia.leiva@colegioparroquialandacollo.cl). La guía debe ser entregada en el establecimiento a fines de octubre para su revisión por el profesor de asignatura.

*In this worksheet you will learn about Traditions and Festivities. You will read about Thanksgiving day (día de acción de gracias) and answer some comprehension questions about them. You will also learn vocabulary related to the festivities and will do some exercises to use the new vocabulary.*

## THANKSGIVING DAY



Hi Friends! My name is Jason.

I am eleven years old and I live in Chicago in the USA.

It is November and our special family holiday, Thanksgiving is coming. This festival is on the fourth Thursday of November every year and this year it is on 28<sup>th</sup>.

There is no school on Thanksgiving Day and there is no school on Friday. That's great!

We - our family - get together on Thanksgiving Day and invite our friends. We always have a big dinner. My mum makes a lot of food and I always help her in the kitchen. We eat roast turkey, sweet potatoes (called yam), gravy, corn, pumpkin pie and cranberry sauce.

Before dinner we give thanks God for the things we have.

I love this holiday because all my family is together and we have a great time.

Happy Thanksgiving to all of you!

**I. Are the statements true (✓), false (✗) or doesn't it say (Ø)?**

- 1 Jason has a brother and two sisters.
- 2 Thanksgiving Day is on Tuesday.
- 3 Children don't have to go to school on Thanksgiving Day.
- 4 Jason spends Thanksgiving with his family.
- 5 His grandmother makes apple pie.
- 6 His mother helps him in the kitchen.
- 7 They eat yam.
- 8 They like to eat blueberry sauce.
- 9 His father gives thanks for the things they have.
- 10 Jason likes Thanksgiving.

**II. Answer the questions.**

1 When is Thanksgiving?

2 What day is it on this year?

3 What don't children do on Thanksgiving Day?

4 What is the traditional dinner?

5 What is this holiday for?

3 Match the words to the pictures.


- 1 yam
- 2 cooking
- 3 greeting
- 4 pumpkin pie
- 5 giving thanks
- 6 gravy
- 7 cranberries
- 8 dinner
- 9 roast turkey
- 10 corn

4 Complete the sentences.

- 1 Jason lives \_\_\_\_\_ Chicago.
- 2 There is no \_\_\_\_\_ on Thanksgiving Day.
- 3 This year Thanksgiving is \_\_\_\_\_ 28<sup>th</sup> November.
- 4 Jason always \_\_\_\_\_ her mother.
- 5 Americans give thanks \_\_\_\_\_ the things they have.


















Translate into Spanish ( traduzaca el texto en su cuaderno y lo comentaremos en online classes) 😊

*My dear students this is the holiday I enjoyed the most while I lived in The United States. }*

*In my personal opinion it is the holiday that brings family together even more than Christmas, which not everybody celebrate because of different religious beliefs in a multicultural country.*

*People eat turkey and have lots of special food they eat for this holiday not only turkey, which is absolutey delicious! 😊 As it is celebrated in November it is time for eating pumpkin and it is fall so the trees are brown and orange .. it is simply beautiful and delicious ... the perfect holiday!*

*Have a great week, my dear students. I sure miss you all of you!*

*Miss Patricia Leiva*

Responda las siguientes preguntas:

1. ¿Qué he aprendido?

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2. ¿Cómo lo he aprendido?

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3. ¿Para qué lo he aprendido?

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4. ¿En qué otras ocasiones puedo usarlo?

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