

The Thanksgiving Tradition

Thanksgiving Day is an American holiday that takes place on the fourth Thursday of November every year. People spend the day at home with their families and share a feast. A feast is a big meal that people eat together. In the morning, there are parades, and in the afternoon, families share food together and watch American football on TV. There are many dishes for this Holiday but the most famous dish is the Turkey.



This holiday is based off the first Thanksgiving which occurred in 1621. The first Thanksgiving was a feast shared between the Pilgrims and the Native Americans. The Pilgrims are the first colonists that settled in America. In 1620 the Pilgrims left England and landed at Plymouth Rock in Massachusetts, USA. The Wampanoag tribe was the group of Native Americans that lived in north eastern USA when the pilgrims arrived. They helped the pilgrims survive by teaching them how to plant crops and grow food. The holiday thanksgiving is about being thankful for the good things in life how the pilgrims were thankful for the food that the Native Americans shared with them.



Cornbread casserole, a dish I made this year.

1. When is Thanksgiving celebrated?
2. What do people do on Thanksgiving?
3. What is the most famous dish?
4. Who are the Pilgrims?
5. How did the Native Americans help the Pilgrims?