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PART 1

Lesson 2 A Special Holiday



Write an Opinion

Which holiday do you think is the most special one in your country? Write two sentences to tell how you celebrate the holiday and what you feel about it. Use the key words and writing frames below.



Word Bank

belief, history, holiday, culture, people, traditions, variety

surprised, wonderful, proud

Writing Frames

• In my country, we _____ and _____ to celebrate _____.

• I feel ____ because _____.

1 Organize Ideas

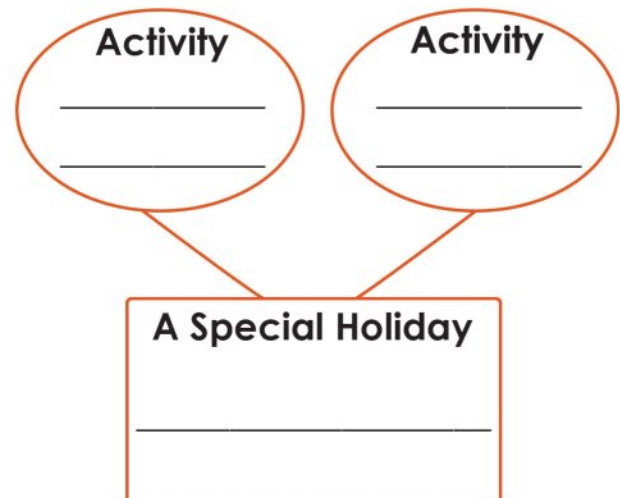
- Think and decide the special holiday you will write about.
- Fill in the Details Cluster with the name and activities people do to celebrate the holiday.



Details Cluster



Details Cluster for Me



GO ON →

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2 Collect and Write

- Write one sentence to tell about the special holiday based on the cluster.
- Check your words after writing.



In my country, we make rice
dumplings and hold boat races
to celebrate Dragon Boat Festival.



In my country, we _____
_____ and _____
_____ to celebrate _____
_____.

3 Think and Write

- Write one sentence to show your feeling about the holiday and give the reason.



I feel proud because it has a long history.



I feel _____ because _____
_____.

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4 Write and Illustrate

- Write two sentences to introduce the holiday and express your feeling about it.
- Paste a photo to show how people celebrate the holiday.
- Check your words after writing.



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by Kelly



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Paste a photo to show how people celebrate the special holiday.

In my country we _____ and _____ to celebrate _____.

I feel _____ because _____.

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- Keep on writing if you have more ideas about the special holiday.*

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5 Self-Evaluate

- Use the Writing Rubrics to check and self-evaluate your writing.

Writing Rubrics

1 I wrote about _____

2 I organized my ideas in a Details Cluster.

☐

yes

☐

no

3 My ideas were clear.

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yes

☐

no

4 I checked my words.

☐

yes

☐

no

5 This is the best part of my writing:

What do you think about your writing?
Choose a face to color.

