

Lesson 4 Celebrations

A Write.

children
season
samba parade
delicious
traditions
celebrate

1. People around the world like to _____.
2. In each _____, there are different celebrations.
3. Every celebration has special _____.
4. In China, they serve _____ food for the Lunar New Year.
5. _____ will get a gift of money.
6. In Brazil, they'll watch singers and dancers in the _____.

B Read and write.

Skills Tip

Pictures can help you understand the reading.

Celebrating Together

New Year's Day

Most people celebrate New Year's Day on January 1st. On this day, it's winter in Canada and summer in Brazil. Friends will meet to celebrate the coming year.



Earth Day

People celebrate Earth Day on April 22nd. On this day, it's spring in Mexico and fall in Argentina. People will think of ways to take care of the Earth.



World Oceans Day

People celebrate World Oceans Day on June 8th. On this day, it's summer in South Korea and winter in Australia. People will give thanks for the world's oceans and the animals that live there.



World Food Day

People celebrate World Food Day on October 16th. On this day, it's fall in Egypt and spring in South Africa. People will give thanks for their food and try to help others who are hungry.



1. Is Canada in North America or South America?

2. Is Egypt in the north or the south part of Africa?

3. Is South Korea north or south of Australia?

C Write.

1. When is Earth Day?

2. Do people in Egypt celebrate World Food Day in the spring or in the fall?

3. In what season do people in Australia celebrate World Oceans Day?

D Fill in the chart. Then write.

Celebration	New Year's Day		Earth Day		World Oceans Day		World Food Day	
Country	Canada	Brazil	Mexico	Argentina	South Korea	Australia	Egypt	South Africa
Season	winter	summer						

1. What will people in Brazil do in the summer?

They'll celebrate New Year's Day.

2. What will people in South Africa do in the spring?

3. What will people in Argentina do in the fall?

4. What will people in Australia do in the winter?

E Think and write.

How is New Year's Day in Japan and Australia the same? How is it different? People in Japan and Australia celebrate New Year's Day on the same day, _____, but they celebrate it in different seasons. In Japan, it's _____, but in Australia, it's _____.

