

Class-3

Subject – Social-Studies

Chapter-5

Festivals

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Oral Questions –

1. Which festival is your favourite festival?

Ans. Diwali is my favourite festival.

2. Name two religious festivals of India.

Ans. Diwali and Holi are two religious festivals of India.

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Tick (✓) the correct answers-

1. \_\_\_\_\_ marks the end of a month long fasting called Ramzan.

(a) Eid-UI-Fitr ( ✓ )

(b) Eid-ul-Zuha ( )

(c) Holi ( )

(d) Diwali ( )

2. \_\_\_\_\_ is the festival of lights .

(a) Baisakhi ( )

(b) Holi ( . )

(c) Diwali ( ✓ )

(d) Christmas ( )

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A. Multiple Choice Questions – Tick (✓) the correct answers-

1. Independence Day is a \_\_\_\_\_ festival.

(a) national ( ✓ )

(b) religious ( )

(c) harvest ( )

(d) birthday ( )

2. Jawaharlal Nehru's birthday is celebrated as \_\_\_\_\_ Day.

- (a) Teacher's ( )
  - (b) Children's (✓ )
  - (c ) Independence ( . )
  - (d,) Republic ( )
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B. Write the names of the festivals below the given pictures-

- 1. Eid Mubarak
  - 2. Christmas
  - 3. Diwali
  - 4. Onam
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C. Write short answers –

1. On which date is Independence Day celebrated?

Ans. On 15<sup>th</sup> August Independence day is celebrated.

2. Where is the grand parade held on Republic Day?

Ans. Rajpath in New Delhi grand parade is held on Republic Day.

3. When is Christmas celebrated?

Ans. Christmas is celebrated on 25<sup>th</sup> December .

4. Why is Gandhi Jayanti celebrated?

Ans. Gandhi Jayanti is celebrated because Mahatma Gandhi ,the father of the nation was born on this day.

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D. Answer the following questions-

1. Describe the Republic Day parade.

Ans. On Republic Day grand parade is held at Rajpath in New Delhi.

2. Why is Baisakhi celebrated? Which other festivals are celebrated for the same reason as Baisakhi?

Ans Baisakhi is celebrated because it is the harvest festival of northern India. Gurupurab is other festival celebrated for the same reason as Baisakhi .

3. What do you know about Gurupurab?

Ans. Gurupurab is the birthday of the ten Sikh Gurus .It is celebrated in Punjab.

4. What is the difference between kolam and pookalam?

Ans. Kolam is a rangoli made to decorate the houses during pongal festival.

Pookalam is a rangoli made with petals of flowers during Onam festival.

,5. Why and how is Diwali celebrated?

Ans. Diwali is celebrated because Lord Rama ,Sita and Lakshmana returned to Ayodhya from exile. It is celebrated by decorating homes with Diyas ,Candles and lights .

6. Festivals bring everyone together .Discuss about one festival and how you celebrate it with family and friends.

Ans. We celebrate Diwali with Our family and friends by decorating our house with Diyas ,Candles and lights and sharing the sweets.

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