

Christmas in the United States

Tricia loves Christmas. Christmas is celebrated on December 25th in the United States. Children receive gifts for Christmas. People have Christmas trees in their house. They decorate the trees with lights, ornaments and bows. They put a star or an angel on top of the tree. In the morning the children wake up early and run to the tree. There are presents under the tree for everyone. They are wrapped in pretty colors, usually red and green. The tree can be a real one.

If it is real, it has a special stand that has water in it so it can survive in the house.



Children also hang stockings up. They get smaller gifts in their stockings Christmas morning. Some say that Santa Claus brings all of the presents the night before Christmas. Children make cookies for Santa Claus and leave them by the tree for him to eat. When they get up in the morning, the cookies are gone and the presents are there. They say he comes to the houses by sleigh with reindeers. The most famous reindeer is Rudolph. He is supposed to have a red nose so he can help Santa see at night. Christmas is a special occasion for



many families because some members of the family who live in different states or different cities get together to celebrate the holiday.

A. Give full answers to the following Questions.

1. When is Christmas celebrated in the United States?

2. How do people decorate their Christmas trees?

3. What do some people say about Santa Claus?

4. How does Santa come to the houses?

5. What is the most famous reindeer?

B. Check T if the sentence is true or F if the sentence is false.

	True	False
1. Christmas is celebrated on December 25 th in the United States.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2. People do not have Christmas trees in their houses.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3. They decorate the trees with lights, ornaments, and bows.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4. There are presents over the tree for everyone.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5. The presents are wrapped in pretty colors, usually red and green.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6. Children also hang stockings up.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7. They get a lot of money in their stockings Christmas morning.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
8. Some say that Santa Claus brings all of the presents the night before Christmas.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
9. They say he comes to the houses by helicopter.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
10. The most famous reindeer is Rudolph.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

C. Unscramble the words in order to form logical sentences.

1. 25th/on/the/United/Christmas/celebrated/States/in/is/December.

2. bows/trees/ornaments/their/lights/and/people/with/decorate.

3. there/ under/for/tree/presents/everyone/the/are.

4. comes/by/they/to/Santa/houses/the/by/reindeers/sleigh/with/say/Claus.

5. famous/is/reindeer/Rudolph/most/the.
