



English- Grade 8

Activity 7.4

Learning Outcomes –

- Finds specific information from a given text.
- Uses appropriate vocabulary items in describing festivals.
- Writes about festivals.

Student's Task

Task – 01

- Read the lesson well and try to understand it yourself.
- Read the lesson loudly.
- Mark the difficult words and refer a dictionary to get the meanings of them.
- Now read the lesson with understanding.

Task – 02

- Go through the given questions carefully.
- Mark the key words of the question.
- Try to understand the question
- Find the answers.

Read the lesson on your pupil's book (page no 75) and answer the given questions.

Universal Children's Day

1. Read and underline the correct answer.

1 Universal Children's Day was established in ...

1. 1954

2. 1934.

3. 1994

2 . This day was dedicated to encourage brotherhood and understanding among

1. Elders

2. Children

3. Youth

3 . Sri Lanka celebrates Children's Day on..

1. the 1st of October

2. the 6th of October

3. the 8th of March

Maypole Dancing

2. Mark whether the following statements are true or false.

- In some European countries children dance around a wooden pole called maypole to welcome Winter ()
- Children weave colourful ribbons around the maypole. ()
- The leader of the dance is called as the “May Queen”. ()

Children’s Day and Doll Festival.

3. Fill in the blanks.

1. There are Children’s Days in Japan.
2. On March 3rdcelebrate the Children’s Day and boys on.....
3. On this day Japanese girls play with.....and boys with.....

*Now complete the grid on the page number 76 of your Pupil’s Book.

*Now rearrange the words and find the first sentence written on Vesak Festival. Then write 5 sentence of your own on “Vesak Festival.”

- Every year/Vesak festival/month of May/falls on the

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❖ For further studies refer to You Tube Channel by Saduni Teacher. (grade -8 –English – The World of Children)

Assessment

Read the following speech on “World Children’s Day” and fill in the blanks with given words.

World Children’s Day.

Good morning to everyone! Dear sir, teachers and my dear (1) _____, Today I would like to share my thoughts on the (2) _____ Children’s Day.

This day is very (3) _____ in the life of a child. The World Children’s Day was (4) _____ in 1954 , by the United Nations’ Organization. This day was dedicated to (5) _____ brotherhood and understanding among the children and promote their welfare. Special events are (6) _____ by all the countries to celebrate this day. Sri Lanka (7) _____ Children’s Day on the 1st of October. The (8) _____ organize different types of programmes for children. This day (9) _____ the significance of giving (10) _____, attention and affection to the children.

Thank you

(world,friends,important,encourage,organized,established,celebrates,schools,love,highlights)

(20 marks)