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International Children's Day

The Flag Parade

The flag parade, it was fun!

By Madeline

Last year's parade was fun. I liked it a lot.

By Loren

The flag parade was awesome because we got to march around the school for the day.

By Dylan T.

I like the flag parade because you get to walk to other classrooms. It was awesome but I was nervous a little. It was still cool and I think I saw my brother.

By Evan

The flag parade was awesome! I liked Elijah's flag. It was cool, it was England's flag. We walked in the school. We went in every class. Then we ate, it was good too. The best food was sugar and cookies.

By Gavin

Performance

I love the costumes, the TMES singers and back up.

By April

Countries

I like China. They wear silk clothes.

By Eleanor

Costumes

I loved the costumes. They were awesome. I liked them. I liked Asia. That was my favorite.

By Dasha

The performance was fabulous. It was a great time to learn about other countries. The families were having the best time ever. And there were beautiful costumes that I have never seen. The best thing I like about International Children's Day was learning about the countries.

By Isabella Star

Three Cups of Tea

Three Cups of Tea is about trust. One cup of tea is with a stranger. Two cups of tea and they are a friend. Three cups of tea and they are family. I am going to read *Three Cups of Tea*. It is going to be fun... I know it.

By Kaiah

Three Cups of Tea is a book about a man that went to Mt. Kilimanjaro, a place in Pakistan. His wife Christa died on her 23rd birthday. He was planning to set her necklace on the mountain.

By Nathan

Pennies for Peace

Hello, I am a news reporter and I am reporting news because that is my job. Today I am talking about Pennies for Peace. In our country, a penny really won't buy anything. In Afghanistan, a penny will buy a pencil, 2 pennies will buy an eraser, 15 pennies will buy a notebook. And if they have enough pennies, they can build a school. TMES is collecting pennies so whenever you see a penny, think about Pennies for Peace.

By Camille

Crafts

I liked crafts a lot. It was awesome and I made the lion. They were paper. My favorite part was all of the crafts.

By Erin

The crafts were fun. I love the crafts. I made a necklace. I had fun. I like the TMES Singers. I liked the food. I liked the flag parade.

By Jade

Crafts are so fun to do when you want to do something.

By Marcos

Crafts are fun. My favorite presentation was Alivia's. My favorite craft was the flowers.

By Isabella Sanchez

TMES Singers

I think the last International Children's Day was great but this year was better. The singing was good, the food was good. But I like this year's singing better.

By Elijah

Dear Class, The TMES singers sang in front of the whole school. I think they were nervous. Even the parents, even the teachers saw them perform.

By Job

I was in the performance and I sang "Three Cups of Tea". It was part English and another language. I got to learn it and all the kids had beautiful voices. I could not believe it, a bunch of kids singing together. It was like friends getting along. They were nice to each other. Thanks for listening.

By Emma

What we performed

I offer you peace;
I offer you love;
I offer you friendship;
I hear your cry;
I see your beauty;
I feel your pain;
My wisdom flows from my spirit within;
I salute that spirit in you.
Let us work together in peace.

Mahatma Gandhi

"The World is Big, The World is Small"

O the world is big
And the world is small
So there's lots of room
For the short and the tall.
The world is far
And the world is wide
But there are many different ways
To see the other side.
You can travel in a boat
You can travel in a plane
You can travel in a dance
You can travel in a game
You can travel on a bus
You can travel on a train
You can travel in a song
You can travel in a name.

Ella Jenkins

Thanksgiving

Thanksgiving turkey is good with the family and friends of Thanksgiving.

By Marcos

Thanksgiving is fun. I like turkeys. I like to spend time with my mama eating turkeys.

By Maryanne

I like my family because they give me good food and I like the pumpkin pie because it's sweet. They look like muffins sometimes.

By Evan

I see my family lots of times when we celebrate. We have turkey and then we put cherry in it. Then we go to the couch and the last thing we eat, watch TV and play outside.

By Job

Once upon a time there was a dog name Cocoe. Cocoe was laying in front of the fire. His owner was cooking. He invited his friends to have a feast and then played games and had a great Thanksgiving.

By Isabella Star

I like Thanksgiving because the turkey is good.

By Eleanor

I love turkey, turkey, turkey, turk! I love turkey! There was a turkey a little, little turkey. He was so small that you could hold him in your hand. He was cute. One day he was grumpy. "Oh, poor little baby," said his mother "You're just tired." And he grew big, so big that he had to be eaten on Thanksgiving.

By Isabella Sanchez

Thanksgiving is the best. Thanksgiving is really fun. I like having turkey with my family.

By Madeline

Oh turkey, Oh turkey
You taste so good.
Oh turkey, Oh turkey
I get good stuff from you.
Oh turkey, Oh turkey
I'm sorry for you.
Oh, turkey, Oh turkey
We eat you every night.
I try to save you
but you bring me delight.

By Nathan

I love Thanksgiving because I get to help my family and every Thanksgiving I get to go outside because it snows.

By Dylan W.

What I like about Thanksgiving is the food and giving thanks. But the best thing is spending time with my family. It is very, very fun.

By Gavin

I am going to Santa Fe for Thanksgiving and I hope I have fun. I will like it. My grandma lives in Santa Fe.

By Dasha

Oh, I like the mashed potato and gravy and turkey and corn bread and pumpkin pie and ice cream. But it is mostly about family and getting together as a family and playing together. I am going to my Aunt Kay's house.

By Emma

I like the poems and a Thanksgiving hug. I like turkey.

By April

I like Thanksgiving. I love my mom's turkey. Thanksgiving is fun. My family comes over. My family plays with me and my brother. I love Thanksgiving.

By Jade

I like Thanksgiving because of all of the turkey and the pumpkin pie and spending time with my family and friend and all of the desserts.

By Dylan T.

Why I like Thanksgiving is because of the turkey. I like the turkey, it tastes so good. I like to eat the leg. First I eat the skin, it is so good.

By Kaiah

Thanksgiving is spending time with my family and eating the turkey. I have Thanksgiving with my friends.

By Julian

Last Thanksgiving was very, very fun but I think this Thanksgiving is going to be funner with lots of food.

By Loren

I like Thanksgiving because the food, food, food!

The turkey, the potatoes, the pumpkin pie.

And what a wonderful day to stay inside!

By Nikolas

How Thanksgiving makes me feel

When you hold your family's hands and you start to pray,

You'll start to think what a great day!

When you finally start to eat

You feel like you're not in a seat.

You look outside and see a dove.

Then, you think about love.

By Daisy

Thanksgiving is a time to spend time together. Last year, Aunt Sarah and Uncle Ryan and Alina came for Thanksgiving.

By Alivia

The Turkey's Point of View

Hello, I am writing from the turkey's point of view.

And if I were you

I'd think about

the turkey's point of view.

It's probably a good point of view, but not for you.

By Camille