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**Цель мероприятия:**совершенствовать знания учащихся о британских праздниках, повышение мотивации к изучению предмета.

**Задачи мероприятия:**

***Образовательные*:**

* повторить и углубить знания учащихся по теме «Британские праздники и традиции»;
* активизировать познавательные способности учащихся.

***Развивающие*:**

* развивать познавательные способности учащихся;
* развивать логическое мышление, память, внимание;
* развивать навыки и умения устной иноязычной речи;
* развивать творческие способности.

***Воспитательные*:**

* воспитывать умение работать командой;
* воспитывать интерес учащихся к изучению иностранного языка.
* формировать иноязычную культуру учащихся.

**Вид**: урок-конференция

**Форма работы**: групповая, устная.

**Оборудование**:

**Symbols:**Easter Bunny, Christmas tree, Pumpkin, Father Christmas, a vampire,a valentine card, Guy Fawkes,

**Cards**: months, numbers.

**Ход мероприятия:**

**I. Вступительное слово учителя:**

Well, friends, attention, please. I’m sure you’re all fine today, aren’t you?

We’ve gathered here today to tell you about the most famous British traditions and festivals. As you know singing songs is an important tradition and part of celebrating of many British festivals. Let’s listen to some songs and guess the holidays and their names (if possible).

I will remind you the names of the holidays. Thеy are:

Christmas, Easter, Halloween, St. Valentine’s Day, Bonfire Night.

If you know the songs, sing along to us!

(поет группа детей)

Jingle bells, jingle bells  
Jingle all the way  
Oh, what fun it is to ride  
In a one-horse open sleigh.

(Сhristmas)

Easter Bunny  
Looking kind of funny  
With your basket of eggs.  
Children singing:  
‘What’s the bunny bringing  
For me on Easter Day?”

(Easter)

Remember, remember

The fifth of November,

Gunpowder treason and plot.

We see no reason

Why gunpowder treason

Should ever be forgot.

What holiday is celebrated on November 5 in England?

(Bonfire Night)

I part my hands together,

this is how I start;

I curve my fingers right around

and I can make a Heart!

(St. Valentine’s Day)

On Halloween night

(On Halloween night)

We walk, walk, walk

(We walk, walk, walk)

On Halloween night

(On Halloween night)

We knock, knock, knock

(We knock, knock, knock)

Chocolate, please!

(Chocolate, please!)

Cookies, please!

(Cookies, please!)

Candy, please!

(Candy, please!)

We love to trick or treat

Hurray, hurray, it's Halloween

It's Halloween, hurray!

Hurray, hurray, it's Halloween

"Trick or treat", we say

(Halloween)

**Учитель:** Today the students of the seventh forms are ready to take part in this event. You’re going to tell some special facts about the history and ways of celebrating of British holidays as well as demonstrate our good knowledge of English. So, let’s get started.

Meet our teams… Please, welcome!

**Ученик 1 команды:**

Christmas is celebrated on the 25th of December.It is the time when Christians around the world celebrate the birth of Jesus. Most of people are on holiday in the UK and stay at home with their family on Christmas day. Christmas Day is the favourite day for children. They wake up early in the morning to fine their stockings have been filled by Father Christmas.

**Ученик 2 команды:**

New Year’s Day is the first day of the year in the Greegorian calendar. All over Britain there are parties, fireworks, singing and dancing, to ring out the old year and ring in the new.AS the clock- Big Ben -strikes midnight people link arms and sing a song.

The first person to enter the home of a household on [New Year's Day](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/New_Year%27s_Day) and is seen as a bringer of good fortune for the coming year.

**Ученик 3 команды:**

People with romantic feelings for a particular person may sent that person cards, gifts, text messages on Valentine’s Day. Popular gifts are flowers and chocolate.

**Ученик 4 команды:**

Easter usually comes in the month of April. Easter can fall as early as March 22 or as late as April 25. Easter Sunday in the UK is traditionally about Jesus Christ’s resurrection from death, according to Christian belief. Many people decorate Easter eggs, share chocolate eggs.

**Ученик 5 команды:**

From the 19th Century to the present day, the 31 st October has increasingly acquired a reputation as a night on which ghost, witches, and fairies, are especially active. Halloween celebrations include costume parties where people and children dress as witches, ghosts, animal figures associates with Halloween and go to people's homes saying "Trick or treat!" to ask for [candy](https://simple.wikipedia.org/wiki/Candy).

**Ученик 6 команды:**

In the UK, Bonfire Night (or Guy Fawkes Night) is celebrated on 5 November. People remember the plot to blow up the Houses of Parliament by celebrating ‘Bonfire Night’. All over Britain there are firework displays and bonfires with models of Guy Fawkes, which are burned on the fire. The Guy is made of old clothes and the clothes are filled with newspaper. The fireworks are a reminder of the gunpowder that Guy Fawkes hid in the cellar of Parliament. Some people have a small bonfire in their garden on 5 November, while in main towns and cities there are big bonfires and firework displays.

***Учитель: We ask you the questions***. ***Are the sentences true or false?***

1.People always follow their good resolutions given on New Year’s Day. (False)

2. Easter has a religious origin. (True)

3. Halloween, a holiday of Celtic origin, takes place on the eve of All Saints’ Day. (True)

4. On 5 November Easter usually comes (False).

5. If there’s no chimney Santa Claus can’t get in. (False)

6. [Children](https://simple.wikipedia.org/wiki/Children) wear [costumes](https://simple.wikipedia.org/wiki/Costume) and say “Give me a treat or I will play a trick on you”. (True)

7. People dye eggs at Christmas. (False)

8. In Britain the New Year is more popular than Christmas.(False)

9. People don’t always sign their Valentine cards. (True)

10. The First Foot is the first visitor to enter the house on New Year’s morning. (True).

**Play the game.**

Daily calender

There are the names of months, numbers, symbols of holidays and their names in front of you. You need to make a calendar of holidays use them.

**Учитель:** Now I see, you know British holidays. Our lesson is over. We've made so much today. Study foreign languages, and know traditions because of it's very interesting.