

# A Special Holiday to Me



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Holiday  
Grades K-2



## Introduction

Write about a holiday that is special to your family. Explain what the holiday is, how you celebrate it (traditions, rituals, etc.), and what it means to you or how it makes you feel.

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## Learning Objectives

[Production of Writing](#) (Students should be able to produce clear and coherent writing in which the development and organization are appropriate to task, purpose, and audience.)

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## Materials Needed

- Notebook or iPad (Seesaw, Google Docs, etc.)
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## Procedure

**Sentence Starter:** A very special holiday for my family is...

Students will take part in composing a personal narrative about a special holiday they celebrate. Narratives should include:

- Name of the holiday
- How their family celebrates it (special food, decorations, who attends, where they gather)
- Why it is special to them

After completion of the writing portion, students will get into partners or small groups to share their writing. Students can provide one another with feedback by asking one question they may still have as well as giving one compliment to each piece.

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## Evaluation

Checklist or short rubric evaluating if students met all three writing prompts (what is the holiday, how do they celebrate it, and what it means to them), as well as if their writing was clear and coherent.