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Popis způsobu využití, metodické pokyny	Výukový materiál obsahuje doplňovací cvičení týkající se velikonočních svátků ve Velké Británii. Žáci využívají slovní nápovědy a doplňují vynechaná slova podle kontextu. Další úkol testuje porozumění žáků textu. Rozhodují, zda jsou daná tvrzení pravdivá či nikoli.
Klíčová slova	Easter, traditions, recipes, celebrations, festivities, Christian symbols
Druh učebního materiálu	Pracovní list

What's Easter

1) Fill the correct words into the gap. Use the clues.

attractions, Bunny, celebration, Christian, churches, cross, crucifixion, customs, dancing, days, delicious, Easter, egg, fasting, festivities, food, full moon, goddess, lamb, life, recipes, sanctity, spices, symbols, time

In the UK 1) _____ is one of the major 2) _____ festivals of the year. It is full of 3) _____, folklore and traditional 4) _____. However, Easter in Britain has its beginnings long before the arrival of Christianity. Many theologians believe that Easter is named after the Anglo-Saxon 5) _____ of the dawn and spring - Eostre.

In Britain Easter is at a different 6) _____ each year. It happens on the first Sunday Easter after the first 7) _____ after the first day of spring in the Northern Hemisphere. Easter is the end of Lent, traditionally a time of 8) _____ in the Christian calendar. People try not to eat so much or try to stop smoking for the whole forty 9) _____. It is therefore often a time of fun and 10) _____. Easter eggs decoration, games and all fun activities are part of the 11) _____, even though the main celebrations are seen in 12) _____ of the country. Easter customs like 13) _____ rolling, an Egg Hunt or Morris 14) _____ and Easter Bunny form the major 15) _____ of Easter celebrations in the UK.

On the „Good Friday“ before Easter, Christians commemorate the 16) _____ of Jesus Christ. It is a day of mourning in church and special Good Friday worship are held.

Many of the 17) _____ and traditions of Easter are connected with renewal, birth, good luck and fertility. Easter eggs are a very old tradition going to a time before Christianity. Eggs are a symbol of spring and new 18) _____. In many countries is very popular custom to exchange and eat Easter eggs. Another symbol of Easter is the Easter 19) _____ which has it's origins in Germany. The white Easter lily which is the flower of Easter symbolizes purity and 20) _____.

A lot of scrumptious recipes are connected with Easter. After a long observation of Lent people want to eat something 21) _____. Traditional 22) _____ like chocolate bunny cakes to baked chicken, from peanut bitter cookies to Greek 23) _____ are always on the top charts. Hot Cross Buns stand out from other Easter delicacies. Hot Cross Buns are bread buns with currants and 24) _____ and they have a 25) _____ on the top. They are best hot.

2) Read the text. Are sentences 1 – 8 true (T) or false (F)?

- 1) Easter is a religious holiday that is celebrated in summer. _____
- 2) Historians believe that the legend of the Easter Bunny originated in Germany. _____
- 3) Easter are traditionally connected with death. _____
- 4) The origin of the word Easter is derived from the Anglo-Saxon goddess. _____
- 5) Easter is the celebration of the Jesus resurrection. _____
- 6) A white primrose is the flower of Easter. _____
- 7) Lent before Easter lasts 40 days. _____
- 8) Exchanging and eating Easter eggs is a popular custom in many countries. _____

Zdroje:

www.wikipedia.com