

# Holidays in the United States

Throughout the year, people get together with friends and family to celebrate. When do people celebrate? Talk about which holiday is celebrated in each month!

<b>January</b>	<b>Holiday</b>
<b>This day is for beginnings.</b>	
<b>On the third Monday in January, we celebrate a man who fought for equality.</b>	
<b>February</b>	<b>Holiday</b>
<b>A day for love is February 14.</b>	
<b>The leaders of the United States are celebrated on the third Monday in February.</b>	
<b>March</b>	<b>Holiday</b>
<b>This holiday comes from Ireland and is on March 17.</b>	
<b>April</b>	<b>Holiday</b>
<b>This spring holiday is often celebrated in April but can be in March or May some years.</b>	
<b>May</b>	<b>Holiday</b>
<b>The second Sunday in May is for celebrating moms.</b>	
<b>On the last Monday in May, we celebrate people who fought and died in wars.</b>	
<b>June</b>	<b>Holiday</b>
<b>Dads are celebrated on the third Sunday in June.</b>	

**July**

**Holiday**

**Fourth of July is another name for this holiday.**

**August**

**Holiday**

*No commonly practiced American holidays in August*

**September**

**Holiday**

**We celebrate our workers on the first Monday in September.**

**October**

**Holiday**

**Scaring people, getting candy, and dressing in costumes are what this holiday is about.**

**November**

**Holiday**

**People who served in the armed forces are honored on November 11.**

**People have a big meal with their family and express their gratitude on the fourth Thursday in November.**

**December**

**Holiday**

**This winter holiday has a lot of traditions including giving presents and waiting for Santa Clause.**

**This is the last day of the year. People drink champagne and wait for midnight.**