

Thanksgiving Study Sheet

1. Mayflower The Pilgrims came to America in this ship.
2. Plymouth Rock Where the Pilgrims landed in America.
3. Squanto He taught the Pilgrims to grow corn.
4. William Bradford He wrote the first account of the pilgrims' Thanksgiving.
5. Thanksgiving A dinner between the Pilgrims and Wampanoag natives to celebrate the first harvest.
6. Wampanoag The Native Americans that the Pilgrims invited to share their first feast.
7. Plymouth The English settlement where the first Thanksgiving took place in 1621.
8. harvest The gathering of crops, which was celebrated at the first Thanksgiving.
9. Pilgrims The group of English Separatists who sailed to America on the Mayflower.
10. gratitude Thankfulness or appreciation, a central theme of Thanksgiving.
11. squash A type of vegetable that was likely present at the first Thanksgiving feast.
12. feast A large and celebratory meal, often shared with others.
13. cornucopia A symbol of abundance, often associated with Thanksgiving.
14. settlers People who move to a new area to establish a home and community.
15. cranberry A tart red fruit often used in sauces or as a side dish during Thanksgiving.
16. thankful Feeling or expressing gratitude; appreciative.
17. tradition A custom or belief that is passed down from generation to generation.
18. corn A staple food for Native Americans and early settlers, often present at Thanksgiving.
19. proclamation An official announcement, such as Abraham Lincoln's Thanksgiving proclamation in 1863.
20. pie A popular Thanksgiving dessert, often made with pumpkin, pecans, or apples.
21. generosity The quality of being kind, giving, and willing to share with others.