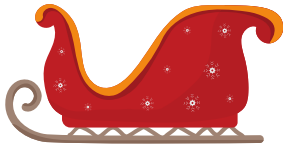


Steve's Winter Wish - Answers



Sign Language

1. Snowman
2. Bells
3. Holly
4. Sleigh
5. Winter
6. Robin
7. Giving
8. Lights
9. Love
10. Gingerbread



Celebrations Around the World!



Hannukah

Also known as the Festival of Lights, festivities include singing songs, reading scripture and lighting candles on a Menorah.

Dia de los Muertos



Held at the start of November, this festival is a time to think about family who have passed away. Decorated skulls made of sugar or chocolate are given to as gifts



Tihar

This is a five day Hindu festival in which rituals include worshipping, singing, dancing and feasts. People make an offering of rice to crows (the messengers of death).

Diwali



For many people this five-day festival honours Lakshmi, the goddess of wealth. Celebrations include spring cleaning your home, firework displays and exchanging gifts.

Eid



This festival begins at the first sighting of the new moon. It's a tradition to wear new clothes and on the way to the mosque, to eat something sweet, and recite a short prayer.

Holi



Celebrated over 5 days, this festival celebrates the arrival of Spring and is seen as a time for forgiveness. Celebrants smear each other with paint and coloured water!

Setsubun



The main ritual associated with the festival is mamemaki (bean scattering) This sees "fortune beans" thrown out of the front door, or at someone wearing an oni (demon or ogre) mask while shouting "Devils out! Fortune in!"

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