Unit 4:

My Community

Lesson 20 – **Community, Friends, and Helpers**

She's a pilot.

She can fly an airplane.

She's a teacher.

She can teach kids.

He's a doctor.

He helped cure patients.

They’re policeman and policewoman.

They arrest bad people.

He’s a farmer.

He takes care the farm.

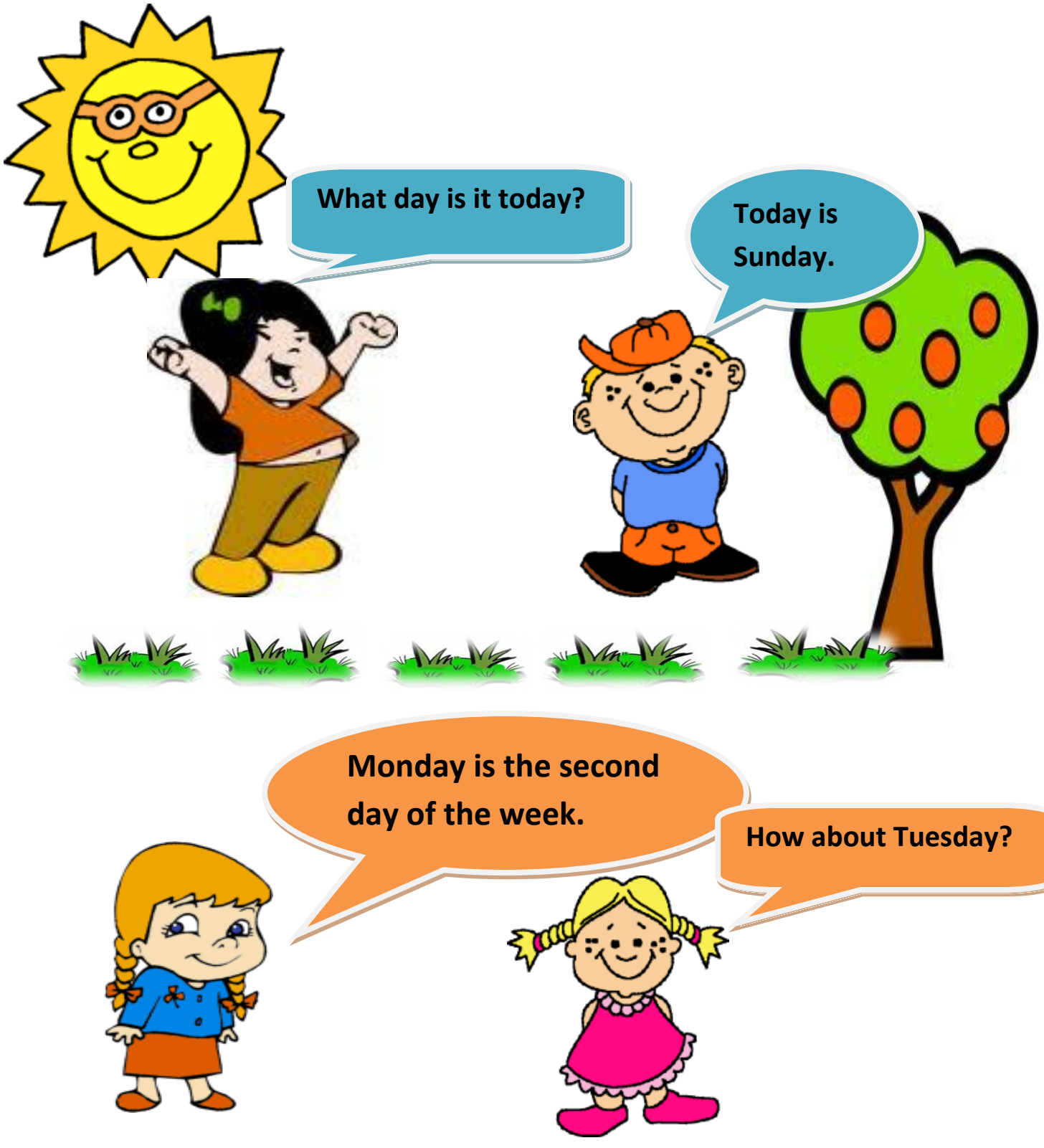
Lesson 21 – **Places in the Community**

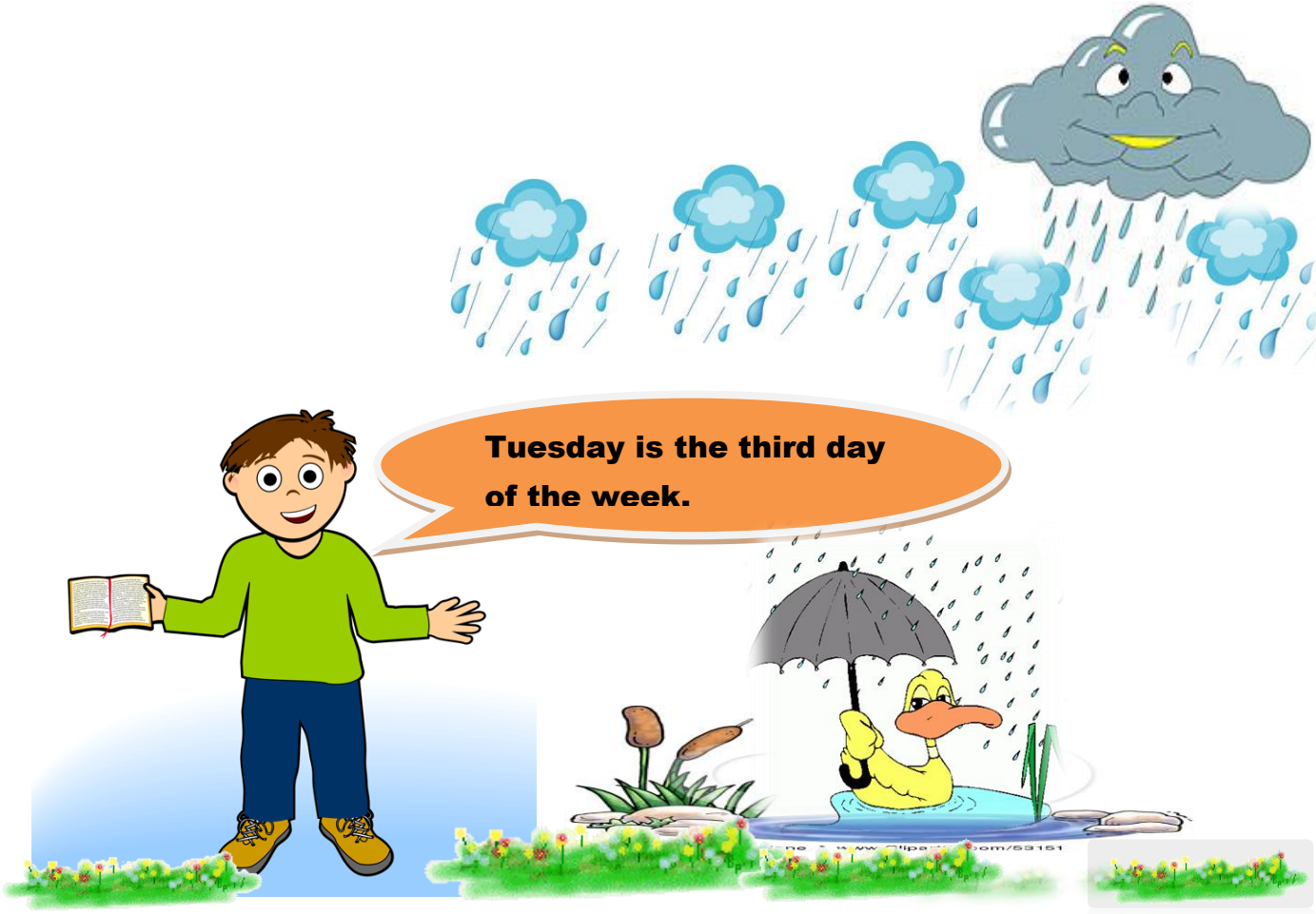
Home

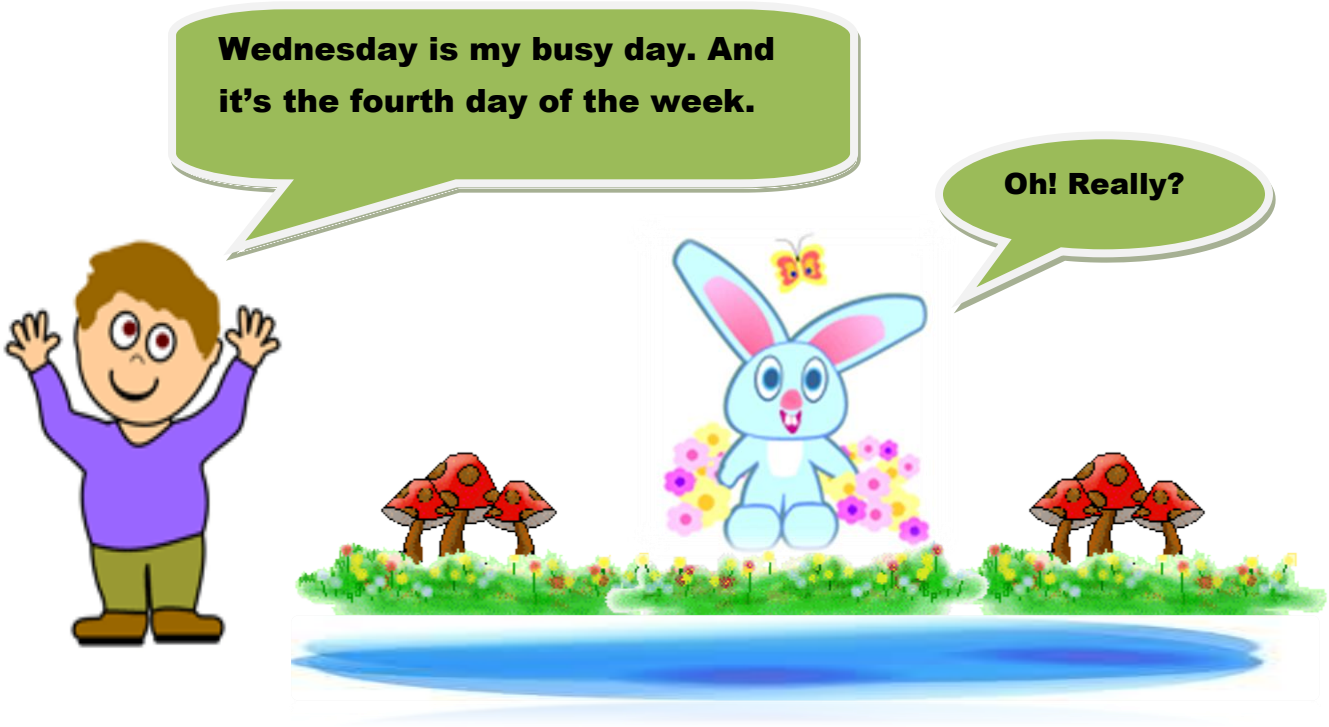
Church

School

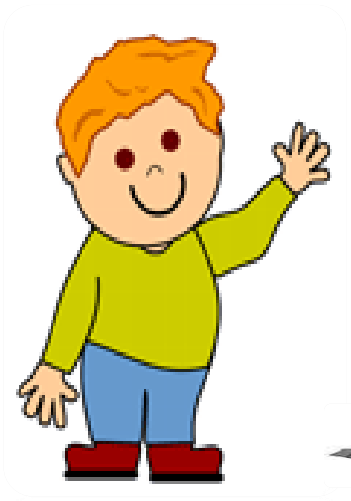
Lesson 22 – Days of the Week


What day is it today?
Today is Sunday.
Monday is the second day of the week.
How about Tuesday?


Tuesday is the third day of the week.

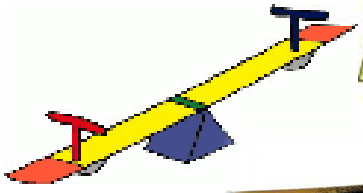

Wednesday is my busy day. And it's the fourth day of the week.
Oh! Really?

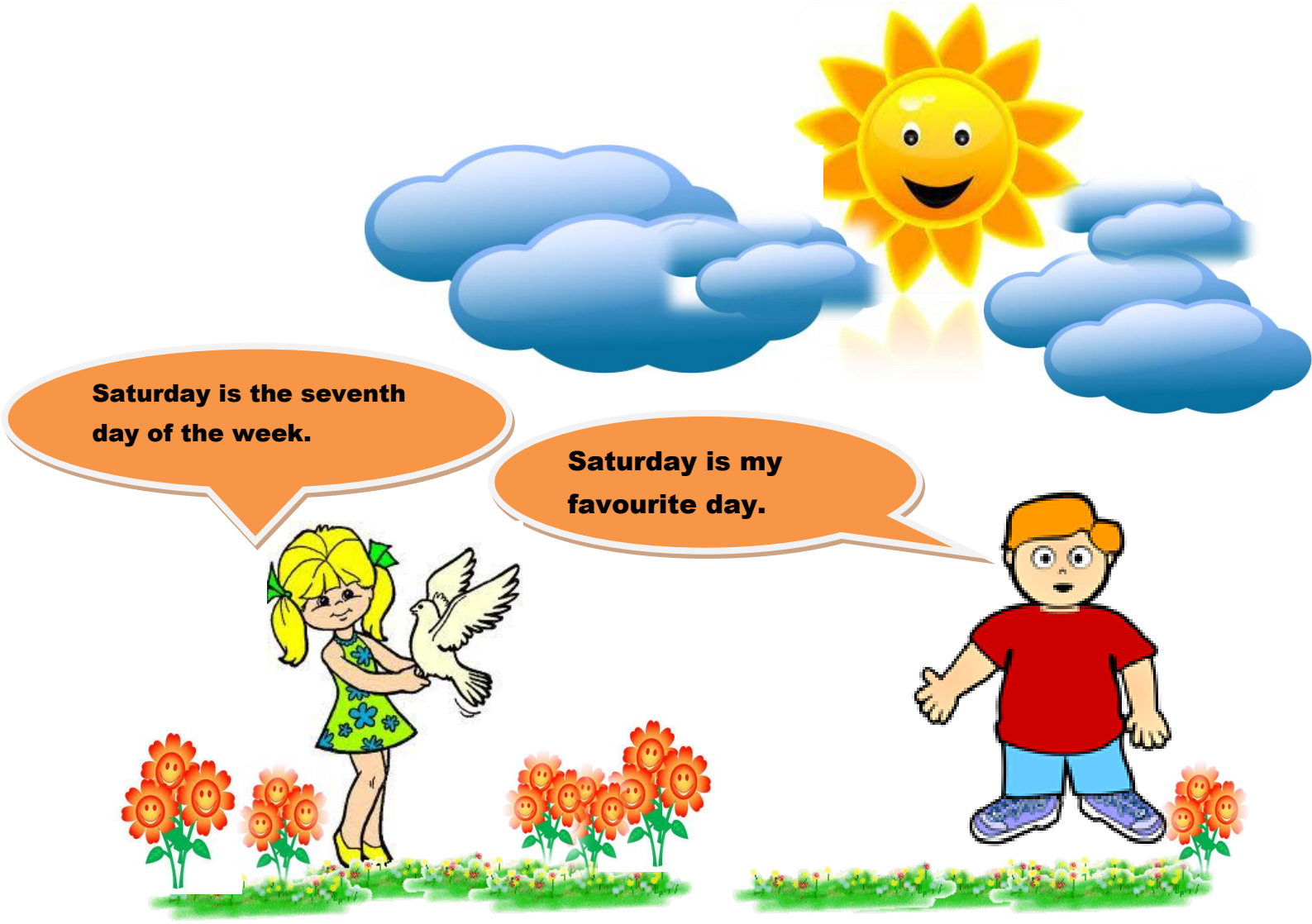
Every Thursday I have my piano lesson.



Thursday is the fifth day of the week.

Friday is my play day.





Chant Exercise:

Days of the Week

There are 7 days in the week,	Sunday, Monday and Tuesday,
7 days in the week,	Wednesday, Thursday and Friday
7 days in the week,	Saturday is the last day
And I can say them all!	And I can say them all!

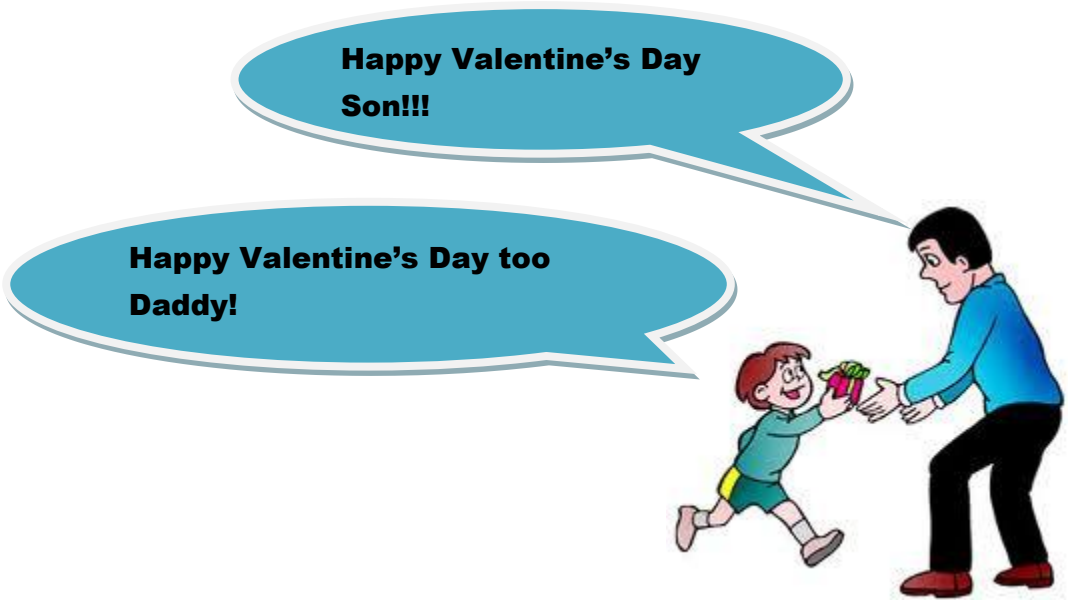
Lesson 23 – Months of the Year

Happy New Year Chant Exercise:

Happy New Year
Hop, Hop, Hop
Happy New Year
Jump, jump, jump
(repeat)

1,2,3,4
Happy New Year
Clap, clap, clap
Happy New Year

FEBRUARY



14 February - Valentine's Day.

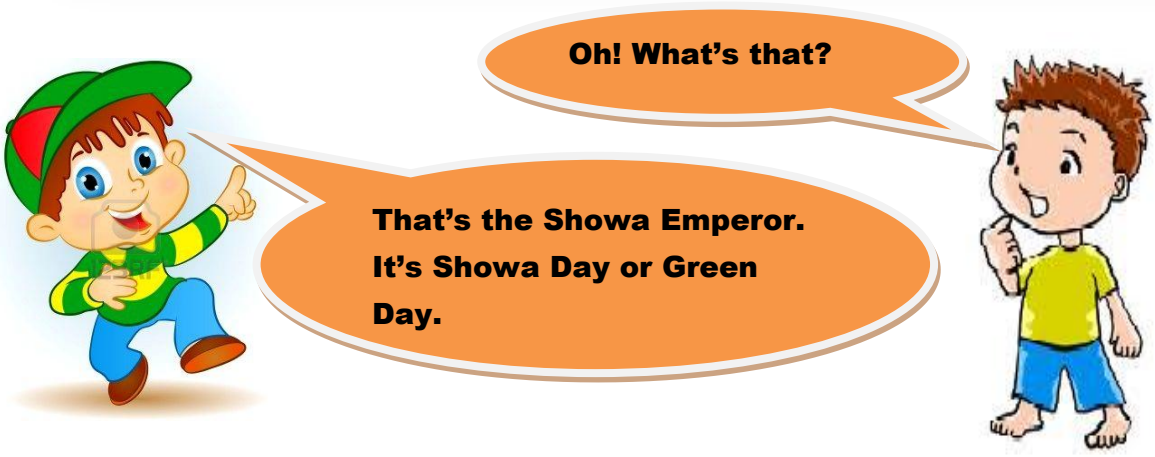
Not a holiday, of course, but very much like our Valentine's Day

3 March - Hina Matsuri. (Doll Festival)

This is not a holiday either but it is widely observed. While you may see displays of dolls in traditional garb, families usually observe the day quietly in the home.

Cherry Blossom

Green Day (Showa Day)



29 April - Showa Day – Green Day

Honours the 62-year reign of the Showa Emperor. Showa was the name of his reign.

Yehey!!!! Today is Children's Day.

5 May - Kodomo no Hi - Children's Day

This day is set aside for traditional prayers for the health and happiness of all the country's children.

July

Ocean Day (Umi No Hi)

3rd Month of July - Umi no Hi - Ocean Day

This is a newly declared holiday and recognized the love the late Emperor Hirohito had for the sea as well as the contribution the ocean makes to the Japanese way of life.

AUGUST

Obon Festival

Obon is an annual event that is derived from Buddhist belief that one's deceased ancestors' spirits return to earth to visit their living descendants from the 13th to the 15th day of the 7th month of the year.

Silver Week

Third weekend in September - Silver Week

A new arrangement as of 2009 that moved one holiday and created a new one to enable a 5-day weekend.

Third Monday - Keiro no Hi - Respect for the Aged Day. This day honours Japan's elderly and shows respect for their longevity. It was established to commemorate the enactment of the law concerning Welfare for the Aged.

22 Sept Tuesday - Kokumin no Kyujitsu. A new hollday dedicated to all gapan as a group.

Sports Day

2nd Monday in October - Taiiku no Hi - Sports Day

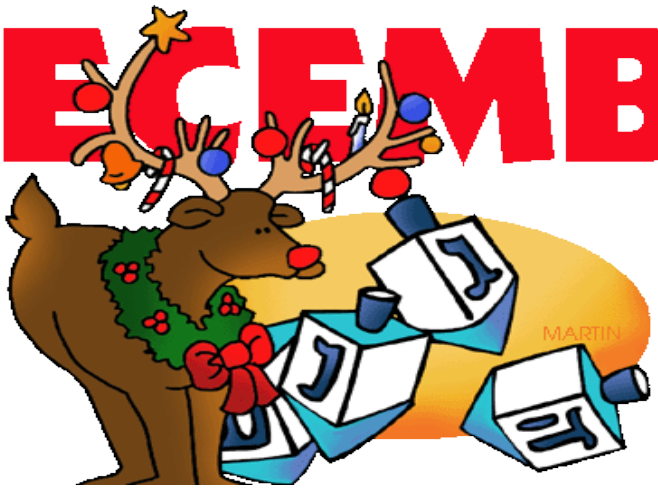
People enthusiastically celebrate good physical and mental health through physical activity on this day. This holiday was established to commemorate the Tokyo Summer Olympics of 1964. Schools will hold races and other forms of competition in which all students participate and entire families attend and sometimes take part in some of the events.

Labor Thanksgiving Day

23 November - Kinro Kansha no Hi - Labor Thanksgiving Day

On this day, people traditionally express gratitude to each other for the blessing that their labours have produced and for the fruits of that labor.

DECEMBER



Lesson 24 – Describing Words

a)Identify the different sizes.

1.

Big

Small

2.

Tall

Short

3.

Fat

Thin

4.

Happy

sad

Colors

B. Identify the colors.

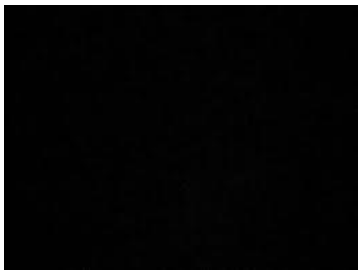
blue

red

green

yellow

brown



black

Different Kinds of Taste

c. Identify the different kinds of taste.

Sweet

Sour

Salty

Bitter

Different types of textures

c. Identify the different type of textures.

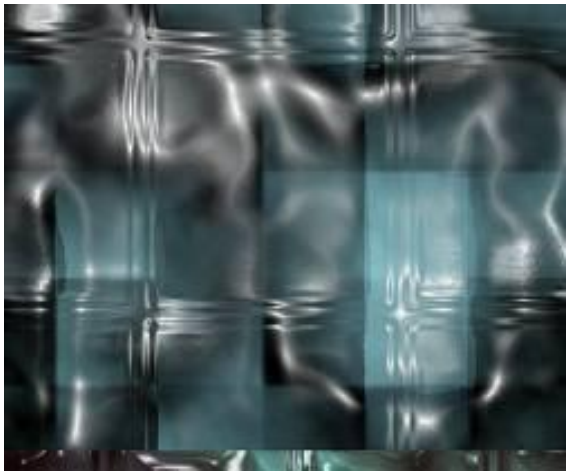
Rough

Soft

Sandy

Hairy

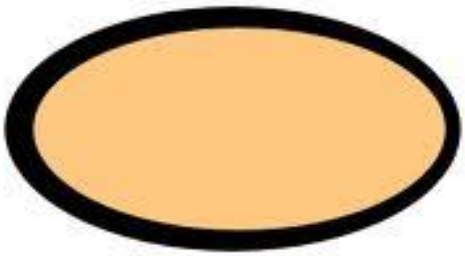
Skin



Glass

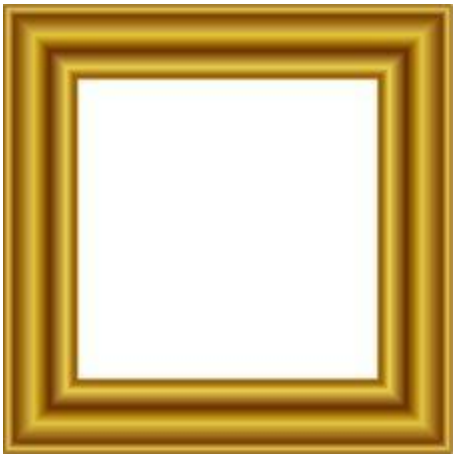
Different kinds of shapes

Circle



Oval

Triangle



Square

Rectangle

Opposite Words

Big

Small

Clean

Dirty

fast

slow

fat

thin

full

empty