Answers\_advanced\_lesson\_37\_thanksgiving\_vocabulary\_part\_1

**Exercise 1**

**Watch the video and answer the questions**

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=CzVXun4Uyp0>

1. What was the reason that the Pilgrims migrated from England to the new land?
2. to escape from the government
3. **to find religious freedom**
4. to conquer the new land
5. Which president was the first to make Thanksgiving a national holiday?
6. **Abraham Lincoln**
7. George Washington
8. Woodrow Wilson

2.  What was the name of the Pilgrims' ship?

**a) Mayflower**

b) Plymouth

c) Wampanoag

3.  When did Thanksgiving Day become an official national holiday?

a) 1621

**b) 1860**

c) 1941

4.  What time of year was it when the Pilgrims arrived in America?

**a) late fall**

b) spring

c) late winter

5.  When was the first Thanksgiving?

a) 1620

**b) 1621**

c) 1861

6.  Why did half the Pilgrims die their first winter in America?

**a) They suffered from famine.**

b) They were killed by English soldiers.

c) They drowned.

7. What food did the Pilgrims manage to harvest due to Native Americans?

a) eggplant

**b) squash and pumpkin**

c) asparagus

**Exercise 2**

**Fill in the gaps choosing the correct words**

1. Friends and families gather on the fourth Thursday in November in a  that occurs across America**. A) feast** b) festive c) carnival
2. Grandma prepared a huge turkey filled with  that was made with seasoned cornbread, onions, raisins and butter. A) icing **b) stuffing** c) beverage

3)  Does Sue even imagine eating a turkey dinner without delicious  served on the side? **A) dressing** b) adding c) portion

4)  The  of Thanksgiving Day is a national holiday for Americans young and old. **A) celebration** b) celebrated c) celebrity

5) The President Abraham Lincoln \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the last Thursday of November as a national holiday. a) arranged b) managed **c) proclaimed**

6) After the Pilgrims had arrived to the new land, they were suffering from \_\_\_\_\_\_\_. A) diseases **b) famine** c) severe weather conditions

7) On Thanksgiving`s Day the Americans express their \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. A) modesty b) hatred  **c) gratitude**

**Exercise 3**

**Match the definitions with the words**

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| **1)  season when crops are collected a) harvest** |
| **2)  group of people who form in a new land b) settlers** |
| **3)  valued praise or benefit c) blessing** |
| **4)  a horn stuffed with foods, berries etc. d) cornucopia** |
| **5)  small, sour and dark red berry e) cranberry** |
| **6)   filling inside poultry f) stuffing** |
| **7)  name of ship that sailed to the New World (1620) g) Mayflower** |
| **8)  synonym for corn; pale yellow h) maize** |
| **9)  a sauce for salads etc. j) dressing** |