This week's words

GRADE 3

big	큰	long	긴
small	작은	short	짧은
tall	키가 큰	elephant	코끼리
lion	사자	flower	꽃
bird	새	pencil	연필
tree	나무	pretty	예쁜

GRADE 4

bag	가방	hat	모자
umbrella	우산	pencil	연필
watch	손목시계	sock	양말
notebook	공책	cup	컵 / 잔
shoe	신발	gray	회색
cap	(야구)모자	brown	갈색
book	책	blue	파란색

GRADE 5

go straight	직진하다	library	도서관
turn left	왼쪽으로 돌다	book store	서점
turn right	오른쪽으로 돌다	museum	박물관
next to	옆에	flower shop	꽃 가게
in front of	앞에	ice cream shop	아이스크림 가게
behind	뒤에	post office	우체국
block	블럭	park	공원
excuse me	실례합니다	police station	경찰서

GRADE 6

alphabet	알파벳	board game	보드게임
anything	뭔가 / 뭐라도	yunnori	윷놀이
bibimbap	비빔밥	traditional	전통의
Chinese	중국의	game	게임
hangeul	한글	lunar	달의 / 음력
Japanese	일본의	food	음식
know	알다	gonunori	고누놀이
Korean	한국의	music	음악
pansori	판소리	solar	태양의 / 양력
yakgwa	약과	dodgeball	피구

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KOREAN CULTURE

Chuseok

by Aidan ★★★★



Chuseok is one of Korea's most important holidays. It is also known as the Autumn Harvest Festival. It takes place when the full moon appears in the 8th month of the lunar calendar. This holiday has a long history, beginning in Korea's past as a farming country. It is thought to have come from an old celebration called Gabae during the Silla Kingdom, marking the successful end of the year's harvest. The central idea of Chuseok is to commemorate your ancestors and enjoy a big harvest feast with your family. On this day, families travel back to their hometowns to meet their relatives, which is a major and important part of the celebration. They perform a ceremony called "charye" to remember their ancestors and also visit their ancestors' graves to clean them up. This custom is known as "seongmyo". The most well-known Chuseok food is "songpyeon". It is a special half-moon-shaped rice cake made with new rice. Sharing food and spending time together strengthens family bonds.

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WORDS

important	중요한	successful	성공적인
harvest	수확	custom	관습
lunar calendar	음력	ceremony	식
celebration	기념	grave	무덤
respect	존경	gratitude	감사

COOKING

Making Songpyeon by Aidan ★★★



Songpyeonini Chanyalini

Songpyeon is a special Korean food for Chuseok. First, we need some rice flour and warm water. Mix them together to make a smooth dough. Make a sweet filling with sesame seeds or red beans. Make a half-moon shape and put the filling inside. We cook the songpyeon by steaming them with fresh pine needles. Now, they are ready to eat!

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WORDS			
half-moon	반달	dough	반죽
shape	모양	rice flour	쌀가루
filling	속 / 필링	sesame seed	참깨
pine needle	솔잎	red beans	팥

LIFESTYLE

Ten Day Holiday by Aidan ★★★★

Starting this week Friday, the 3rd of October, we will have a 10 day holiday. The 3rd of October is the National Foundation Day of Korea. It is one of the four major holidays in South Korea. Then, we have our Chuseok holiday from the 5th to the 8th of October. Straight after that is Hangeul Day on the 9th! Most schools are also closed on the 10th of October and then there's another weekend. This means we have 10 days free. Some families will go to visit their family in other parts of the country. Some families will go on a family vacation to visit other countries. Some families will just stay home and have a good rest. Which is great, too. What will you do?



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WORDS			
National Foundation Day	개천절	straight after	~한 직후에
major	주요한	vacation	방학 / 휴가
Chuseok	추석	visit	방문하다
Hangeul Day	한글날	other parts	다른 지역

STUDENT CORNER

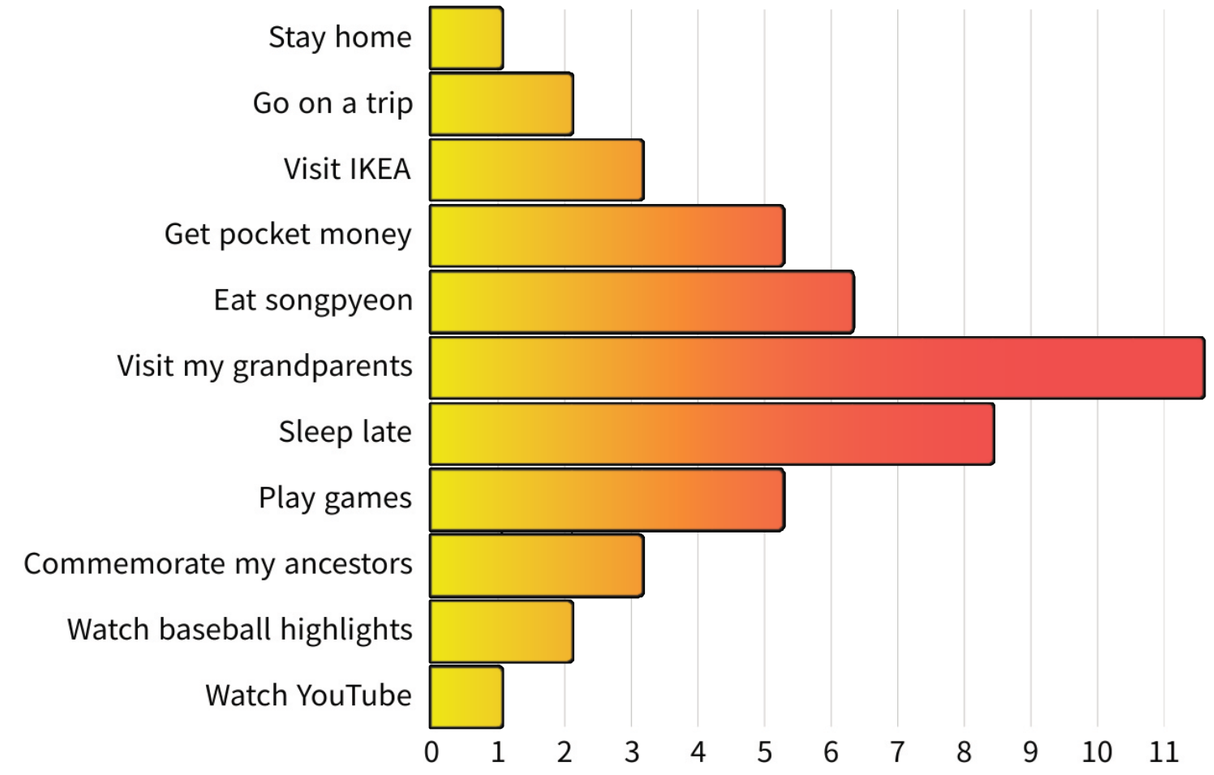
Chuseok Plans by Grade 6 ★★★★



What will you do during the Chuseok holiday?

I will...













WORDS			
grandparents	할아버지 할머니	highlight	하이라이트
late	늦게	pocket money	용돈
ancestor	조상	visit	방문하다
watch	보다 / 시청하다	stay home	집에 있다

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