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- 1) Independence Day is celebrated on 31st August.
- 2) We got our first Prime Minister when we became an independent nation.
- 3) There is a Military Parade and there are fireworks.

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- 1) A rule is a set of instructions about what is allowed or what is not allowed to do.
- 2) No bullying, no running in the classroom
- 3) We should have rules to keep order and keep people safe.

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- 1) A budget is a plan of how to spend and save money for a period of time.
- 2) The Minister of Finance reads the budget.
- 3) The Government get its money to spend from passport, P.A.Y.E
- 4) On housing and education, health

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- 1) Literate means able to read and write
- 2) People should read to understand the past and to visit new places
- 3) Literacy Day is celebrated on 8th September

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- 1) Republic Day is celebrated every year on 24th September
- 2) The Queen
- 3) Trinidad and Tobago became a Republic State in the year 1976
- 4) _____
- 5) The President
- 6) Noor Hassanali, A.N.R Robinson

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- 1) Coat of Arms
- 2) National Steelpan

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Hands at your side

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- 1) Pledge means promise
- 2) Majorie Padmore
- 3) Here every creed and race find an equal place

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- 1) A coconut palm tree, the national birds, a ship's wheel
- 2) On passports, driver's permit, money
- 3) Don Jose Maria Chacon
- 4) The last Spanish Governor of Trinidad, Don Jose Maria Chacon.
- 5) Wild Poinsettia or Pride of Trinidad

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- 1) The **Scarlet Ibis** and the **Cocrico**
- 2) The Caroni Swamp
- 3) No
- 4) It is the national bird and it is protected by law

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- 1) The national flag, the coat of arms, the national birds, the Chaconia
- 2) Our National Flag, Coat of Arms, the National Birds, the National Flower, the National Instrument
- 3) money, passport, identification card
- 4) The Chaconia
- 5) The Scarlet Ibis and the Cocrico
- 6) 'Winston Spree Simon'
- 7) Discipline, Tolerance, Production
- 8) The National Flag, The Scarlet Ibis

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- 1) Amerindians
- 2) brown skin.
- 3) Arawaks
- 4) fishermen
- 5) stones and conch shell
- 6) pawpaw, cassava, nuts, beans
- 7) False
- 8) **wood**, leaves and **branches**.
- 9) a Zemi
- 10) a Maboya
- 11) cassava
- 12) **herbs and plants**
- 13) Circle which is an **Amerindian's home**. 1 st one

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- 1) spears and hooks
- 2) They worshipped idols
- 3) Cacique

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- 1) They had long, straight hair and their forehead and nose were flat
- 2) boats and canoes
- 3) They used herbs and plants for medicine

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- 1) **hunt and fish**
- 2) False
- 3) True
- 4) True
- 5) Arawak
- 6) herbs and plants
- 7) Arima, Aroca, Mayao
- 8) transportation
- 9) hammock
- 10) Uboutou
- 11) idols
- 12) Maboyas
- 13) Spanish**
- 14) cassava

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- 1) Arima
- 2) August
- 3) **Cassava delicacies** and other tasty dishes
- 4) The Caribs

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- 1) World Teachers' Day
- 2) To honour teachers for their special contributions in a particular field
- 3) Free response/ They guide and educate children

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- 1) Hindus
- 2) The wife of King Rama
- 3) The members of the Hindu community

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- 1) A festival of lights
- 2) False
- 3) October or early November
- 4) Blessings of health, happiness and wealth
- 5) Light over darkness and good over evil
- 6) Abstain from eating meat and drinking alcoholic beverages

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- 1) October 31st
- 2) The carved jack-o'-lantern
- 3) ghosts, witches, vampires, bats, owl and skeletons
- 4) candies
- 5) costume

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- 1) All Saints' Day
- 2) Catholics
- 3) To honour the Saints
- 4) People visit cemeteries, light candles and place flowers on the graves of their loved ones who have died.

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- 1) Roman Catholic and Hindus.
- 2) For honouring the dead
- 3) Roman Catholics keep mass in church to pray for the departed souls, light candles on the graves, some people light candles in their homes

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- 1) 20th November
- 2) To show love and appreciation for children all over the world
- 3) A right to a name, the right to love, protection and understanding, the right to free education, play and recreation
- 4) False
- 5) True
- 6) United Nations Assembly
- 7) Lack of nutrition

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- 1) Christians
- 2) To remember the **birth** of **Jesus Christ**
- 3) To exchange gifts, **creches**, colourful decorations and lighting up of trees and streets,
- 4) Fruitcake, ham, pastelle, sorrel, egg nog and ginger beer are prepared
- 5) Christmas **carols** and **parang**

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- 1) Caribs and Arawaks
- 2) South America
- 3) Cacique
- 4) tortoise shell and fish spines
- 5) canoe

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- 1) safe
- 2) don't litter the classroom
- 3) Obey the traffic lights
- 4) A budget is a plan of how to spend and save money for a period of time.
- 5) **Santa Rosa Festival**
- 6) Canoe
- 7) Aroca, Tacarigua, Tamana, Aripo
- 8) 31 st August
- 9) National Flag, Coat of Arms, National birds, National Watchwords
- 10) 24 th September
- 11) The right to a free education, **nutrition, housing and medical service**

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- 12) senorita
- 13) -
- 14) Divali
- 15) lights
- 16) Hindus
- 17) Jesus Christ
- 18) Christmas
- 19) Christians
- 20) 1 st November


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- 1) People go to church, watching fireworks
- 2) True
- 3) 1st January

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- 1) festival
- 2) religious
- 3) national festival
- 4) carnival, Eid-ul-fitr

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- 1) Hindus, Muslims, Christians
- 2) Religious - Easter, Eid-ul-fitr
Cultural - Carnival, Tobago Heritage
- 3) mosque
- 4) 

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- 1)
- 2) church
- 3) Ramadan
- 4) mosque
- 5) Avoid long **loose clothes**, because they can catch fire easily
Don't let children burst crackers **without an adult**.
- 6) Temple or Mandir
- 7) Christians, Christmas
Divali, light deyas, have prayer
Muslims, give charity, go to mosque, fast

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- 1) To show love and appreciation to our family members and friends
- 2) 14th February
- 3) By giving flowers, cards, chocolate and gifts
- 4)

Christmas	25th December
Valentine's Day	14th February
Republic Day	24th September
Independence Day	31st August
Universal Children's Day	20th November

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- 1) Phagwa or Holi is a Hindu festival of colour.
- 2) Hindus
- 3) They spray abeer, a coloured powder on one another. They sing folk song called 'chowtal'Hindus
- 4) They pray since they believe that it is a time when good conquers evil.

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- 1) On the Wednesday after Carnival Monday and Tuesday.
- 2) Roman Catholics and Anglicans observe this day.
- 3) Forty days
- 4) To signify repentance.

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- 1) Forty (40) days after Ash Wednesday
- 2) Fasting
- 3) Jesus Christ
- 4) For the forgiveness of all men.
- 5) Jesus Christ rose from the dead on Sunday

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- 1) Fish and provision for lunch
- 2) By going to church to pray and sing hymns.
- 3) Easter Egg Hunt, Kite Flying Competition

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- 1) Food, clothes, shelter
- 2) Food and water keep us healthy and alive,
- 3) We wear clothes to protect our body
- 4) We need air to breathe and stay alive.
- 5) A place where we live with our family and get love. It gives us safety from the weather, thieves and scary animals.

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- 1) On March 30th
- 2) Mr. Basdeo Panday, a former Prime Minister
- 3) Baptists were forbidden from practicing their religious beliefs and building churches.
- 4) Singing, playing drums, clapping and ringing bells.

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- 1) Carnival
- 2) Panorama
- 3) Calypsos
- 4) Church
- 5) Temple
- 6) 14th February

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- 7) 
- 8) Christians
- 9) Jesus Christ
- 10) Christmas
- 11) 30th March
- 12) Phagwa
- 13) Christians

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- 1) True
- 2) False
- 3) True
- 4) False
- 5) True
- 6) True
- 7) True
- 8) True

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- 1) Food, clothes, shelter, education, air
- 2) Don't wear loose clothes near fire
- 3) Buying them gifts, obeying them
- 4) Fly kites, Easter egg hunting
- 5) Valentine Day

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- 1) Keep us healthy and alive
- 2) Love and shelter from the weather, thieves and scary animals.
- 3) beat drum, ring bell, clap and sing
 - a) Ash Wednesday
 - b) Christians for 40 days
 - c) Hindus
 - d) crucified, rose
 - e) fasting
- f) Phagwa - Hindu
- Easter - Christian
- Corpus Christi - Christians
- Good Friday - Christians
- Eid-ul-fitr - Muslims

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- 1) seasons
- 2) die
- 3) earthquake
- 4) planting
- 5) flooding
- 6) beach
- 7) -
- 8) -

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- 1) two
- 2) Trinidad
- 3) June to December
- 4) winter
- 5) a) tsunami
b) hurricane
c) season
- 6) spring
- 7) canned foods, bottled water
- 8) go under a table or desk
- 9) O.D.P.M., T.E.M.A

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- 1) paid* mental or physical effort in order
- 2) enjoy

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- 1) The second Sunday in the month of May
- 2) Make breakfast/ lunch/ dinner for her, give her gifts

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- 1) May 30th 1845
- 2) Fatel Razack
- 3) May 30th
- 4) To work on the sugarcane plantations
- 5) Eid-ul-Fitr, Diwali, Phagwa

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- 1) Roman Catholics.
- 2) Body of Christ
- 3) Role Playing - They walk along the streets around their churches with someone carrying the Cross on his back praying and singing
- 4) A good day for planting crops

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- 1) third Sunday in June
- 2) Give him hugs, kisses, cards and gifts.
- 3) He takes care of us. He protects us.

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- 1) He was the leader of the Trade Union Movement
- 2) Labour Day
- 3) A Major Highway
- 4) A salary, Safe and suitable working conditions

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- 1) Muslim
- 2) Ramadan
- 3) They fast from sunrise to sunset, by abstaining from food and drinks.
- 4) By having a feast, distributing gifts and visiting friends and relatives

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- 1) Muslim
- 2) The grandsons of the Prophet Mohammed
- 3) Tadjahs represent the tombs of Hussein and Hassan

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- 1) Africans
- 2) A public holiday
- 3) By having parades on the streets and having religious services
- 4) August 1st every year.

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- 1) Goat Race, Ole Time Mas
- 2) Traditional costumes that depict village life
- 3) Mid-July to early August

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- 1) England
- 2) red, white, black
- 3) the national pledge
- 4) Indian Arrival Day
- 5) Labour Leader
- 6) Mother's Day
- 7) January to May
- 8) labour Day

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- 9) Scarlet Ibis
- 10) The Body and Blood of Christ
- 11) Fatel Razack
- 12) the Amerindians
- 13) 2
- 14) Mid July to early August

- 1) True
- 2) True
- 3) False
- 4) False
- 5) False

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- 1) Coat of Arms
- 2) money, passport
- 3) tsunami
- 4) hurricane
- 5) wet*
- 6) keep canned food and bottles, flash lights
- 7) 30 th May, 1845
- 8) safe and suitable work conditions, a better salary
- 9) Arrival Day - 30th May
- 10) Shouter Baptist Day - 30th March
- 11) Labour Day 19 th June

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- 1) trustworthy
- 2) bully
- 3) playpark
- 4) rough
- 5) depend, personal
- 6) religion

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- 1) False
- 2) False
- 3) True
- 4) True
- 5) True
- 6) True
- 7) True

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- 1) James paints the benches in the playpark
- 2) Obeying your teachers and parents
- 3) Respecting other peoples' religion
- 4) Saying good morning to your friends
- 5) Eat fresh fruits and vegetables
- 6) They should settle their quarrel peacefully