

#### WELCOME TO ONLINE CLASS

**SESSION: 1** 

CLASS: III

SUBJECT- SOCIAL SCIENCE

**CHAPTER NUMBER: 08** 

**CHAPTER NAME : OUR FESTIVALS** 

SUBTOPIC: NATIONAL FESTIVALS AND NEW WORDS

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#### **LEARNING OBJECTIVE:**

# TO ENABLE THE CHILDREN TO KNOW ABOUT DIFFERENT FESTIVALS OF INDIA

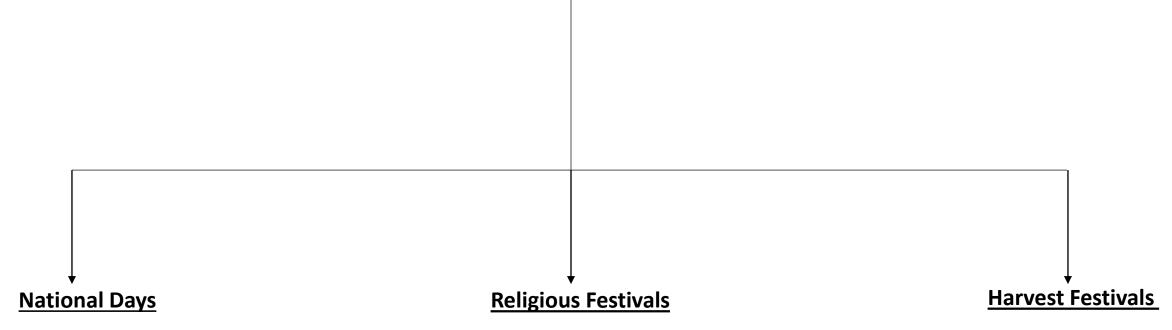


## FESTIVALS

- A festival is a time for fun, joy and celebration.
   India is a land of festivals. Not a single month goes by without a festival.
- Some festivals are common to the whole country while others are celebrated only in some states.



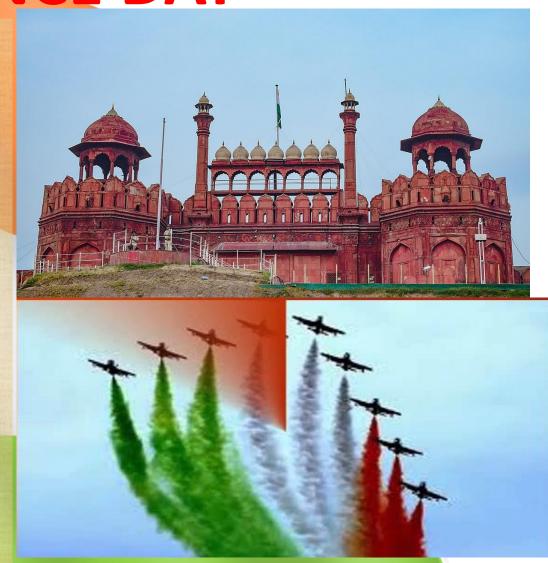
## FESTIVALS OF INDIA





### INDEPENDENCE DAY

- On 15 August, we celebrate our Independence Day.
- It was on this day, in the year 1947, that India won its independence from British rule.
- Every year a function is held at the Red Fort in New Delhi.
- The Prime Minister hoists the National Flag and gives a speech.
- On this day, we remember the freedom fighters who gave their lives for the freedom of our country.





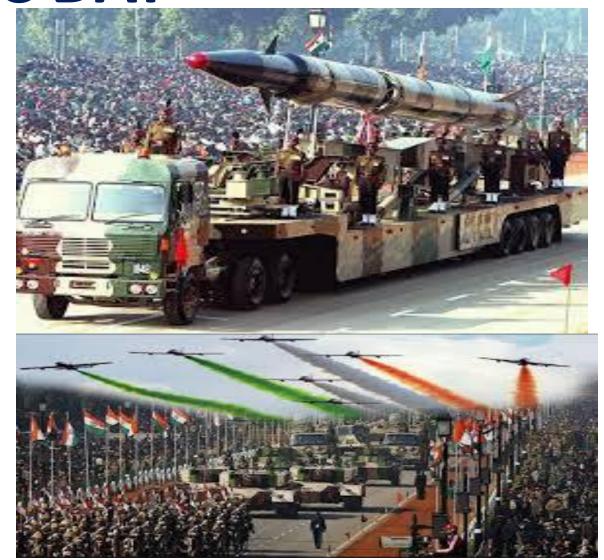
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#### REPUBLIC DAY

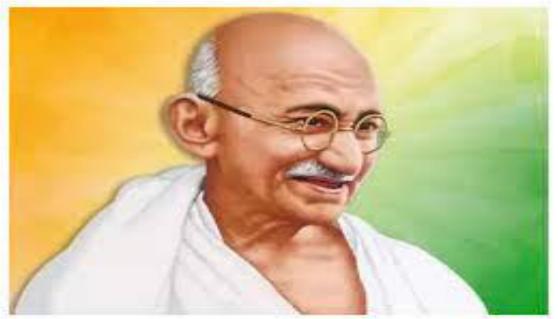
- On 26 January, we celebrate our Republic Day.
- A grand parade is held at Rajpath in New Delhi.
- The armed forces, police, folk dancers and school children are some of those who take part in it.
- Children who win awards for bravery are part of the parade.
- Tableaux from different states make the parade lively. Parades take place in state capitals too.





#### **GANDHI JAYANTI**

- Who hasn't heard of Bapu? That is how we lovingly call Mahatma Gandhi call him the 'Father of the Nation'.
- Mahatma Gandhi was born on 2 October. We celebrate this day as Gandhi Jayanti.
- A function is held at his samadhi at Raj Ghat in New Delhi.
- The President, Prime Minister and others offer prayers at the samadhi.
- Prayer meetings are held all over the country.
- On this day, we pledge to follow Gandhiji's teachings of non-violence and truth.





# New Words and meanings

festival: a day or period of religious or other celebration independence: being free; not being controlled by other people samadhi: a monument to the memory of a dead person, erected over their ashes

diya: a small oil lamp

langar: common kitchen in a gurudwara where food is served to all the visitors for free

Kolam: a traditional decorative pattern made on the floor using the rice powder.

Monument- A statue or building in the memory of a person or a event.

**Activity** 

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#### HOME ASSIGNMENT

 Draw and decorate a national flag using cereals and pulses in your project record.



#### **LEARNING OUTCOME:**

# Students will be know about the festivals of India



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