

A. Write the numbers in words.

1. 3rd :
2. 5th :
3. 9th :
4. 12th :
5. 20th :

B. Complete the sentences by using the correct form of the verbs in the parenthesis.

1. We (**watch**) parade on TV tonight.
2. My mum (**cook**) some special food for their anniversary.
3. I (**not wear**) special clothes for the festival.
4. A: When you (**have**) your birthday party?
B: Next Sunday.
5. Sarah (**not visit**) her grandparents at the weekend.

C. Read the text and answer the questions.

UNUSUAL FESTIVALS

There are many famous festivals around the world. Some of them are very unusual. Cow Parade, The Hong Kong Bun Festival, and Cooper's Hill Cheese Rolling Festival are three examples.

Cow Parade is one of the world's biggest public art events. It is organised in different cities such as Chicago, New York, Kansas City, Houston and London. Many artists paint a life-size model of a cow. Then they put the cows all around the city for people to look at. Cow Parade doesn't have to be serious. It is a public art exhibit that is fun for everyone. Most importantly, Cow Parade benefits charity. At the end of each event, artists sell their cows and give the money to a charity.

On the island of Cheung Chau in Hong Kong every year in early May, people organize a festival. It is around the time of Buddha's birthday, but the festival is not to celebrate Buddha's birthday. It celebrates the god Pak Tai, who drove pirates and illness away from the island. In the festival, the islanders pray for safety from pirates and illness. The festival lasts for seven days. For three of those days everyone on the island becomes a vegetarian. There is a parade with lion dances, dragon dances and musicians. Children put on colourful costumes. Their parents carry them high above their heads. The islanders make three 20-metre high bamboo towers and cover these with buns, which is a small cake with dried fruits. At midnight on the last day people light fires and then climb the towers to get the buns. They collect the buns and put them in their bags. When they come down from the towers, they give the buns to everyone who is watching.

People usually use cheese in sandwiches or pizzas. However, people use it for a different purpose at Cooper's Hill. They roll a large round cheese down the hill. People run after it as fast as they can. The person who catches the cheese wins the race. The winner takes the cheese home. It is a very dangerous festival. The hill is very steep and many people fall down and get hurt. Every year people break their arms or legs. There is always a big crowd of people watching – usually four or five thousand. There are about 50 people running. One of the four races is just for women.

C. Which festival is that?

1. People don't eat meat on some days during this festival:
2. This festival is about a hero:
3. You need to be very careful if you join this festival:
4. People organize this festival to help others in need:
5. People organize this festival in more than one place:
6. In this festival you can eat the prize if you become the winner:
7. People make high towers in this festival: