**THANKSGIVING DAY**

On the fourth Thursday of each November, Americans celebrate their great national holiday – Thanksgiving. Families meet together for a dinner which includes roast turkey and pumpkin pie. It´s always a very nice and joyful time.

What´s the origin of Thanksgiving? The first celebration was held by the Pilgrim settlers in Massachusetts after their first harvest in 1621.

Do you know that the first Thanksgiving wasn´t a dinner, but only a breakfast?

Boiled eel, lobster, roast pigeon and stuffed cod were served. The settlers invited Indians to take part in their celebration. Ninety-two Indian guests came with their delicious presents.

The Indians brought turkeys, pumpkins, sweet potatoes, and cranberry sauce to the celebration. The Pilgrims had their first taste of popcorn which the brave Quadequina, son of Massasoit, prepared for them. As you can see, it was really a fantastic breakfast.

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