



MINISTRY OF EDUCATION  
GRADE THREE CONSOLIDATED WORKSHEET  
SOCIAL STUDIES  
WEEK 11

TOPIC: OUR NATION- NATIONAL HOLIDAY/ SPECIAL WEEK

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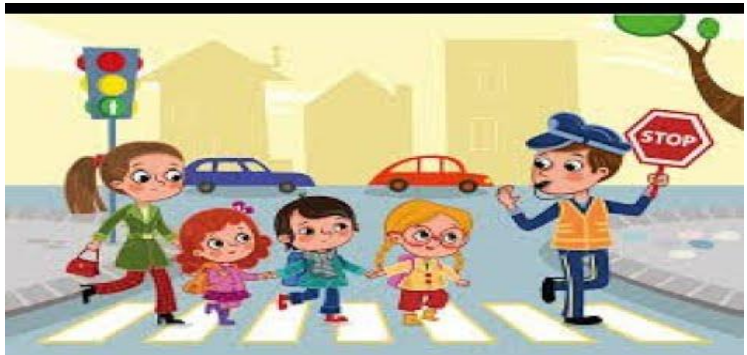
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**FACTS/TIPS:**

**Road Safety Week** is observed to make people aware of the importance of being safe on the roads. During this time rallies, quizzes, video shows, talks and more are held.

We need to do the following when using the roadways.

- Walk on the right-hand side of the road to face the upcoming traffic.
- Do not walk more than two abreast.
- Walk in the corner.
- Use sidewalks, parapets, pavement, and pedestrian crossings.



**Armistice/ Veterans Day/ Remembrance Day/Poppy Day/Memorial Day.** It is observed every year on November 11. It reminds us of the soldiers who died in World War 1 and 2. The Poppy is worn to remember this event.



## Independence

Guyana gained its Independence on May 26, 1966. Before then Guyana was ruled by Great Britain. Guyana now has its government and makes its own laws.

There is a flag-raising ceremony to mark this occasion the night before the twenty-six of May.

Guyana's Independence Day is celebrated with numerous events and activities held throughout the country. Many of these activities focus on Guyana's rich cultural heritage. For example, the two-day Guyana Food, Arts, and Music Festival, held at the National Stadium in Providence, includes Caribbean music and dance, fashion shows, family activities, and delicious creole foods.

### Picture Showing Flag-raising Ceremony



### ON YOUR OWN:

**How do you usually celebrate Independence Week in your school?**

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**Give one reason why you are proud to be a Guyanese.**

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**NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_

**DATE:** \_\_\_\_\_

**FACTS/TIPS:**

- During May, Youth Week is also observed. Attention is placed mostly on the young people in every community.
- This week allows youths to take part in activities, which will help to develop them and the communities in which they live.

**Some of the activities that are planned for Youth Week are:**

- Radio and television broadcasts
- Debates
- Community cleaning
- Sports/games
- Fundraising activities

**ON YOUR OWN:**

**How is Youth Week celebrated in your community?**

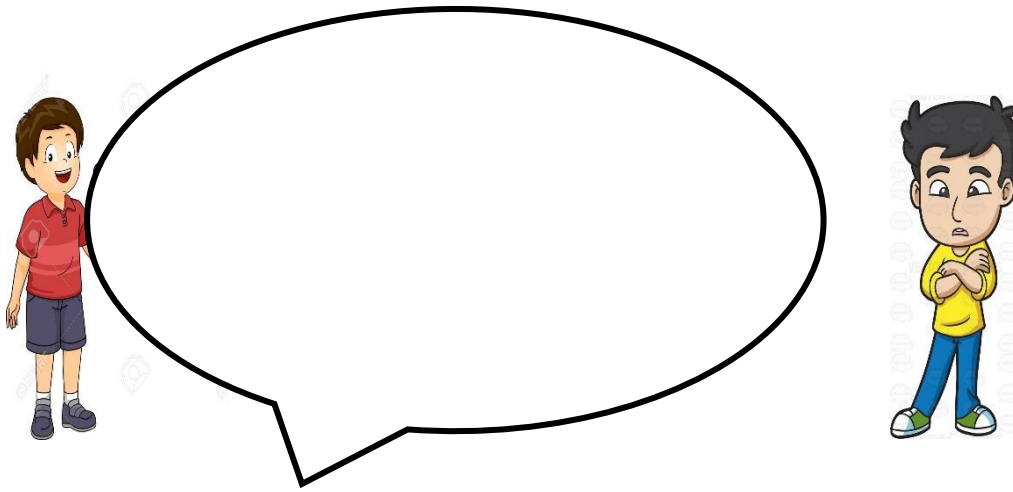
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**HOMEWORK:**

**What advice would you give to a friend who does not want to participate in any activity?**





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REVIEW 11**

**TOPIC: OUR NATION- NATIONAL HOLIDAY/ SPECIAL WEEK**

**NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_ **DATE:** \_\_\_\_\_

1. When did Guyana gain its independence?
  - a) 23<sup>rd</sup> February, 1970
  - b) 26<sup>th</sup> May, 1966
  - c) 5<sup>th</sup> May, 1976
  - d) 1<sup>st</sup> May, 1966
  
2. Independence means:
  - a) Guyana now has its government and makes its own laws.
  - b) Guyana depends on other countries to make its laws.
  - c) Guyana cannot make its own decisions.
  - d) Guyana is ruled by a Queen.
  
3. Guyana was once ruled by \_\_\_\_\_.
  - a) U.S.A
  - b) China
  - c) Great Britain
  - d) India
  
4. Youth Week is celebrated in the month of \_\_\_\_\_.
  - a) May
  - b) July
  - c) September
  - d) December
  
5. Two of Guyana's national symbols are \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_.
  
6. Give one reason why Youth Week is observed.

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