

7c English Ste 5.5.20 Unit 4 Topic 1 p. 87-91

Dear students,

Here are the answers to your exercises from last week:

1. book p.90/3

ML King Day: always 3rd Monday in January
 President's Day: always 3rd Monday in February
 Memorial Day: always last Monday in May
 Independence Day: 4th of July
 Thanksgiving: always 4th Thursday in November

2. wb p. 63 1+2

90/91 **1 (READING)** Read the texts in your book on pages 90/91 again.

a) Which holiday is it? Write the name of the holiday under the photo.

				
Memorial Day	Presidents' Day	Martin Luther King Day	Thanksgiving	Independence Day

b) Match the statements with the correct holiday.

- For me it's a day where I take time to remember the dead.
- Well, it's sad that so many of them have to die, but luckily one of them gets to live happily!
- Without the help of one of these two men, some men and women might still not be free.
- My family and I spend this day in a park. We have a big picnic and watch the fireworks.
- He believed that all Americans should have the same rights.

- A
D
B
E
C

91/92 **2 (MEDIATION)** Lies den Text und beantworte die Fragen auf Deutsch.

The pardoning of a turkey

Every year, shortly before Thanksgiving, the President of the United States gets a turkey as a present. It is said that in 1863, Abraham Lincoln's son asked his father to not eat the turkey for dinner and let it live. It was sent to a farm.

In 1989 President George H. W. Bush publicly "pardoned" a turkey and sent the bird to a children's farm, where it could live for the rest of its life. Now every year the president pardons a turkey before Thanksgiving. An official team decides which turkeys are best for the president. The birds shouldn't be afraid of loud noises or large crowds. The team then presents the two best turkeys to the president.



- Wie kam es dazu, dass der erste Truthahn vom Tod verschont wurde?
Abraham Lincolns Sohn bat seinen Vater angeblich 1863, den Truthahn leben zu lassen.
- Seit welchem Ereignis findet die Begnadigung jährlich statt?
Seit Präsident George H. W. Bush 1989 einen Truthahn öffentlich begnadigte (und zu einem Bauernhof sandte).
- Welche Voraussetzungen müssen Truthähne erfüllen, um begnadigt zu werden? (2 Details)
Sie sollten keine Angst vor lauten Geräuschen oder großen Menschenmengen haben.

OK, I hope you've revised some of the tenses by now. Today we're learning about the **PRESENT PERFECT PROGRESSIVE**



🔊 Listen to the following tutorial first:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=6DBiBdQPoTs>

📖 Now read p. 143 in your book.

Please fill in the gaps: ✍️

The Present Perfect Progressive

➕ I've been living here for 3 years. = seit 3 Jahren / 3 Jahre lang.

She's been working here since 2015. = seit 2015

Das Present Perfect Progressive wird gebildet mit:

_____ / _____ + _____-Form des Verbs

Ich verwende diese Zeit um auszudrücken, dass ein Vorgang oder Zustand bis _____

_____ andauert und man die Dauer des Vorgang betonen möchte.

Um zu sagen, wie lange oder seit wann etwas schon andauert verwenden wir:

➔ for (für einen _____) 💡 TIPP: kann im Deutschen immer mit „lang“ übersetzt werden (z.B. for 20 minutes = 20 Minuten lang)

➔ since (für einen _____); z.B. since May, since yesterday, since 2018

❓ Questions

_____ you been working all day?

How long _____ she been _____ for the bus?

Now test yourself and do the following exercises in your workbook: p. 62/3+4

KV 51 Holidays in the USA

- 1 Read the text 'Holidays in the USA' in your book.
Right or wrong? Tick the correct answer.

	right	wrong
1. People celebrate Martin Luther King's birthday on Martin Luther King Day.		
2. Martin Luther King gave a famous speech: 'I have a hope'.		
3. King wanted African Americans and white Americans to have the same rights.		
4. Presidents' Day is celebrated in January.		
5. Abraham Lincoln was the first American president.		
6. Memorial Day is about soldiers who have died for their country.		
7. Memorial Day is in May.		
8. People celebrate Independence Day on the Fourth of July.		
9. The Declaration of Information is a famous document.		
10. People wear red, white and blue on the Fourth of July.		
11. Immigrants to the US celebrated the first Thanksgiving in 1621.		
12. The immigrants celebrated the first Thanksgiving on their own.		
13. The first Thanksgiving turkey was pardoned in 1721.		

- 2 Correct the wrong sentences.
