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Complete the paragraph below by writing the words from the word box on the spaces provided. Be sure to spell each word correctly.

National Pet Week

Word Box

include  Medical  Pet
National  owners  1981

Each May ________________ Pet Week is celebrated. The origin of National ________________ Week lies with the American Veterinary ________________ Association and the Auxiliary to the American Veterinary Medical Association. National Pet Week began in ________________. The overall goals of National Pet Week ________________ responsible pet ownership and care, increase public awareness of veterinary medicine and to promote and reinforce the bond between pets and their ________________.
Directions:
Complete the paragraph below by writing the words from the word box on the spaces provided. Be sure to spell each word correctly.

**National Pet Week**

**Word Box**

owners between public
May Pets National

National Pet Week is held each ________________ in the United States. This week long event celebrates the connection ________________ pets and their owners. More than 60% of the American ________________ has a pet such as a dog, cat, and birds. Some families have more than one pet. ________________ provide unconditional love to their owners. They are fun to be around. They sometimes even provide a service. Founded in 1981, ________________ Pet Week helps to remind pet ________________ of the responsibility that goes along with owning a pet.
Directions:
Complete the paragraph below by writing the words from the word box on the spaces provided. Be sure to spell each word correctly.

**National Pet Week**

**Word Box**

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Pets can be a _________________ addition to an individual or a family. They can be fun and provide unconditional _________________ to their owner. They provide a wonderful sense of companionship as well. Did you know that more than _________________ of the American public has a pet? Along with _________________ ownership comes a certain level of responsibility. Pets require a lot of _________________ and attention. When deciding on whether or _________________ to get a pet, think about the amount of time you’ll be able to spend with your pet. Think about the amount of _________________ your pet will have to exercise. A good place to start when deciding on a pet is with your _________________ veterinarian.
Directions:  Complete the paragraph below by writing the words from the word box on the spaces provided. Be sure to spell each word correctly.

National Pet Week

Word Box

American space Month regular
pet owners attention provide

Pets require _________________ to move around and get exercise. Pets also require _________________, care and love. If you’re thinking about getting a _________________, ask yourself if you have the ability to _________________ these things to your pet. Also, think about a special place in your home that would be for your pet. When a pet first enters your home, try to get on a _________________ schedule. Pets can provide unconditional love to their _________________ . They are fun to be around and are wonderful companions. This National Pet _________________, think about how special your pet is. For more information about National Pet Month, contact the _________________ Veterinary Medical Association.
Directions:
Complete the paragraph below by writing the words from the word box on the spaces provided. Be sure to spell each word correctly.

National Pet Week

Word Box

dry       May       three       veterinarian
high      cats      event      Kittens

National Pet Month is celebrated in ________________. The American Veterinary Medical Association and the Auxiliary to the American Veterinary Medical Association founded this _______________ in 1981. Pets, especially dogs and _______________, require special diets when they are small. For example puppies, who feed about ________________ times a day when between six and twelve weeks old, require a ________________ quality diet. ________________, as well, need a high quality diet. Most economical are ________________ foods that also provide roughage that ultimately help reduce tarter and plaque. Always check with your ________________ for recommendations on how much and when to feed your puppies and/or kittens.
Directions: Complete the paragraph below by writing the words from the word box on the spaces provided. Be sure to spell each word correctly.

National Pet Week

Word Box

owners remind event 1981
Week pet fen public

National Pet ________________ is held each May in the United States. This week long ________________ celebrates the connection between pets and their owners. More than 60% of the American ________________ has a pet such as a dog, cat, and birds. Some families have more than one _________________. Pets provide unconditional love to their _________________. Pets, most of the time, are _________________ to be around. They sometimes even provide a service. Founded in _________________, National Pet Week helps to _________________ pet owners of the responsibility that goes along with owning a pet.
Directions: Complete the paragraph below by writing the words from the word box on the spaces provided. Be sure to spell each word correctly.

National Pet Week

Word Box

National  Pet  parts  celebrated  States
American  bond  May  care  Medical

Each ________________, National Pet Week is celebrated. The origin of National ________________ Week lies with the American Veterinary __________________ Association and the Auxiliary to the ________________ Veterinary Medical Association.

National Pet Week began in 1981. The overall goals of ________________ Pet Week include responsible pet ownership and ________________, increase public awareness of veterinary medicine and to promote and reinforce the ________________ between pets and their owners.

National Pet Week is ________________ throughout the United ________________ as well as in other ________________ of the world.
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**National Pet Week**

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National Pet ________________ was established in 1981. Founded by the ________________ Veterinary Medical Association and the Auxiliary to the American Veterinary ________________ Association, National ________________ Week helps to promote ________________ and responsible pet care, heightened public awareness of veterinary ________________, and celebration of the pet-human bond that ________________ with a pet. The American ________________ Medical Association’s Headquarters is located in Schaumburg, Illinois. For ________________ information, write to them at 1931 North Meacham ________________, Suite 100 Schaumburg, Illinois 60173 or call them at 847-925-8070.
Directions:
Complete the paragraph below by writing the words from the word box on the spaces provided. Be sure to spell each word correctly.

National Pet Week

Word Box

veterinarian  people  work  world  health
you  choose  special  career  research

Have ___________________ever thought of becoming a veterinarian? These individuals have the __________________ role of managing and protecting the __________________ of __________________ as well as animals. As a veterinarian, many __________________ opportunities exist. For example, a veterinarian may __________________ in a private veterinary clinic. Others may work in the corporate __________________. Others yet may __________________ to teach or conduct __________________. Many opportunities exist as a person enters the world of veterinary medicine. Maybe you’ll one day be a __________________.
Directions:
Complete the paragraph below by writing the words from the word box on the spaces provided. Be sure to spell each word correctly.

National Pet Week

Word Box
provide each Pets 1981 cat
between owners 60% long families

National Pet Week is held ________________ May in the United States. This week ________________ event celebrates the connection ________________ pets and their owners. More than ________________ of the American public has a pet such as a dog, ________________, and/or birds. Some ________________ have more than one pet. ________________ provide unconditional love to their ________________. They are fun to be around. They sometimes even ________________ a service. Founded in ________________, National Pet Week helps to remind pet owners of the responsibility that goes along with owning a pet.
Directions:
Complete the paragraph below by writing the words from the word box on the spaces provided. Be sure to spell each word correctly.

Mother’s Day

Word Box
Mother’s far home
different day planning

Mother’s Day means different things to ________________ people. Some people may be very happy and spend the ________________ going out to a favorite restaurant or ________________ and preparing special meal. Maybe family members from ________________ and near return to the family ________________ and celebrate. Other people may be sad or lonesome for their mother. Think about this years Mother’s Day, celebrated each May. How will you spend ________________ Day?
Directions:
Complete the paragraph below by writing the words from the word box on the spaces provided. Be sure to spell each word correctly.

**Mother’s Day**

**Word Box**

children Sunday calls
special celebrated favorite

In the United States, the first ____________ each May is Mother’s Day. Mother’s Day is ________________ in many countries around the world. On this ________________ day, many moms receive flowers, gifts, special meals or long-distance phone ________________ from family and close friends. Many special and ________________ meals are made and shared. Sometimes ________________ make homemade gifts to share with their mothers.
Directions:
Complete the paragraph below by writing the words from the word box on the spaces provided. Be sure to spell each word correctly.

Mother’s Day

Word Box

Mother’s dinners year favorite
day celebrated May moms

Mother’s Day is a held each ________________ in the United States. This is a ________________ to honor and celebrate ________________ across the country. Many families hold special ________________ or meals. Others go out to ________________ restaurant. ________________ Day is celebrated worldwide. Think about how you have honored or ________________ your mom. How will you spend Mother’s Day this ________________?

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**Mother’s Day**

**Word Box**

create gifts calls planning
families friends Day mothers

Each May, ________________ around the country celebrate Mother’s Day. Mother’s ________________ celebrates the love and joy that ________________ give their families. Many moms receive flowers, ________________, special meals or long-distance phone ________________ from family and close ________________. Some families celebrate Mother’s Day by ________________ and preparing a delicious family meal. Sometimes children ________________ homemade gifts to share with their mothers.
Directions:
Complete the paragraph below by writing the words from the word box on the spaces provided. Be sure to spell each word correctly.

**Mother’s Day**

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Mother’s Day was first, ____________ instituted as a national holiday in the United ____________ in 1914. It was in ____________ that Woodrow Wilson signed the legislation that officially ____________ this special day. Prior to that time, a ____________ named Anna Jarvis lobbied for ____________ to establish a formal and official Mother’s Day holiday. The first known ____________ to adopt a Mother’s Day celebration, prior to becoming a ____________ holiday, was West Virginia.
Directions:
Complete the paragraph below by writing the words from the word box on the spaces provided. Be sure to spell each word correctly.

**Mother’s Day**

Word Box

back 40 Day celebrations
Italy second United Anna

Mother’s Day is celebrated the ___________ Sunday in May each year in the ___________ States. Traces of Mother’s Day can be linked as far ___________ as 150 years ago to a woman named ___________. Jarvis. By the time of her death, Mother’s ___________ was being honored and celebrated in more than ___________ countries worldwide! Today, Mother’s Day ___________ take place in such places as Great Britain, ___________, France, the United States, Belgium, Finland, and Denmark.
Directions:
Complete the paragraph below by writing the words from the word box on the spaces provided. Be sure to spell each word correctly.

Mother’s Day

Word Box

May 150 Britain Day Belgium
year celebrated time place Mother’s

Mother’s _______________ is celebrated the second Sunday in May each
_______________ in the United States. Traces of _______________ Day can be linked as far
back as _______________ years ago to a woman named Anna Jarvis. By the _______________
of her death, Mother’s Day was being _______________ in more than 40 countries worldwide.

Today, Mother’s Day celebrations take _______________ in such places as Great
_______________, Italy, France, the United States, _______________, Finland, and Denmark.

Mother’s Day is called Mothering Sunday in Great Britain. In France, Mother’s Day is
celebrated on the last Sunday in _______________ each year.
Mother’s Day

Word Box

role  distance  cards  special  96%
meal  Day  Sunday  moms  together

Mother’s ____________ is celebrated worldwide. This _______________ day, celebrated in the United States on the second _______________ each May honors mothers and the _______________ they play and the work they do. Families often gather _______________ and celebrate with a special dinner or _______________. Many times, flowers are given to _______________ as well as thoughtful and sentimental letters, _______________, or messages. Approximately _______________ of the American public celebrate Mother’s Day. Mother’s Day has consistently become one of the busiest days of the years for local restaurants. Phone companies report that the highest number of long _______________ calls are made on Mother’s Day.
Directions:
Complete the paragraph below by writing the words from the word box on the spaces provided. Be sure to spell each word correctly.

**Mother’s Day**

**Word Box**

mothers daughter lived day 1914
health strive raising Jarvis support

Anna Jarvis _____________ about 150 years ago. She was an Appalachian homemaker. In her attempts at _______________ public awareness of poor working and _______________ conditions in her community, Anna Jarvis arranged a _______________ called Mother’s Work Day. Anna _______________ died in 1905, yet her _______________ for such a day was continued by her _______________, also with the name of Anna. Over the next many years, Anna lobbied various prominent individuals who would ultimately _______________ her movement of establishing a special day to honor and commemorate _______________. It was in _______________, a bill signed by Woodrow Wilson instituted Mother’s Day as a national holiday in the United States.
Directions:
Complete the paragraph below by writing the words from the word box on the spaces provided. Be sure to spell each word correctly.

**Mother’s Day**

**Word Box**

officially celebrations establish holiday 1914

states Day state time special

Mother’s Day was ______________ instituted as a national holiday in the United ______________ in 1914. It was in ______________ that Woodrow Wilson signed the legislation that officially recognized this ______________ day. Prior to that ______________, Anna Jarvis lobbied for years to ______________ a formal and official Mother’s ______________. The first known ______________ to adopt a Mother’s Day celebration, prior to becoming a national ______________ was West Virginia. Today, Mother’s Day is celebrated the second Sunday each May. Worldwide Mother’s Day ______________ also take place.
Directions:
Complete the paragraph below by writing the words from the word box on the spaces provided. Be sure to spell each word correctly.

**Memorial Day**

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Each May a memorial service is ______________ at Arlington National Cemetery in Washington, D.C. At this ceremony, a small United States of America flag is placed on ______________ of each grave in the cemetery. A wreath is also ______________ at the entrance to the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier memorial. Either the ______________ or Vice President of the United States shares a ______________ with the crowd remembering and honoring all the men and women who gave their life protecting the ______________ that exist today in the country.
Directions:
Complete the paragraph below by writing the words from the word box on the spaces provided. Be sure to spell each word correctly.

Memorial Day

Word Box

honor      Civil      May
services   States     holiday

Memorial Day is held annually in the United States. Each ____________, ceremonies are held nationwide to ____________ and remember those people who died protecting United ____________ soil. Congress signed Memorial Day into legislation as a federal ____________ in 1971. The last Monday each May was to be designated as Memorial Day. Memorial Day ____________ have taken place dating back to 1868. The first Memorial Day ceremony is tied with response to the causalities of the American ____________ War.
Directions:
Complete the paragraph below by writing the words from the word box on the spaces provided. Be sure to spell each word correctly.

Memorial Day

Word Box

Memorial  start  May
1868  claim  died

Memorial Day has been celebrated in services dating back to ________________.
Although many locations ________________ to be the first site of such a ceremony, it was in ________________ 1966 that United States President Lyndon Johnson stated that Waterloo, New York marked the official ________________ of a Memorial Day ceremony. Despite the controversy as to where ________________ Day began, the focus has always remained on the purpose of such a day: to honor the individuals who ________________ for American freedoms as known today.
Directions:
Complete the paragraph below by writing the words from the word box on the spaces provided. Be sure to spell each word correctly.

Memorial Day

Word Box

Vice  Washington  protecting
Cemetery  Soldier  5,000

Arlington National Cemetery is located in ________________, D.C. Each Memorial Day, the President or ________________ President gives a speech honoring the fallen soldiers and people who gave their lives all while ________________ the Untied States of America. Also during this ceremony, a wreath is placed at the front of the Tomb of the Unknown ________________. This is a very solemn event. An average of about ________________ people return to Arlington National ________________ to be present for this ceremony.
Directions:
Complete the paragraph below by writing the words from the word box on the spaces provided. Be sure to spell each word correctly.

**Memorial Day**

**Word Box**

- village
- flowers
- soldier
- ceremonies
- first
- Logan

Among the earliest of Memorial Day ________________ was one held in 1868 by a ________________ from the Grand Army of the Republic named General John A. Logan. In an order called General Order No. 11, General ________________ declared that May 30, 1868 would be set aside for decorating the graves of fallen soldiers with flowers. Additionally, each town, ________________, or hamlet would, in their own methods, arrange such a service or memorial. It was at Arlington National Cemetery this ________________ Memorial Day service that a man named General James Garfield made a speech that was followed by more than 5,000 people placing ________________ on the gravesites of over 20,000 soldiers.
Directions:
Complete the paragraph below by writing the words from the word box on the spaces provided. Be sure to spell each word correctly.

Memorial Day
Word Box
towns each closed
parade Memorial post

Many local villages, ________________, and hamlets celebrate Memorial Day each year with a parade. Large cities, such as New York, hold a large ________________. Schools are __________________ around the nation. In fact, as a federal holiday ________________ offices and public offices are also closed. Every ________________ Day a service is held at Arlington National Cemetery. How do you spend Memorial Day ________________ year?
Directions:
Complete the paragraph below by writing the words from the word box on the spaces provided. Be sure to spell each word correctly.

**Memorial Day**

**Word Box**

States honors United towns
Day efforts celebrate very

Memorial _________________ is held each year in the _________________ States.
This _________________ special day commemorates, _________________, and remembers all the men and women who have perished in their _________________ to protect the freedoms of the United _________________ of America. Many local villages, _________________, and hamlets celebrate Memorial Day with a parade. How will you _________________ Memorial Day this year?
Directions: Complete the paragraph below by writing the words from the word box on the spaces provided. Be sure to spell each word correctly.

Memorial Day

Word Box

state first soldiers honor
gave 1868 Day placed

Memorial Day is a day to remember and ______________ all those individuals who ______________ their life for the protection of American freedom as known today. Many versions exist of how Memorial ______________ began. Many towns claim ownership of the ______________ Memorial Day celebration. Officially, Memorial Day was declared by national commander of the Grand Army of the Republic, General John Logan in May in ______________. It was on May 30, 1868 that flowers were gently ______________ on the gravesites of over 20,000 Confederate and Union ______________ by more than 5,000 volunteers. New York was the first ______________ to acknowledge Memorial Day with as an official holiday in 1873.
Memorial Day

Word Box

holiday  Day  special  York  closed
May  rights  America  served  honors

Memorial Day is held each _________________ in the United States. This _________________ day commemorates and _________________ all the men and women who have _________________ and lost their lives in their attempt to protect the _________________ of the United States of _________________. Many local villages, towns, and hamlets celebrate Memorial _________________ with a parade. Large cities, such as New _________________, hold a large parade. Schools are _________________ around the nation. In fact, as a federal _________________, post offices and public offices are also closed.
Directions: Complete the paragraph below by writing the words from the word box on the spaces provided. Be sure to spell each word correctly.

**Memorial Day**

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The origin of Memorial ___________ is traced as far back to the Civil War fought in the ___________ States. Originally, ___________ Day was called Decoration Day because people would ___________ those who perished in the Civil ___________ by decorating their graves. May 30, ___________ marks the first known widely commemorated ___________ of such a day. A man named General James Garfield, while at Arlington ___________ Cemetery, made a speech. Following his ___________, more than 20,000 gravesites, of Confederate and Union soldiers, were decorated. More than ___________ individuals contributed to this event. Prior to this large observance, smaller celebrations took place on more local levels.
Answers

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