

The Meaning Of Thanksgiving

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Do you know why we celebrate thanksgiving? In 1621 the pilgrims and Native Americans celebrated their first harvest. In Plymouth when they had first discovered the new world the Natives helped the pilgrims to survive the harsh winter. This brought the Pilgrims and the Natives closer and made them work as a family.

The pilgrims were thankful for the food they ate and the protection and shelter the Native provided them, like the pilgrims I am thankful for a lot of things, I am thankful for my family because they take care of me and love me, I am thankful for all of my toys, I am thankful that I am healthy and that I am alive I am also thankful for my wonderful school and amazing friends. This thanksgiving I am going to value everything.

This thanksgiving my family and I are having dinner together like we always do. We are having a turkey with stuffing, sweet potatoes and cranberry sauce because these are the things the pilgrims had during their first thanksgiving. Thanksgiving made the pilgrims and Native Americans come together and that is why we come together as a family to share a meal and this is something to be very grateful for.

