#### ST. VALENTINE'S DAY







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## Цель урока



□ Развитие положительной мотивации учения, воспитание чувства уважения к традициям и культуре других народов, обучение познавательной деятельности с использованием иностранного языка

# Задачи урока:

- Совершенствовать навыки устной речи.
- Развивать речевую культуру учащихся, культуру общения.
- Расширять с помощью английского языка представление учащихся об окружающем их мире, о языке как средстве взаимодействия с этим миром.



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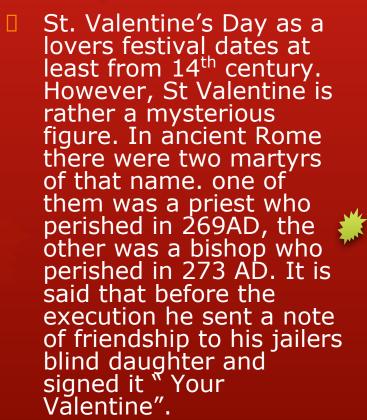
In Europe, North America and
Australia, February 14<sup>th</sup> is a famous
as V-day. On that day, people send
valentines, special cards with an
affectionate message, to their
husbands and wives, parents and
children, relatives and neighbors.
The word valentine may mean a
special little present.





















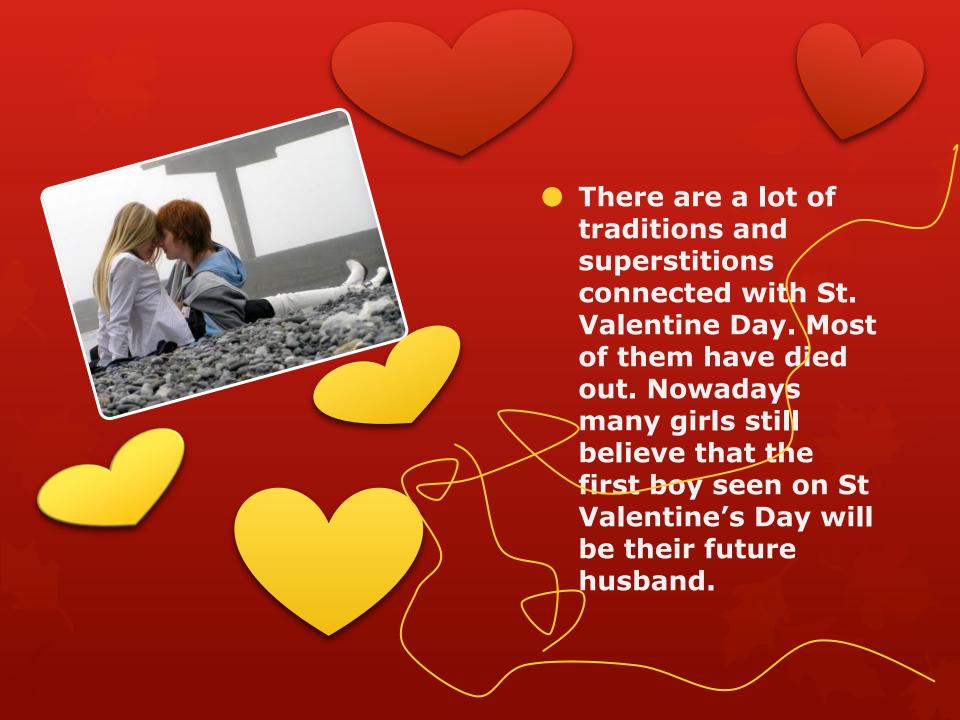






The custom of choosing a Valentine's Day sweetheart may go back to the Lupercalia, a fertility festival of ancient Rome, which was held in the middle of February. Young Roman girls decorated love messages and put them in a large box. Unmarried young men drew the names from the box and in this way chose their partners for the festival.





#### Celebration

Valentine's Day is not a public holiday. Banks and offices do not close, but it is a happy holiday for little children and young people. It is also the day to have romantic dinner. Hearts, cupids, bows and arrows appear on dinner tables as well. Refreshments are often colored red, like candy and punch. Sandwiches and cakes are often cut in the shape of hearts. Sometimes a King and Queen of hearts chosen for the evening of the dance.



### Valentine gifts

February 14<sup>th</sup> is the day to send little gifts to those you love. Flowers and sweets are favourite presents. Shops are filled with red, heart-shaped boxes of chocolate. Anonymous gifts of all kinds were laid upon the doorsteps



of houses

#### **True or False?**

- St. Valentine's Day is 14 February. (True)
- This is the festival of flowers and spring. (False)
- One of the earliest popular symbols of the day is Cupid. (True)
  - People of all ages love to send and receive telegrammes on St. Valentine's Day. (False)
  - You can sign St. Valentine card "Your Secret Admirer". (True)