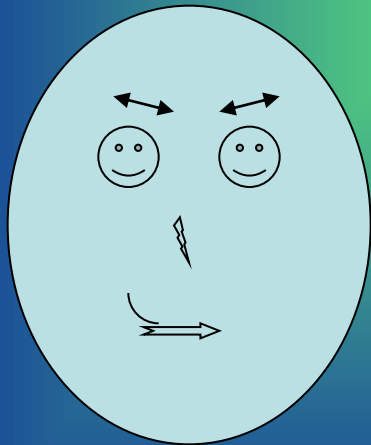




The students of 1c and 1A



Easter 2011



In England

- British people have 4 days' holiday at Easter.
- Easter is an important festival, but there aren't any big celebrations in the UK .

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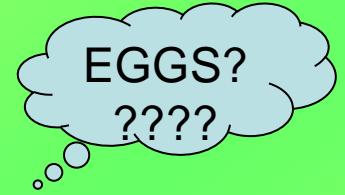
In Italy

- In Italy students don't go to school for 5 days. Easter is an important religious occasion for Christians.





EASTER EGGS



IN THE SHOPS, one of the things of Easter are eggs, Easter cards and hot cross burns..... in England

Hot cross burns are a type of sweet bread.

They contain dried fruit, and they have a cross on them to represent Jesus. It's traditional to eat with them on GOOD FRIDAY, the first day of the Easter festival.

Italian Easter Sweet Bread - Colomba Pasquale

- The Italian Easter Sweet Bread (Colomba Pasquale) unlike the Panettone and Pandoro which are baked for Christmas, contains only candied orange pieces.
- The method to make the Italian Easter Sweet Bread at home involves many steps and hours for the many dough risings. This method produces a delicious, rich, buttery sweet bread.





ON EASTER SUNDAY

(English traditions)



- PEOPLE GIVE PRESENTS: CHOCOLATE EASTER EGGS!!!!
- SOMETIMES THE SHAPE OF A RABBIT MADE OF CHOCOLATE.
- THERE IS OFTEN AN EGGS HUNT. PARENTS HIDE SMALL EASTER EGGS IN THE GARDEN AND CHILDREN LOOK FOR THEM.
- YOUNG CHILDREN BELIEVE THE EASTER BUNNY PUTS THE EGGS THERE



EASTER HOLIDAYS



- SCHOOL IS CLOSED AND WE RECEIVE NICE PRESENTS FROM OUR PARENTS
- IN ITALY, ON MONDAY EASTER PEOPLE GO TO THE COUNTRYSIDE OR TO THE SEA AND THEY HAVE A PIC-NIK

OTHER TRADITIONS

- THERE ARE OTHER EASTER TRADITIONS WITH EGGS.
- SOME CHILDREN PAINT REAL EGGS IN DIFEREN REAL COLOURS AND USE THEM FOR DECORATONS.



THERE ARE EGG-ROLLING COMPETITIONS IN SOME VILLAGES ON EASTER MONDAY (IN ENGLAND) – It happensTHE DAY AFTER EASTER SUNDAY.

THE WINNER OF EGGS!!!!

*MONDAY EASTER IS
A HOLIDAY IN THE UK
TOO.*

*PEOPLE ROLL
HARDBOILED EGGS
DOWN A HILL.*

*IF YOUR EGG ARRIVES AT THE BOTTOM OF
THE HILL FIRST, AND IT DOESN'T BREAK,
YOU ARE THE IN WINNER.*

