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Christmas Carols

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Tweak your lessons with the power of AI

Skills:

Can make and respond to invitations, suggestions, apologies, etc.
Can explain features of the other culture to members of their own culture.

Adults/teens

Individual



1 Discuss the following questions:

? In your opinion, is music an important part of celebrating Christmas? Why?

? Do you know what these people are doing in the pictures? Where are they?

2 Listen to an **audio recording** about caroling and answer the questions:



1. When did caroling first happen?

- A. 19th century
- B. 20th century
- C. 18th century
- D. 17th century

2. How did people thank carolers in the past?

- A. Giving money
- B. Giving gifts
- C. Applauding
- D. Singing along

3. What is wassailing?

- A. Singing carols in public places
- B. Moving from house to house singing songs
- C. Thanking carolers with drinks or mince pies
- D. Large community Christmas carols held in parks

4. Where can caroling be heard today?

- A. Only in churches
- B. Only in schools
- C. Only on TV
- D. In parks, public squares, schools, and on TV

3 Read the following invitation. Would you like to attend this event? Why or why not?

Invitation to Singing Carols at St. Mary's Church!



You are invited to join us for an evening of beautiful carol singing at St. Mary's Church on December 23 at 7 p.m. This event is open to everyone, especially those who love singing carols. We'll meet at the church hall and sing traditional carols together. Don't miss this opportunity to celebrate the festive season! Light snacks will be provided. Please RSVP!

Looking forward to singing with you!

4 Fill in the gaps in this **famous Christmas carol**. Check your answers with the teacher, then listen to a choir singing this song.

child sing sleep (2) face

born (2) light calm

Silent night! Holy night!
 All is _____(1), all is bright
 Round yon virgin mother and _____(2)!
 Holy infant, so tender and mild,
 _____(3) in heavenly peace!
 _____(4) in heavenly peace!
 Silent night! Holy night!
 Shepherds quake at the sight!
 Glories stream from heaven afar,
 Heavenly hosts _____(5) Alleluia!
 Christ the Saviour is _____(6)!
 Christ the Saviour is _____(7)!
 Silent night! Holy night!
 Son of God, love's pure _____(8)
 Radiant beams from thy holy _____(9)
 With the dawn of redeeming grace,
 Jesus, Lord, at thy birth!
 Jesus, Lord, at thy birth!



Write a short 3-sentence response to the hosts. Tell them if you're going to come and politely explain why / why not.

Correct answers

1

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2

Created in the “Audio & Video Question Creator” tool.

1. A

2. B

3. B

4. D

3

Created in the “Reading Bits” tool.

4

Created in the “Fill in the Gap” tool.

1. calm

2. child

3. sleep

4. sleep

5. sing

6. born

7. born

8. light

9. face



Audio source: