

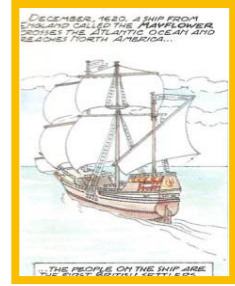


## THE STORY OF THANKSGIVING

The Pilgrims reach the New World in the autumn of 1620.

They land at Plymouth Rock, in what is now Massachusetts.

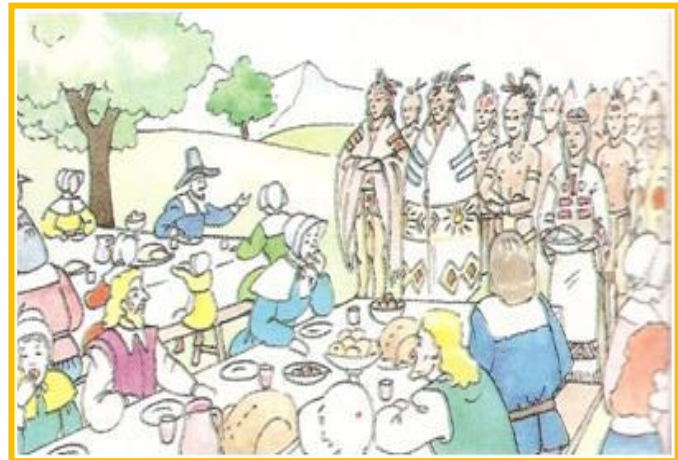
The first winter is very hard. They have little food. It is very cold! Many Pilgrims got sick. Many die.



The next spring, they go to work. They plant seeds.

When autumn come, they have plenty of food. They harvest the crops. They store them for winter. Then they give thanks.

For one week, they pray. They eat and they play. Friendly Indians join them for three days of the feast. A new tradition has begun.



### ANSWER THE QUESTIONS:

1) When do the Pilgrims reach the New World?

---

2) What happens during the first winter?

---

3) Why do they have plenty of food the next autumn?

---

4) How do they celebrate?

---