



# Nova 5

## Lesson 19

# Exciting Festivals Around the World

پښتو: د نړۍ مشهور جشنونه  
دري: جشن‌های مشهور جهان



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# Learning Objectives

**1**

## **International Festivals**

Learn about different international festivals and their traditions.

**2**

## **Vocabulary**

Understand vocabulary related to celebrations and cultural events.

**3**

## **Reading Comprehension**

Practice reading comprehension through engaging stories.



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# Vocabulary

English	Pashto	Dari
festival	جشن	جشن
celebration	لمانځنه	تجلیل
parade	رسم گذشت	رژه
costume	جامي	لباس
fireworks	د اور لوبه	آتش بازی
lucky	بختور	خوش شانس
tradition	دودیز	سنتی
scare	ترساندن	ترساندن
overseas	بهر	خارج
gather	راتولیدنه	گرد هم آمدن



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# Topic Talk

Festivals are celebrated differently around the world. Some are exciting and a bit unusual! For example:



## Running of the Bulls (Spain)

People run in the streets while bulls chase them. It's very dangerous but attracts many tourists.




## Carnival (Brazil & USA)

People wear colorful costumes, dance in parades, and enjoy music and food.



## Diwali (India)

Families light lamps, share sweets, and set off fireworks to celebrate light over darkness.

 No matter where you are, festivals are a time to gather with friends and family and enjoy traditions.



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# Grammar Explanation

## Past Simple for Festivals

Use **past simple** to talk about what happened during festivals.

### Example

*People wore colorful masks and danced in the streets.*

پښتو

خلکو رنگین ماسکونه واغوستل  
او په کوڅو کې یې گډا وکړه.

دري

مردم ماسک‌های رنگارنگ  
پوشیدند و در خیابان‌ها رقصیدند.



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# Rules for Past Simple

1

**Regular verbs – add -ed**

Example: celebrate → celebrated

پښتو: د با قاعده فعلونو پای کې -ed اضافه کړئ

دري: به افعال با قاعده -ed اضافه کنيد

2

**Irregular verbs – use special past forms**

Example: go → went, wear → wore

پښتو: د بې قاعده فعلونو ځانگړې بڼه وکاروئ

دري: از شکل گذشته افعال بی قاعده استفاده کنيد



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# Examples

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**People ran with bulls in Spain.**

پښتو: په هسپانيه کې خلکو د غوايانو سره وځغاستل  
دری: مردم در اسپانيا با گاوها دویدند

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**Millions watched the Carnival parade on TV.**

پښتو: میلیونونو خلکو د کارنیوال رسم گذشت په تلویزیون کې ولیدو  
دری: میلیون‌ها نفر رژه کارنیوال را در تلویزیون دیدند

03

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**Families gave sweets to children during Diwali.**

پښتو: کورنیو د دیوالي په جریان کې ماشومانو ته خواږه ورکړل  
دری: خانواده‌ها در طول دیوالی به کودکان شیرینی دادند



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# Review

Festivals can be fun, unique, and sometimes dangerous! They show culture and tradition, bring people together, and create lasting memories.

## پښتو

جشنونه خوندور، ځانگړي او کله  
ناکله خطرناک وي! دوی کلتور او  
دود ښايي، خلک یوځای کوي، او  
د تل پاتي یادونه جوړوي.

## دري

جشنها می توانند سرگرم کننده،  
منحصر به فرد و گاهی خطرناک  
باشند! آنها فرهنگ و سنت را  
نشان می دهند، مردم را گرد هم  
می آورند و خاطرات ماندگار  
می سازند.



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# Great job!

Festivals show how people celebrate life in different ways. Keep exploring and learning!



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