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Planning a Fun Day

It is a very bright and sunny Sunday afternoon. Mete, Beste, and Ellie are at Beste's house which is behind the new shopping centre. They are sitting on the balcony and chit-chatting. Beste wants to try something new and she suggests going to the festivals close to her house.

"Guys, listen up! I have a brilliant idea. Let's go to the Orange Blossom Festival near the park. I heard that they have the sweetest oranges! It's the best festival ever!" suggests Beste excitedly.

"That's a perfect idea. I heard that it is a fun celebration full of music, colourful decorations, and delicious orange desserts. Local farmers bring their best oranges, and there are games, parades, and live performances to enjoy," adds Ellie.

"After that, we can visit the traditional food festival near the Orange Blossom Festival. There will be many types of food such as lobsters, steaks, fresh fruit juice, and more! What do you think?" asks Beste.

Mete gets excited about these suggestions, "Food

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festival? Are you kidding me? My stomach has just started to dance. Let's get ready quickly! We must try different kinds of food from various countries. This is going to be the best day ever!"

Ellie looks at Mete, "Slow down, Mete! Don't you remember last Saturday? You ate the whole bakery by yourself. You are on a diet, so you have to be careful about your health,"she warns him.

Mete's smile suddenly disappears, and he looks so sad. Beste still wants to go to these famous festivals and she tries to persuade her friends. "Don't worry, Mete. There will be a lot of healthy and light food, too. Boiled vegetables, grilled steak, and even an omelette!"

Mete jumps up excitedly and says, "Perfect! Let's get ready and hop on the first bus!"

On The Way To The Festival

They walk to the nearest bus station. It is a short but fast walk.

"The bus is coming! Come on, Ellie! Pick up the pace or we will miss the bus,"says Mete.

"I'm faster than the bus when I smell food,"giggles Ellie.

"Then run to the festival. Let's see who is faster-you or the bus!"says Mete and they all laugh.

They get on the first bus coming and go past a post office, a fire station, a museum, and a big library. They hop off the bus at the stop near the park.

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"Don't hop off the bus here if you don't know the way! We might get lost!" Ellie says to Beste.

"But I know the way! This my neighbourhood!"answers Beste.

At the Orange Blossom Festival

They step into the lively festival area and it is surrounded by the smell of the orange blossoms.

"Look at all these beautiful orange flowers! The whole place smells amazing,"says Mete.

"I heard there is a big parade with dancers and musicians. Let's find and join in it!"adds Ellie.

They follow the music and join in a crowd watching traditional dancers in colourful costumes.

"Wow, they're so impressive! I want to learn those dance moves,"says Beste.

"Hey, there's a workshop over there! They're teaching how to make flower crowns. Why don't we try it?"asks Mete.

They sit down at the craft table and weave orange blossoms into crowns.

"This is harder than it looks, but it's so fun!"says Ellie.

"Yeah, but our crowns are perfect. I'm going to wear mine all day,"says Beste, smiling.

"We should go on with the next festival. What do you think?"asks Mete.

They follow the tempting smells of spices and fresh

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food, and find the festival area. The park is full of people. There are many colourful food stalls. The crowd is huge, and they all look happy. The kids can hear the music that sounds like a big party.

At The Food Festival

"I'm so hungry I could eat a whole cow," says Mete. He smiles and adds with a big laugh, "Well, not a real cow. You know what I mean, haha."

They all laugh and Beste asks, "Where should we eat first?"

Mete's stomach growls and he answers, "Something sweet for sure! Maybe cherry jam or a lemon tart? I saw a stall full of sweets and desserts when we entered the festival area."

"Wait, Mete! We should get some main dishes first, or we will get a sugar crash really fast. It is very unhealthy. How about starting with a sugar-free refreshing juice?" asks Ellie.

"You're right. Let's find some fruit juice," suggests Beste.

They walk to a food stall and order orange juice, strawberry juice, and lemonade.

"This is the best orange juice I have ever tasted! It is super cold and refreshing," says Ellie.

Then they start taking a tour of every stall there. They see stalls with famous Turkish food, Italian food, and Japanese food.

"I love dumplings!" yells Beste.

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"There was the Dumpling Festival here two years ago. We ate very juicy and delicious dumplings. Do you remember?" asks Mete.

"Yeah, but today is the Orange Blossom Festival day!" Beste reminds him and adds, "Let's try some traditional Turkish dishes!"

Trying New Tastes

They are at a busy part of the festival now. The air is full of the smell of spices which is coming from grilled meat, roasted steak, and something sweet and fruity. There is a long line in front of a barbecue stall.

"Look at that line, guys! Those kebabs sell like hotcakes! They must be really good. There are so many people waiting for it. I usually don't like waiting, but it's worth it for good kebabs." says Beste.

They order a steak with creamy mushroom sauce and Adana Kebab. A waiter serves their orders.

"Wow! It looks really delicious with fried onions on the top," says Beste.

"I want to try this masterpiece, too!" says Mete.

Beste smiles, "Let's share it. Sharing is caring!"

After eating the steak, they walk around more. They see a stall that sells sweet pastries and fruits. Beste tries some melon slices, Mete buys a fizzy drink, and Ellie buys a big slice of toast with jam.

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Festivals Around The World

The kids are at the pizza stall now. There are many different types of pizzas, and they all look delicious.
"I want to try the chef's special tomato and onion pizza which is very popular in Italy. That one won the best pizza award at the Pizzafest last year."says Ellie.

"I wish we could join that festival in Italy one day. I am curious about the Chocolate Festival in France. I think it is the sweetest festival because you can taste chocolate in countless shapes, sizes, and flavours. I have a sweet tooth and eat a lot of chocolate. This festival is totally my thing! I should immediately start to learn French. I'll need it when I go there,"says Mete excitedly.

"There are also fried mushrooms and boiled onions at the pizza stall. Did you see them? Each cuisine is a different kettle of fish!" says Beste.

Memories to Remember

They keep walking and see a cinema. There is also a concert hall next to it in the park.

"Look at that banner! Our favourite rock band is going to perform here in two hours,"says Ellie.

"Yay! I love listening to this band. We are so lucky."adds Beste.

"For now, let's just focus on eating and drinking. Also, we can't stay here for two more hours. We have to go back home soon." Their next stop is the omelette stall. The chef is cooking their tasty omelettes on a cooker.

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They decide to taste them.

"This garlic omelette is the softest one I have ever had! It is very creamy and warm. I love it!"says Mete.

After taking their food, they sit at the aeroplane café in the festival area and enjoy their meal.

"This is the greatest day ever! I am so glad we joined these festivals. It's the best way to spend a Saturday afternoon."says Ellie with a big smile.

Beste nods her head, "Also, the service here is amazing. Everyone is so kind and friendly,"she adds.

"I definitely agree with both of you. These festivals are the best in Türkiye. Lots of locals and tourists come here every year and try the Turkish cuisine."says Mete.

After having their meal, Beste suggests, "Let's take a photograph together. This place is too beautiful to forget."

Beste takes out her camera, "All right, say cheese!"

They take a funny photo. Beste smiles, "This photo is perfect. I will keep it forever. Love you guys!"

A Little Surprise For Mum

As the afternoon continues, the crowd grows even bigger. The music is louder. People are laughing and celebrating, sharing food and stories. It looks like a great event. Mete checks his watch.

"Uh oh, it's getting late. We should think about going home soon."

"Why don't we buy some fruits before we leave?"suggests Ellie. "Your mum loves grapes and pears, Beste."

"That's a perfect idea. It's really a good way to say

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I love you!"answers Beste.

On The Way Back Home

They walk back to the bus stop and hop on the bus again. This time, the bus is fuller. They stall during the trip. The bus passes a railway station and a big bridge. They see a train in the distance.

"I love trains,"Mete says."They are faster than buses."

"Yeah, but the bus is easier for this festival,"replies Ellie.

When they get off the bus, it is almost sunset. The sky is orange and purple. They feel tired but happy.

"It was such a great experience. I haven't had one like that in a long time!"exclaims Mete.

"It's the icing on the cake of our summer!"says Beste.

"I agree!"says Ellie excitedly. "Let's come back again next year!"

Their stomaches and hearts are full.They made great memories together. They walk home happily, chatting non-stop about all the activities and delicious food they have tried. Ellie is still dreaming of the Turkish delights. Mete can't stop thinking about the strawberry jam. And Beste, her only thought is about the fluffy omelette she ate.

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EXERCISES

A. Read the sentences and write T (True) or F (False). Correct the false sentences.

☐ 1 .The kids miss the first bus because Ellie is too slow.

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☐ 2.They make flower crowns at the Orange Blossom Festival.

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☐ 3.Beste and Mete share a steak dish together.

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☐ 4.The kids listen to a rock band performing during the festival.

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☐ 5.They only try Turkish food at the festival.

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B. Answer the questions.

1 . Where is Beste's house located?

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2. How did the kids go to the festival?

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3. What makes the Orange Blossom Festival special?

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4. Why did they decide to eat main dishes before dessert?

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5. How did they feel at the end of the day?

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C. Find the words in the puzzle.

NEIGHBOURHOOD	HOP ON	CINEMA
STEAK	GRAPE	BUS STATION
SHOPPING CENTRE	CONCERT HALL	BOIL
POST OFFICE	LIBRARY	BAKERY
PERSUADE	LEMONADE	AEROPLANE

N	E	I	G	H	B	O	U	R	H	O	O	D	T
L	C	R	C	X	L	L	E	M	O	N	A	D	E
S	H	O	P	P	I	N	G	C	E	N	T	R	E
L	E	A	Q	X	Y	E	H	Q	E	X	B	B	B
C	I	E	M	A	L	I	R	E	A	Q	U	R	O
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GLOSSARY

n: noun v: verb
adj: adjective adv: adverb

aeroplane (n): an aircraft that flies in the sky
bakery (n): a place where bread and cakes are made or sold
balcony (n): a small outside area on an upper floor of a building
barbecue (n): an outdoor meal or gathering at which meat, fish, or other food is grilled over an open fire
boil (v): to cook vegetables, rice, eggs, etc. in boiling water
bus station (n): a place where buses pick up and drop off passengers
celebration (n): a special, enjoyable event where people praise or enjoy something
chit chat (n): informal conversation about unimportant things
cinema (n): a building where films are shown
concert hall (n): a large room or building used for musical performances
creamy (adj): having a smooth, soft texture like cream
cuisine (n): a style or method of cooking, especially associated with a particular country or region
dessert (n): sweet food eaten at the end of a meal
dumpling (n): a small ball of dough, often boiled or steamed
experience (n): something that happens to you or something you do and learn from
fire station (n): a building where firefighters work and keep their equipment
fizzy drink (n): a drink with bubbles
flower crown (n): a decorative ring of flowers worn on the head
fry (v): to cook food in hot oil
grill (v): to cook over heat or fire
hop off / hop on (v): to

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get off or get on a bus, train, etc., quickly
jam (n): a sweet spread made from fruit, sugar and water
library (n): a place where books are kept for people to read or borrow
lobster (n): a sea animal with claws
melon (n): a large, round fruit with many seeds
museum (n): a building where objects of historical, scientific, or artistic interest are kept and shown
mushroom (n): a fungus with a round flat head and short stem
neighbourhood (n): the area or region around where you live
omelette (n): a dish made from eggs cooked in a frying pan
parade (n): a public celebration in which people march through a public area
pastry (n): a baked food made from dough
persuade (v): to cause someone to do something by giving reasons or convincing them
post office (n): a place to send letters and packages
railway station (n): a place where trains stop for passengers to get on or off
refreshing (adj): pleasantly fresh or restoring energy
roast (v): to cook food, especially meat, in an oven or over a fire
shopping centre (n): a large building or area containing many shops
spice (n): a substance (like pepper or cinnamon) added to food for flavour
steak (n): a thick slice of meat or beef
sugar free (adj): not containing sugar
sweet (adj): with a sugar taste
tart (n): a small pie with fruit or other filling
workshop (n): a room or building where goods are made or repaired

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