

All About **PATRIOT DAY** CLOSE READING PASSAGES

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September 11th Tribute

September 11th, people all across America who lost their lives in a tragic event that happened in the year 2001. On that day, many important buildings in New York City were destroyed. Many brave people helped each other during their lives. People light candles, say prayers, and fly at half-mast to remember and honor those who were affected. It is important to show kindness to everyone.

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What date is Patriot Day observed in America?

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Patriot Day History

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Every year on September 11th, people all across America pay tribute to those who lost their lives in a tragic event. This event happened in the year 2001. On that day, airplanes crashed into important buildings in New York City and Washington D.C. Many brave people helped each other, and many others lost their lives. People light candles, say prayers, and help each other selflessly to remember and honor those who were lost.

1. What tragic event is remembered on September 11th?

2. In which city did the planes crash?

3. How do people remember those who were affected?

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1. What is the purpose of Patriot Day in the United States?

2. Which tragic event does Patriot Day commemorate?

3. How do people in the United States show their respect on Patriot Day?

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1. On what date is Patriot Day?

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What is American solidarity?

2. How do people in the United States demonstrate solidarity?

3. Can you give an example of solidarity mentioned in the passage?

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