

Día de los Muertos

Directions: Using information from the article provided, answer the following questions. Be prepared to discuss the answers at the end of class.

1. What does "Día de los Muertos" mean in English?
2. In which country is *Día de los Muertos* widely celebrated?
3. When is *Día de los Muertos* celebrated each year?
4. What do those who celebrate *Día de los Muertos* believe happens on this evening?
5. Describe 3 things that families of those who have passed away often do to prepare for *Día de los Muertos*.
6. List 3 ways that *Día de los Muertos* is like Halloween.
7. List 3 ways that *Día de los Muertos* is different from Halloween.
8. Define "ofrendas" and explain how it relates to *Día de los Muertos*.
9. Define "calacas" and explain how it relates to *Día de los Muertos*.
10. Define "pan de muerto" and explain how it relates to *Día de los Muertos*.