

Cinco De Mayo



History

Cinco de Mayo means "fifth of May". Some people think this day is a holiday, but it is not considered a holiday, people still work on this day.

Cinco de Mayo is a special day to recognize when the Mexican city of Heroica Puebla de Zaragoza won the victory against 6,000 French Troops who came in to take over the city in the year 1862.



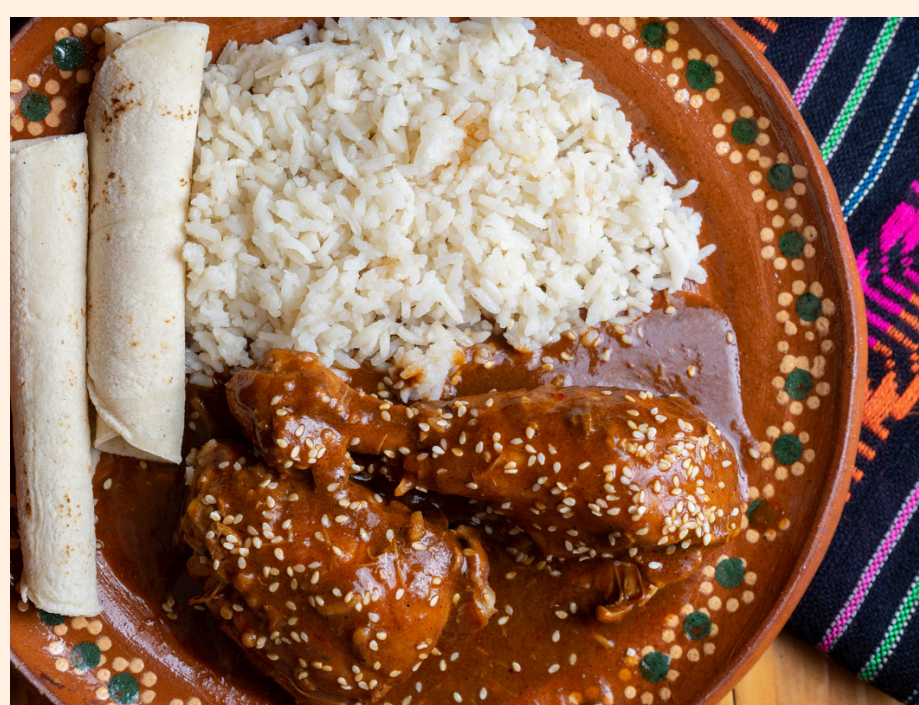
Dress

People wear traditional clothing on this day. Pictured here is a "vestido" that is worn during traditional dances or celebrations.



Party

Piñatas are filled with candy and small gifts. At parties, people of all ages hit the piñata until it breaks and all the candy and gifts fall out.



Food

People eat foods like mole (pronounced MOE-lay), tamales, tacos, guacamole, and different kinds of salsas, and much more!

KWL CHART

A KWL Chart is explaining what you know about the topic, what you want to know more about, and what you learned.

Write about what you know about Cinco de Mayo:

K

Write about what you want to know more about Cinco de Mayo:

W

Write about what you learned about Cinco de Mayo:

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