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#### **WORD SEARCH**

Valentine's Day is celebrated on February 14<sup>th</sup>. See if you can find the words related to this holiday in the puzzle below!



#### **WORD LIST**

Chocolate

**Date** 

Heart

Hug

**Kiss** 

Love

**Pink** 

Red

Rose

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## Grammar Exercise Have a Heart!

In honor of St. Valentine's Day, which is celebrated each year on February 14th, we have collected expressions using the word "heart." Match each expression with the correct meaning. Then work with your conversation partner to use each in a sentence.

- 1) learn by heart
- 2) have a heart of gold
- 3) wear your heart on your sleeve
- 4) be heartbroken
- 5) heartbreaker
- 6) eat your heart out
- 7) have your heart set on something
- 8) have a change of heart
- 9) lose heart
- 10) heartless
- 11) have a heart of stone
- 12) follow your heart
- 13) heartache
- A) cold and unfriendly
- B) memorize
- C) be kind and generous
- D) openly and freely express your emotions
- E) really want or expect something to happen
- F) act according to your feelings
- G) be cold and unfriendly
- H) change your mind about something, usually from negative to positive
- I) sadness
- J) stop having hope about something
- K) be very sad
- L) someone who is adored by others but doesn't reciprocate
- M) to be jealous or envious, miserably wishing for something or someone you can't have

# **Conversation Practice Going Out for Dinner**

You would like to go out to dinner with your sweetheart to celebrate Valentine's Day. However, your sweetheart is particular about what he/she eats, and it's hard to agree on where to go. Suggest restaurants and types of food until you can agree on a place to eat. Then, pretend you are looking at the menu and try to decide what to order. Will you share a dish? Will you order a special dessert?

#### **Culture Corner**

Valentine's Day is a time to let our loved ones know how we feel. We may send an anonymous love note—called a "valentine"—decorated with hearts and flowers. Often, cards are inscribed with the words "Be My Valentine" or "Be Mine." Some people give chocolates, candies or flowers to those they love.



The heart is the symbol of Valentine's Day. Another symbol is Cupid, drawing his bow. Whoever is struck by Cupid's arrow will fall hopelessly in love.

Is there a day to celebrate love in your native country? What are the symbols and traditions for that holiday?



Grammar Exercise Answers: 1) B 2) C 3) D 4) K 5) L 6) M 7) E 8) H 9) J 10) A 11) G 12) F 13) I

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