

Answer key

Comprehension 1

- 1** (some/four/4) festivals (from different cultures)
- 2** i) It shows respect and gives good wishes. (any reasonable answer)
ii) It washes off the previous year's misfortunes. (any reasonable answer)
- 3** joyous
- 4** i) F
ii) T
iii) NG
- 5** B
- 6** the eight days that the pure olive oil lasted for (any reasonable answer)
- 7** A lot of Hanukkah food are deep-fried in oil, such as *latke* and *sufganiyah*. (any reasonable answer)
- 8** D
- 9** forgive someone else's mistakes, give money to homeless people, eat a large meal
- 10** i) Songkran
ii) Midsummer
iii) Ramadan
iv) Hanukkah
- 11** festival practices, time of the festival
- 12** (i) spiritual
(ii) misfortune
(iii) miracle
(iv) customary