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Instructions: After reading the passage "What Thais and Americans do in the New Year's festival?", use the words from the passage to complete the blanks to remark the similarities and the differences between Thai and American New Year's festival (หลังจากอ่านบทความ What Thais and Americans do in the New Year's festival? ให้เติมคำในช่องว่างโดยใช้คำจากเนื้อเรื่อง แล้วสังเกตความเหมือนและความแตกต่างระหว่างการเฉลิมฉลองวันปีใหม่ของไทยและอเมริกัน)

	Thai New Year's festival	American New Year's festival
	Both Thais and Americans have song of the festival. Thais have a song to celebrate during this festival,	
	and the Americans also have a song to celebrate	during this festival. In Thai New Year's festival,
Similarity	people usually play วันนี้เป็นวันสงกรานต์ (or	(1)). On the other hand,
	(2) is a song for the American New Year's festival, and this song was written by	
	Robert Burns, a national poet of Scotland.	
	Both Thais and Americans celebrate New Year's fo	estival with food. According to this passage, Thais eat
	(3) during Songkran festival in some area like Bang Saen, Pattaya and Bangkok, but the	
	Americans eat(4) which is a Southern meal made with black-eyed peas, pork, and	
	rice during this festival.	
Difference	On Songkran day, Thais usually gather with	(6) is an American traditions showing
	(5) and friends in their hometowns	that kissing someone at midnight will prevent
	to celebrate. This may include barbecuing,	loneliness during the coming year and ward off evil
	drinking, and creating meals together.	spirits.
	Thais visit the(7)for making merit	In Time Square, New York City, in New Year's Eve,
	and giving alms to monks on Songkran day.	the Americans are ready for
	April is the hottest month of the year in	Many Americans decide to set personal objectives
	Thailand. It might be known as	for themselves, such as remaining in shape or
	(9)with the celebration of water.	spending more time with family and friends. We
		call it(10)