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# Valentine's Day

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Valentine's Day falls on February 14 every year. Red and pink hearts decorate classrooms. Children make or buy cards to give to their friends. Adults often buy cards for the people they love. Friends may give gifts of candy, chocolate, flowers, or jewelry.

The cards given on Valentine's Day are called "Valentines." Valentines often have poems written on them. One common poem is ...

Roses are red;  
Violets are blue;  
Sugar is sweet,  
And so are you.



Valentine's Day is not a legal holiday. Children go to school on Valentine's Day. Moms and dads go to work. Mail is delivered. But Valentine's Day is still a very special day. Valentine's Day is a good time to tell someone "I'm glad you're my friend," or "I love you."

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## Read and answer.

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When is Valentine's Day?

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Who do children give cards to?

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What kinds of gifts may be given on Valentine's Day?

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What are the cards given for Valentine's Day called?

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Why is Valentine's Day a special day?

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