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## Canadian Words

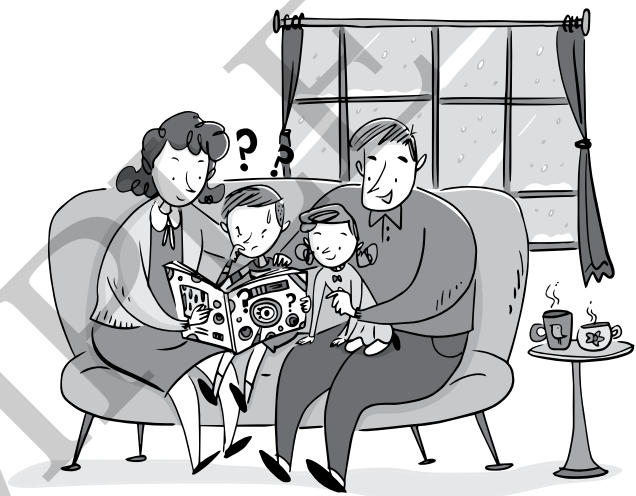
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| Alberta              | British Columbia | Canadian | Family Day |
| Islander Day         | Louis Riel Day   | Manitoba | Ontario    |
| Prince Edward Island | Saskatchewan     |          |            |



## Family Day

Those who live in British Columbia, Alberta, Saskatchewan, and Ontario have the second or third Monday in February as Family Day each year. In Manitoba, it is called Louis Riel Day, and in Prince Edward Island, the holiday is called Islander Day.

As a relatively new holiday, there are no traditional activities that are associated with the day. Canadians spend this holiday in different ways, but as it is Family Day, it is best to spend it with family.



Family Day is in the midst of the bitter cold winter. If you enjoy outdoor activities, skating and tobogganing can be fun. But for most people, spending Family Day indoors makes more sense. So how about enjoying the holiday with your family this way?

Try baking cookies together. Make cookies of different shapes with cookie cutters, but leave the baking work for Mom and Dad, as the oven can be dangerously hot. You can help out afterwards by decorating and sampling the cookies to see if they are yummy enough.

Pick a movie to watch with your family. Tell them what the story is about and why it is fun to watch it. Then sit back and have a good time with Mom and Dad. Do not forget the freshly-baked cookies for snacks.

After dinner, how about playing a guessing game with your family? “With my little eye I spy” is simple and fun. Pick an object that everyone can see, but do not reveal what it is. Give a hint like “I spy with my little eye something that is blue”, and let your family guess what you are spying on.

Have a fun-filled Family Day!

**A. Fill in the blanks with the correct Canadian words.****Canadian Words****Prince Edward Island****Louis Riel Day****Canadians****Saskatchewan****Islander Day****Family Day**

In the cold month of February, Canadians celebrate different holidays. In British Columbia, Alberta, 1. \_\_\_\_\_, and Ontario, 2. \_\_\_\_\_ is celebrated on the second or third Monday of the month. In Manitoba, the holiday is called 3. \_\_\_\_\_. In 4. \_\_\_\_\_, the holiday is called 5. \_\_\_\_\_.

These holidays are not associated with traditional activities. 6. \_\_\_\_\_ usually spend the holidays with their families. Some people enjoy outdoor activities while others prefer indoor activities.

**B. Cross out the word that does not belong in each group. Then explain how the remaining words are related.****A****Saskatchewan****Toronto****Manitoba****Ontario****B****February****Islander Day****Louis Riel Day****Family Day****C****Alberta****Prince Edward Island****Canada****British Columbia**

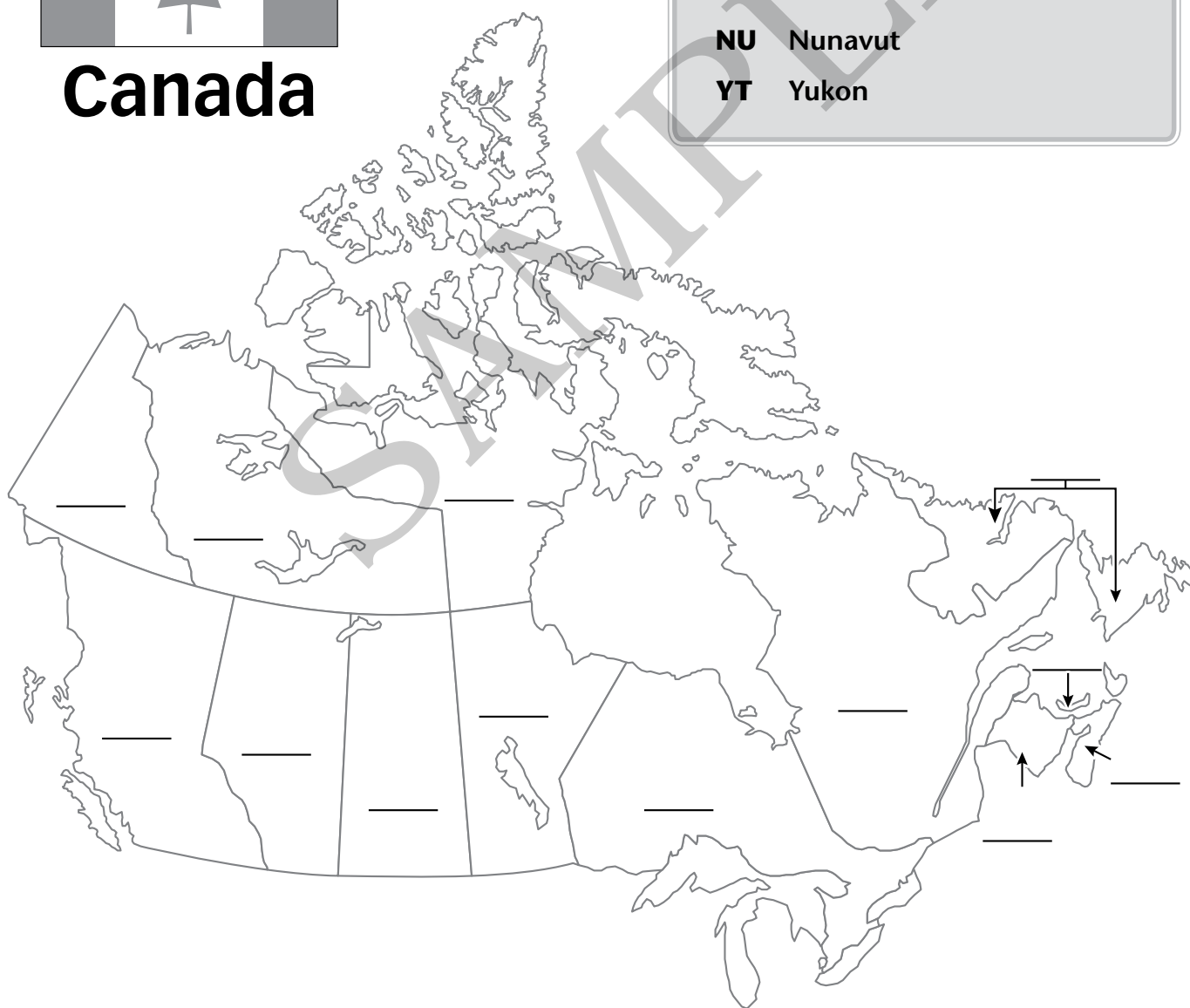
How the words are related:

**A** \_\_\_\_\_**B** \_\_\_\_\_**C** \_\_\_\_\_

- C. Label the map of Canada with the correct province and territory names. Write their short forms on the map.

**Provinces****AB** Alberta**BC** British Columbia**MB** Manitoba**NB** New Brunswick**NL** Newfoundland and Labrador**NS** Nova Scotia**ON** Ontario**PEI** Prince Edward Island**QC** Quebec**SK** Saskatchewan

# Canada

**Territories****NT** Northwest Territories**NU** Nunavut**YT** Yukon

**D. Match the provinces and territories of Canada with their capital cities.**



# Canada

## Capital Cities

|             |                           |
|-------------|---------------------------|
| Provinces   | Alberta                   |
|             | British Columbia          |
|             | Manitoba                  |
|             | New Brunswick             |
|             | Newfoundland and Labrador |
|             | Nova Scotia               |
|             | Ontario                   |
|             | Prince Edward Island      |
|             | Quebec                    |
|             | Saskatchewan              |
| Territories | Northwest Territories     |
|             | Nunavut                   |
|             | Yukon                     |

- Quebec City
- Regina
- Ottawa
- Edmonton
- Victoria
- Winnipeg
- Fredericton
- St. John's
- Halifax
- Toronto
- Charlottetown
- Whitehorse
- Iqaluit
- Yellowknife

## Words that I Have Learned

## Canadian Words

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