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4. What were the first English settlers called ?
5. Why did they decide to leave England ?
6. Where did they establish the first colony ?
7. What was the name of their ship ?
8. How many passengers and crew were there on the ship ?
9. How long was the journey ?
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11. Who celebrated the first Thanksgiving and what for ?
12. What ***did*** they have for dinner ?
13. What do Americans eat traditionally for Thanksgiving ***today*** ? (at least 4 answers)
14. For many Native Americans, Thanksgiving is a mourning day rather than a celebration. Why ?
15. In 1863, which president declared that a national day of Thanksgiving would be held in November ?
16. In 1943, Norman Rockwell painted “The Thanksgiving Dinner”. Look carefully at the painting on the board and explain why it is also known as “Freedom From Want”. How would you translate “Freedom from Want” into French ?
17. On Thanksgiving Day, the American president is going to do something special (and unusual for a president). What is it ?
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