

Name _____



Stars And Stories

Directions: Read the passage about a July 4th celebration. Choose the best words from the **Word Bank** to fill in the blanks. Be sure each sentence makes sense and sounds exciting!

fireworks
parade
independence

sweet
gratitude

Every year on **July 4th**, families gather to celebrate America's

(1) _____. The day begins with a colorful

(2) _____ marching through town, where people wave

flags and cheer loudly. Kids play games in the park and enjoy

(3) _____ treats like watermelon and pie. As the sun sets,

everyone looks up to see bright (4) _____ bursting in the

sky. The night feels full of joy, pride, and (5) _____ as

people remember the heroes who helped our country stay free.