

Bla bla February
GREECE

CARNIVAL DAYS

Every February, schools celebrate the Carnival. We usually do activities and handcrafts for the Carnival, such as drawing masks and making kites. When the Carnival days are close, we usually choose one day, when all students come dressed up in fancy costumes and dance in the rhythm of Carnival. Sometimes, we have a competition for the best costume at school.



Also, during the week of the Carnival celebrations, the students dance folklore dances around a pole, while holding colourful ribbons. One student holds the large pole in the center, on top of which, long ribbons start, each with different colour. Around the pole, the dancers dance simultaneously, so as to weave the ribbons around it, creating a colourful combination. When the ribbons are all wrapped, they stop and then start again reversing the direction of the dance until it unfolds completely.

