



Celebrations During COVID

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Description: In these days where gathering is not happening, how are you celebrating the holidays or special occasions and staying connected to loved ones?

Estimated time: 1.5 hours

(1) Getting acquainted and comfortable

5 - 10 min.

Welcome

- Thank you for coming...
- We are a part of The Great Reset, which was born out of a shift we're seeing in our country. We have been in a place where we don't tend to speak 'beyond our bubbles' and across perspectives. The Great Reset has been opening up a grey space for such conversations since 2018. You are now part of keeping the conversation going and we thank you.

The Pillars of The Great Reset

- To share our own thoughts and perspectives with humility
- To learn from others and listen with respect

Ground Rules

- Every comment is valid and deserving of respect
- We show respect by speaking one at a time, putting our phones on silent and staying engaged, even when we are not speaking
- In the interest of time, I may cut in to ask you to 'top-line' something if we need to move on. This means simply offer up a synopsis of your thoughts and speak in bullets, not paragraphs

Confidentiality

I would like a verbal from everyone that you are here of your own volition and out of respect for one another I would ask you to keep what others say in this room unless they give you permission otherwise. (go around and get verbal agreement). Further, you agree to adhere to the principles outlined already: to deliver your perspectives bound to the principles of respect, to **listen with humility and offer grace to others who are sharing this space.**

Personal Introductions

Please share your name, where you live, and your favorite celebration.



*****Remember to ask to record and PRESS RECORD*****

(2) Typical holiday celebration

10 - 15 min.

- How do you and your family usually celebrate the holidays or special occasions?
- Probe for who usually gets together and where.

(3) This year's holiday celebration

15 - 20 min.

- How will your family celebration be different this year, and why?
- Probe for both COVID and other reasons.

(4) Regrets and returns expectations

20 - 25 min.

- What do you think you will most miss or regret because of the changes in this year's celebrations?
- What will you most look forward to restarting next year, or post-pandemic?

(5) Closing comments

5 - 10 min.

- Do you have any additional comments or questions about celebrations?

Survey link: <https://forms.gle/7E7rV4cvRXvexiYy8>