



## **CPTV Parents E-Newsletter November 2017**

**Themes: Thanksgiving, *Sesame Street: Once Upon a Sesame Street Christmas***

**This Month, Give Thanks with CPTV and PBS Kids**

### **Happy Thanksgiving from PBS Kids!**

Thanksgiving is a great time to cultivate gratitude. This year begin your own family tradition to give Thanksgiving its well-deserved and special meaning with these simple, family-friendly Thanksgiving traditions from PBS Parents. [Visit the site.](#)

### **Thanksgiving Crafts Round-Up**

From the placemat shadow game to thankful trees and more, get your little ones ready for Thanksgiving with some of our favorite decorative crafts from around the web. [Read more.](#)

### **16 Thanksgiving Crafts Worth Eating!**

Gobble up these edible crafts from around the web that we're oh, so thankful for! [See all 16 recipes.](#)

### **Thanksgiving Day Activity: Thankfulness Venn Diagram**

Your kids will have fun (and stay busy!) interviewing family members to find out who is thankful for what, and then mapping out the common ground between multiple generations of family and friends. [Download the activity.](#)

### **How to Prepare (Thanksgiving) Food in Space**

Astronauts celebrate the holidays with their own version of traditional meals. See how to prepare a Thanksgiving food aboard the International Space Station in this video from NASA. [Watch it here.](#)

### **Just For Kids: *Sesame Street: Once Upon a Sesame Street Christmas***

A bedtime story for Elmo recalls a gloomy time when Sesame Street was devoid of holiday spirit until a distant relative brought tidings of comfort and joy to its residents. Tune in for the premiere on Wednesday, November 22, 2017 at 11:30 a.m. on CPTV Kids!

### **Just for You: A Crash Course on Thanksgiving from *American Experience***

If you're a little rusty on your Thanksgiving history, *American Experience* has just what you need. In just under three minutes, you can catch up on "The True Story of the First Thanksgiving" from *American Experience*. [Watch it here.](#)

### **For the Family: Share Your Love of *Anne of Green Gables***

Make it a family viewing night on Thanksgiving, Thursday, November 23, 2017 at 8 p.m. Tune in to CPTV for the new sequel film *Anne of Green Gables: The Good Stars*. Ella Ballentine, Martin Sheen, and Sara Botsford return for this special holiday event that continues the adventures of feisty young redhead Anne Shirley! Plus, at 6 p.m. on Thanksgiving Day, see a special encore of the preceding *Anne of Green Gables* film, which premiered on CPTV in 2016. Happy Thanksgiving from CPTV!