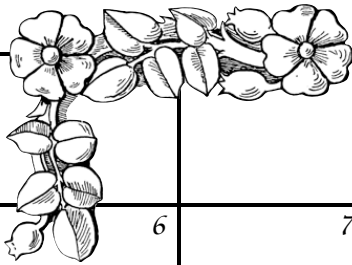
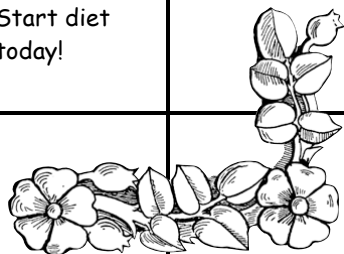


## Calendar Information Gap

November						
		1	2	3	4	5
			Study for math test			
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
		My birthday party!	Send thank you notes		Veterans' Day	Garth Brooks concert
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
Give the dog a bath			Lunch with Thelma			Do nothing. Nothing at all.
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
	Start thawing the turkey			Thanksgiving Day	Start diet today!	
27	28	29	30			
		Buy a new bathtub				

November						
		1	2	3	4	5
		Buy a new thesaurus		Beth & Thad's anniversary		Party at Nathan's house
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
	Dinner with Jonathan				Veterans' Day	
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
	Dentist appt. Get teeth cleaned					See "Three Pigs" at Children's Theater
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
Call Beth		Think peaceful thoughts		Thanksgiving Day		
27	28	29	30			
	Ruth's Birthday		Call Dr. Thorne			

## **Teacher's Notes: Calendar Information Gap**

### **Guided Practice**

Have students work in pairs. Each partner looks at a different calendar. (Cut the copies in half or have students fold the paper in half and just look at one calendar.) Students should not look at their partner's calendar.

The partners ask each other questions to try to find a day when they're both free to do something together. (Have lunch? Go to the beach? Visit Las Vegas?) Point out that the events on the calendars have lots of /θ/ and /s/ sounds. Encourage them to pay special attention to how they say the dates, most of which also have /θ/: fourth, fifth, etc.