

The first day of Spring

**Polish Spring and Easter
traditions**

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In the Polish calendar spring starts on the 21st of March.

It's the day when:

- Many schools organise a Spring Day when every student wears green clothes
- People drown or burn Marzanna to say goodbye to winter (Marzanna is a puppet which looks like a slavic god of winter)
- Students have Truant's Day (They skip lessons and spend this time outside)



Spring traditions

Spring is the time when:

- Everyone cleans their flats and houses
- Animals wake up from their hibernate
- Storks come back to our country
- We have a long weekend called “Majówka” (It’s a free time from work and school)



Easter traditions

At Easter we:

- paint Easter eggs
- have a Dingus Day in Poland called “Śmigus Dyngus” (It’s a day when everyone pours each other another with water)
- bring Easter baskets to churches
- share Easter egg with our families
- celebrate breakfast
- look for Easter Eggs (Easter bunny brings them)



Thank you for watching

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