Video and Reading: Canada Day—July 1st

Before you watch the video *Community Folk Art Council (CFAC) 4th Annual Multicultural Canada Day Celebration @ Yonge Dundas Square* available at <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=V1QubOYf-a4> and read the paper “[Fireworks, Folk dancing, and Fostering a National Identity: The Politics of Canada Day](http://moodle.tru.ca/pluginfile.php/443712/mod_resource/content/2/Fireworks_Folk_Dancing_and_Fostering_a_National_Identity.pdf)” ask yourself the following questions:

* + - What does Canada Day mean to you?
		- Have you noticed any changes to Canada Day in your lifetime?
		- Ask members of your family what Canada Day means to them?
		- Have they noticed any changes?
		- How do you think Canada Day has changed since its inception?

**Note:** If you are living outside of Canada, search for a video and reading(s) on your host country national day.

After you watch the video and read the paper, ask yourself the same five questions listed above. Reflect on whether your answers, interpretation, or perspective has changed in any way.