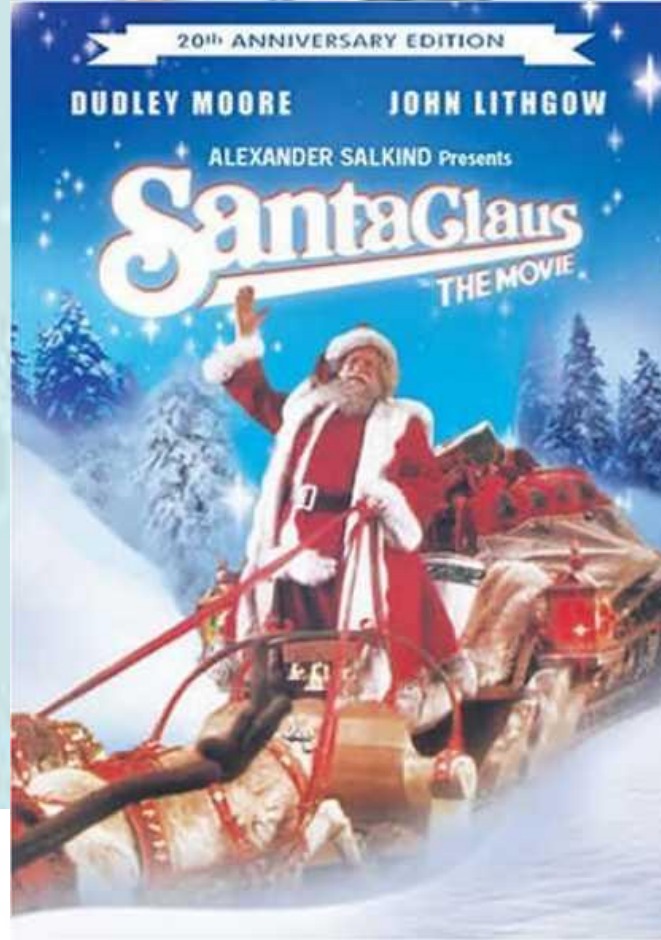


The image features two characters side-by-side. On the left is Father Frost, depicted with a long white beard, wearing a red and white patterned coat with a white fur trim, and holding a silver staff with a blue orb. On the right is Santa Claus, wearing a red suit with white fur trim, a red hat with a gold bell, and holding a large sack. The background is a snowy, blue-toned winter scene. A large, light blue, stylized 'VS' is centered between the two figures.

***Father Frost
VS
Santa Claus***

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Santa, Santa everywhere...



Русский фейерверк "Санта Клаус", ну не бред?



Santas, Santas everywhere...



The objectives:

- to learn about the origins of Santa Claus and Father Frost, the way they have been changed throughout the history;
- to point out and analyze the reasons of Santa's popularity in Russia;
- to make a survey about the attitude of Russian people of different groups towards these characters;
- to analyze the information and arrange it in the form of a diagram;
- to analyze and compare the results of the survey

The methods of my research:

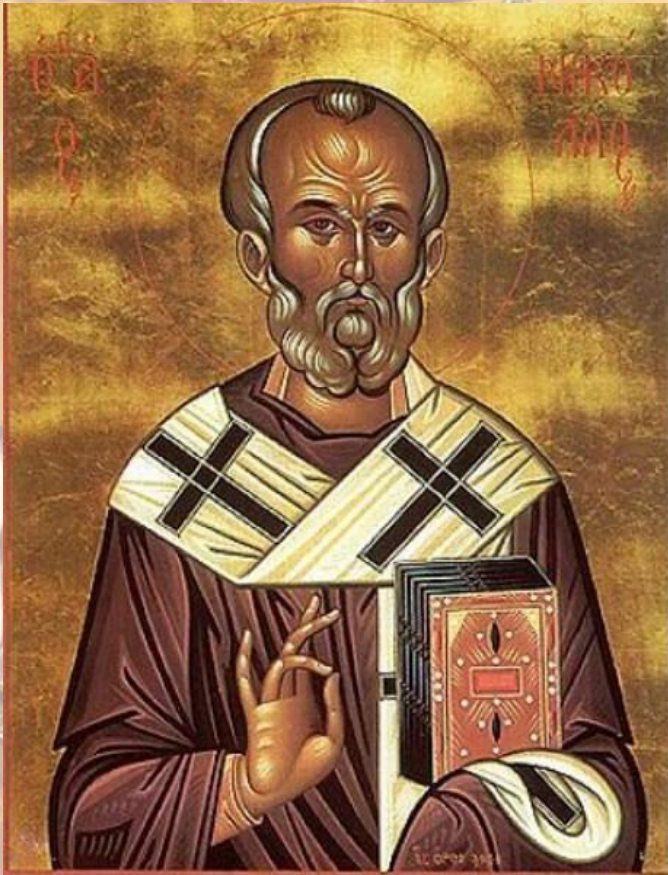
Interviewing

Analysis

Comparing

**Studying literature
on the topic**

Christian Saint Nicholas



There were a lot of legends that he distributed gifts to the poor at night through their windows, saved a city from famine, had aided a ship in distress, etc.



THE SATURDAY EVENING POST

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Delicious and Refreshing

“**MY HAT’S OFF to
the pause that refreshes”**”

Old Santa, busiest man in the world, takes time out for the pause that refreshes with ice-cold Coca-Cola. He even knows how to be good to himself. And so he always comes up smiling. So can you. Wherever you go shopping, you find a cheerful soda fountain with ice-cold Coca-Cola ready.

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OVER NINE MILLION A DAY . . . IT HAD TO BE GOOD TO GET WHERE IT IS



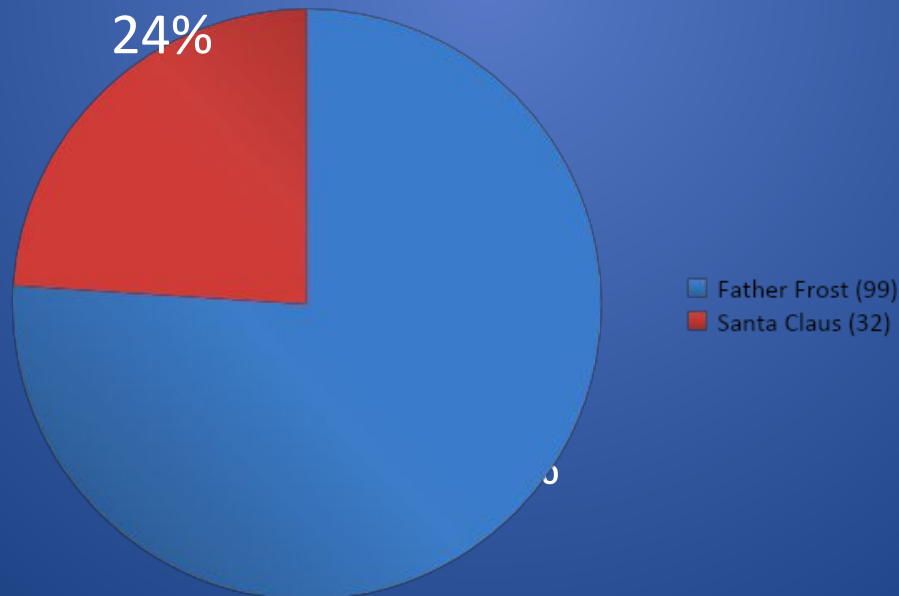
Survey №1

Who do you like more: Father Frost or Santa Claus?

the total number of respondents :131 p.

Likes Santa: 32 p.

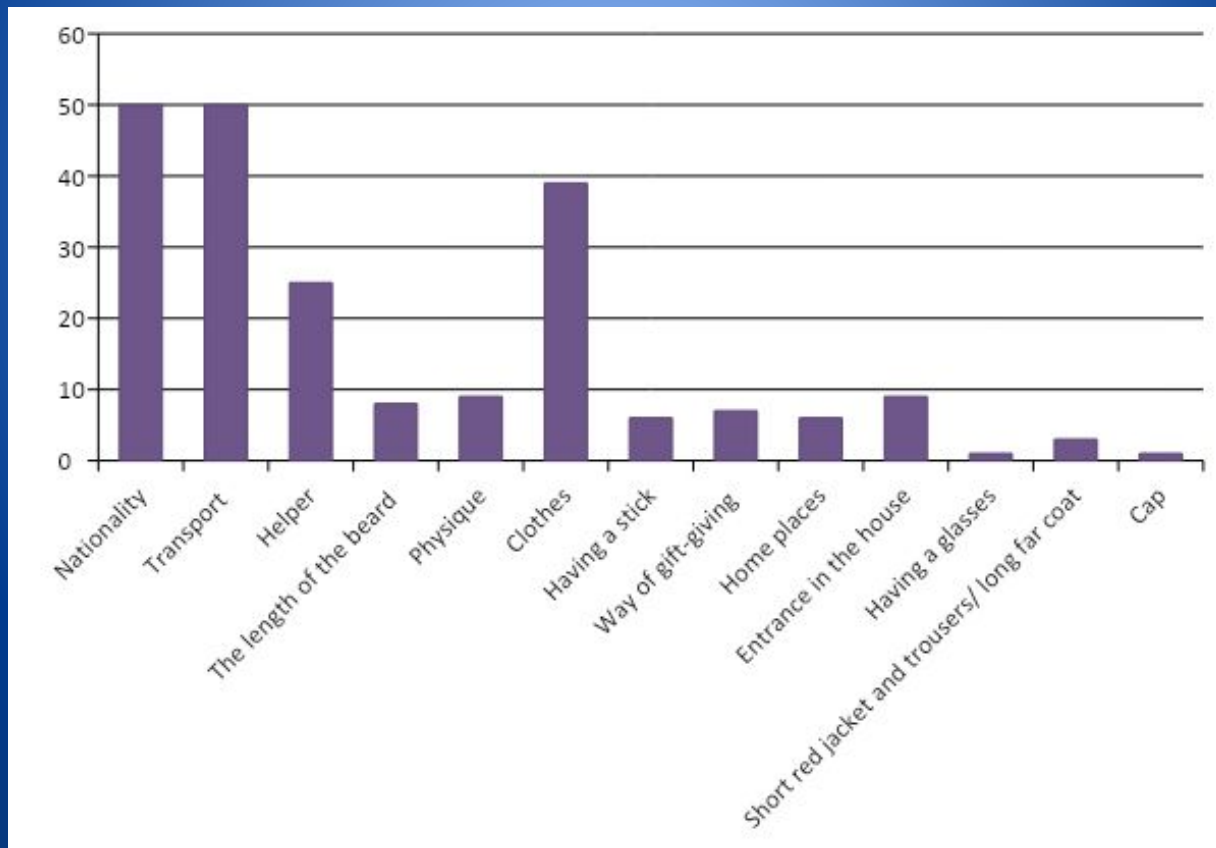
Likes Father Frost: 99 p.



Survey №2

Point out differences between Father Frost and Santa Claus

the total number of respondents :50 p.



Father Frost



Fur cap

Mittens

Long beard

patterned sash

Bag of gifts

long fur coat
of different colors
(blue, red)

Felt boots



Three horses

Santa Claus



Night cap

Bell

Glasses

Gloves

Short curly
beard

black belt

Trousers

Boots



Deer





Conclusion

- 1) It is wrong to consider that Father Frost and Santa Claus is the same personage.
- 2) The problem lies deeper
- 3) If people don't remember their routes, their traditions, their nation is under the thread of extinction.

