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**Should stores open on Thanksgiving (money, employees, agent, pay)**

**Should stores be open on Thanksgiving?** Many stores open on thanksgiving to increase profits. For example, Wal-Mart, Toys R Us, Target, Macy's, Sears, JC Penny, Best Buy, etc are all opening at some point during Thanksgiving Day. What do you think?

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**Chava61**

I don't think store employees should be forced to work on Thanksgiving. Most stores are closed on Christmas, and it doesn't seem to cause too many problems.

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**Ellwood**

Should people play football on Thanksgiving?... or run the cameras and broadcast equipment to cover the games? How about the people working to cover the Thanksgiving day parade? Why should they have to work? Or even people who work at homeless shelters? Who should work and who shouldn't?

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**John F S**

You ask the wrong question. The correct question should be - Should people SHOP on Thanksgiving? If people didn't shop. then stores wouldn't be open.

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**sskink**

If you're a business that opens on holidays and then talks about "family values" I will LOL.

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**Barney**

Why should a store be told when it should and shouldn't be open? It is 100% up to the owners/boss as to be open or not on Thanksgiving. Then again, if you don't like it, it's up to you to boycott the store or even quit your job if they try to make you work.