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CINCO DE MAYO HISTORY

Give a checkmark if the statement is correct and give a cross if the statement is false.

- The French came to Mexico for the purpose of collecting debts.
- Only people in Mexico celebrate Cinco de Mayo.
- Cinco De Mayo is a celebration of Mexican culture.
- The French wanted to take over the Mexican empire.
- Cinco de Mayo is celebrated on the day that the Mexican army successfully protected their country and their freedom from an invading army.
- The Mexicans won because they had more soldiers than the French.
- Cinco De Mayo is celebrated on September 16th.
- During the Civil War, President Lincoln sent troops to Mexico in support of their army.
- On the 5th of May, 1862, the Mexican defeated the Germans.