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Quiz Time

Do you know how to express the following Chinese culture expressions in English?

1. 春节
2. 元宵节
3. 饺子
4. 汤圆
5. 灯笼
6. 拜年
7. 放鞭炮
8. 看春晚



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| 1. 春节 | 1. The Spring Festival; Lunar New Year | |
| 2. 元宵节 | 2. Lantern Festival | |
| 3. 灯笼 | 3. Lantern | |
| 4. 饺子 | 4. Jiaozi; Dumplings | |
| 5. 汤圆 | 5. Tangyuan; sweet dumpling | |
| 6. 拜年 | 6. wish someone a happy new year | lunar 农历的 |
| 7. 放鞭炮 | 7. set off firecrackers | solar 公历的 |
| 8. 看春晚 | 8. watch Spring Festival Gala | firework 烟火 |

Lantern Festival

CULTURE Q&A | 文化趣问答

Ring in the holiday with rabbits

为什么元宵节要拉兔子灯?     词数 140 测试见IV版
建议阅读时间 5分钟



Why do children play with rabbit lanterns during Lantern Festival?



Chinese people celebrate Lantern Festival on the 15th day of the first *lunar month* (阴历月份). The holiday is held to celebrate the first full moon of the year. It also means the end of the Spring Festival holiday. The festival fell on Feb 8 this year.

Making and looking at lanterns are popular things to do during the festival. The lanterns come in many sizes, colors and shapes, such as animals and plants. There are usually *riddles* (谜语) on the lanterns.

Rabbit lanterns with *wheels* (轮子) are fun for children. Kids can pull them along from place to place.

Why rabbits? It might have

something to do with a Chinese *folk* (民间的) story about a *jade rabbit* (玉兔) that lives on the moon. People hold Lantern Festival on the first full moon of the year, so rabbits are a big part of the festival as well. **TEENS**



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**Please read the text and answer
the following questions**

请阅读文章并回答下列问题

1. When is Lantern Festival celebrated?
2. What do people do on Lantern Festival?
3. Why do children play with rabbit lanterns during Lantern Festival?



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1. When is Lantern Festival celebrated?

On the 15th day of the first lunar month (阴历月份)

2. What do people do on Lantern Festival?

They make and look at Lanterns and solve riddles.

3. Why do children play with rabbit lanterns during Lantern Festival?

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Read the text again and find the following expressions in the text.

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2. 拽着灯笼
3. 与...有关
4. 中国民间故事
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1. to celebrate Lantern Festival
2. pull lanterns along
3. have something to do with
4. Chinese folk story
5. jade rabbit

How to make a paper rabbit?



Step 1

Cut 4 long strips (条) of paper and 4 shorter strips of paper. It is better if you can use two different colours.



Step 2

- Take the 2 long strips and glue (粘住) them together to make a cross (十字).
- Glue the other 2 long strips, making a snowflake (雪花).
- Do the same with the short strips and now you have two snowflakes.



Step 3

- Take the “snowflake” with long strips and start making a paper ball.
- Glue the strips together, until all strips are glued together and you get a nice looking ball.
- Do the same with the short strips “snowflake”.



Step 4

Glue the paper balls together.



Step 5

- Cut the ears out of paper of a different colour.
- Also cut a smaller set out of paper of a third colour.



Step 6

- Cut and draw a nose.
- Also cut teeth out of white paper and draw a line in the middle with a black pen. Glue the teeth on the nose.



Step 7

- Glue the ears and the nose on the head (smaller ball) part of the rabbit.
- Draw two eyes.



How to make a paper rabbit?



Riddle Time

Riddle 1

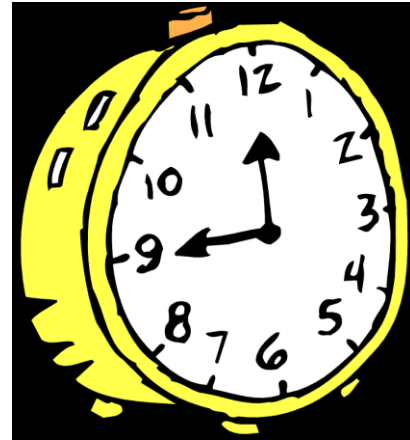
What has a face and two hands but no arms or legs?

Solution

Riddle 1

What has a face and two hands but no arms or legs?

Solution



A clock

Riddle 2

What five-letter word becomes shorter when you add two letters to it?

Solution

Riddle 2

What five-letter word becomes shorter when you add two letters to it?

Solution

Short

Riddle 3

Which letter of the alphabet has the most water?

Solution

Riddle 3

Which letter of the alphabet has the most water?

Solution

C



Riddle 4

What starts with a P, ends with an E and has thousands of letters?

Solution

Riddle 4

Solution

What starts with a P, ends with an E and has thousands of letters?



Riddle 5

Why would a man living in New York not be buried in Chicago?

Solution

Riddle 5

Why would a man living in New York not be buried in Chicago?

Solution

Because he is still living

Riddle 6

**Where does Friday come
before Thursday?**

Solution

Riddle 6

**Where does Friday come
before Thursday?**

Solution

In the dictionary

Riddle 7

Mary's father has five daughters – Nana, Nene, Nini, Nono. What is the fifth daughter's name?

Solution

Riddle 7

Mary's father has five daughters – Nana, Nene, Nini, Nono. What is the fifth daughter's name?

Solution

It is Mary!

Riddle 8

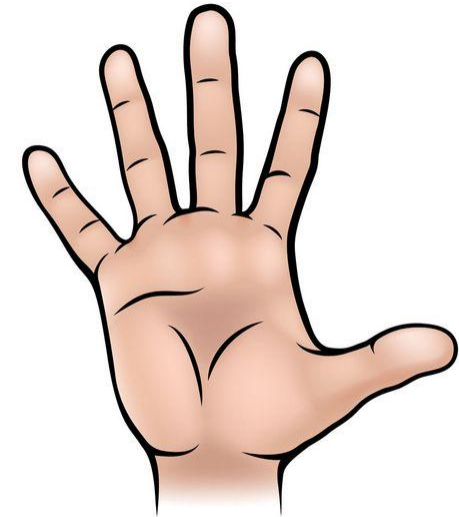
What kind of tree can you carry in your hand?

Solution

Riddle 8

What kind of tree can you carry in your hand?

Solution



A palm

Riddle 9

Why did Mickey Mouse become an astronaut (宇航员)?

Solution

Why did Mickey Mouse become an astronaut?

Riddle 9

Solution



He wanted to visit Pluto.

Riddle 10

**What's black and white
and blue?**

Solution

Riddle 10

What's black and white
and blue?

Solution



A sad zebra.

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