

Chinese New Year trivia

*Break your fortune cookies on these trivia tid-bits!
Answers on page two.*



1. What color is associated with luck and happiness?

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2. When will Chinese New Year occur in 2010?

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3. How is the date of Chinese New Year calculated?

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4. What is the job of the Kitchen God at New Year's?

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5. Why do families feed sticky rice or sticky candy to the Kitchen God?

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6. What do families do to scare away the predatory King?

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7. What must be done before New Year's Day to sweep away bad fortune?

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8. What is given to children and unmarried adults on the first day of the new year?

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9. What does "gong xi fa cai" literally mean?

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10. What does everyone go do on the second day of the new year?

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11. What happens for every person on the seventh day of the new year?

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12. When is the Lantern Festival, when the dragon dances in the street?

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13. Why is fish served for the New Year's dinner, but never finished?

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14. What are longevity, wealth, peace, wisdom, and righteousness?

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15. How many dishes make up a traditional New Year's dinner, and why?

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