

## **Lunar New Year Books and Resources**

### **Books – Vietnam: Tết, or Tết Nguyên Đán**

- Tết Together, by Alice Trinh
- This is Tết, by Bùi Phương Tâm
- Golden Blooms, by Y.T. Tran
- Tết in Vi, by P.W. Green

### **Books—Korea, or Seollal**

- All Year for One Day, by Tiffanie Lee
- Tomorrow is New Year's Day: Seollal, a Korean Celebration of the Lunar New Year, by Aram Kim
- Wish Soup, by Junghwa Park
- Korean Celebrations: Festivals, Holidays, and Traditions, by Tina Cho
- All about Korea: Stories, Songs, Crafts and Games for Kids, by Ann Martin Bowler
- Mindy Kim and the Lunar New Year Parade, by Lyla Lee – Chapter book series
- The Kite Fighters, by Linda Sue Park

### **Books – Taiwan**

- Chloe's Lunar New Year, by Lily LaMotte

### **Books – Malaysia**

- Boys Don't Fry, by Kimberly Lee

### **Books – China**

- Amy Wu and the Lantern Festival, by Kat Zhang
- Ruby's Chinese New Year, by Vickie Lee
- Goldy Luck and the Three Pandas, by Natasha Yim
- The Night Before Lunar New Year, by Natasha Wing and Lingfeng Ho
- The Nian Monster, by Andrea Wang
- A Sweet New Year for Ren by Michelle Sterling
- Grumpy New Year, by Katrina Moore
- Playing with Lanterns, by Wang Yage
- Friends are Friends forever, by Dane Liu
- Home for Chinese New Year, by Jie Wie
- A New Year's Reunion, by Yu Li-Qiong
- Lin's Lucky Red Envelope, by Sennah Yee
- New Year, by Mei Zihan
- Nian, the Chinese New Year Dragon, by Virginia Loh-Hagan
- How to Catch a Dragon, by Adam Wallace
- Happy Chinese New Year: A Festive Counting Story, by Jannie Ho
- Chinese New Year: A Celebration for Everyone, by Jen Sookfong Lee
- Lunar Tale: A New Year's Adventure, by Stella Hong

- The Tray of Togetherness, by Flo Leung (Cantonese)
- Maisie's Chinese New Year, by Lucy Cousins

### Books – Chinese Zodiac

- Year of the Cat, by Richard Ho
- D is for Dragon Dance, by Yin Chang Compestine
- Dragon Dancer, by Joyce Chng
- The Great Race, by Christopher Corr
- Twelve in a Race, by Catherine Little
- The Race for the Chinese Zodiac, by Gabrielle Wang
- The Great Race: Story of the Chinese Zodiac (Traditional Chinese, English, Pinyin), by Ling and Eric Lee

### Books to do with some aspect of Lunar New Year, various cultures of origin

- The Lunar New Year Surprise, by Jade Wang
- Tastes of Lunar New Year, by Cheryl Yau Chiang
- Two New Years, by Richard Ho
- Amy Wu and the Patchwork Dragon, by Kat Zhang  
([https://school.teachingbooks.net/clp.cgi?master\\_id=76694&lf\\_id=10](https://school.teachingbooks.net/clp.cgi?master_id=76694&lf_id=10))

### Websites

- TedED, Chinese Zodiac: <https://ed.ted.com/lessons/the-myth-behind-the-chinese-zodiac-megan-campisi-and-pen-pen-chen>
- The Canadian Encyclopedia: [Lunar New Year in Canada | The Canadian Encyclopedia](https://www.thecanadianencyclopedia.ca/en/article/lunar-new-year-in-canada)
- Chinese New Year: <https://www.chinahighlights.com/travelguide/special-report/chinese-new-year/>
- How to perform Seollal Sebae: <https://canada.korean-culture.org/en/1265/board/919/read/128124>
- Vietnamese New Year, Tết: <https://vietnam.travel/index.php/things-to-do/tet-vietnam-lunar-new-year>
- The Vietnamese Zodiac: <https://ling-app.medium.com/vietnamese-zodiac-12-signs-and-wonders-b4b91bbf9e13> -- it's different than the Chinese Zodiac!
- Lunar New Year: <https://www.nypl.org/blog/2021/02/11/15-days-lunar-new-year>
- NPR, Lunar New Year Traditions in the Asian Diaspora: <https://www.npr.org/2022/02/01/1076304640/lunar-new-year-traditions-asian-diaspora>
- U of A, What Does Lunar New Year mean to you? <https://www.ualberta.ca/international/international-student-services/student-stories/lunar-new-year-celebrations.html>
- Various resources from ATA: <https://teachers-ab.libguides.com/lunarnewyear>
- Japanese New Year: <https://asiasociety.org/education/japanese-new-year>
- Japanese New Year: <https://justaboutjapan.com/do-japanese-celebrate-lunar-new-year/>
- Tibetan New Year, Losar: <https://buddhaweekly.com/losar/>