

Lesson Plan

Day 1: Fill out the KWL Chart to activate prior knowledge together. (Just what they Know and Want to know...)
Read or show the You Tube Video
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=guwPTBmuiN8
Story of Nian or show https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=_u-R-alq3_E Fortune Tales/The Story of Chinese New Year (this is my favorite) Students can make the Fun Facts About China Mini Book this day. (p.4)

Day 2: Have student make and read the Mini Book Chinese New year. Discuss traditions that we have that may be similar to what they have in China. (Family gathers...)
Make the Chinese Lantern (encourage coloring it red, talk about how important light is in their traditions) and hang in the classroom for decoration.

Day 3
Share CBeebies: Celebrating Chinese New Year video
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=1cRMRp9-Z08 Fill out the Pg. 7 (Food, Facts, Dress and Traditions) Then, have students color and cut out the dragon mask. Add a stick to make easily let them hold it. Review the traditions of the Chinese New Year.

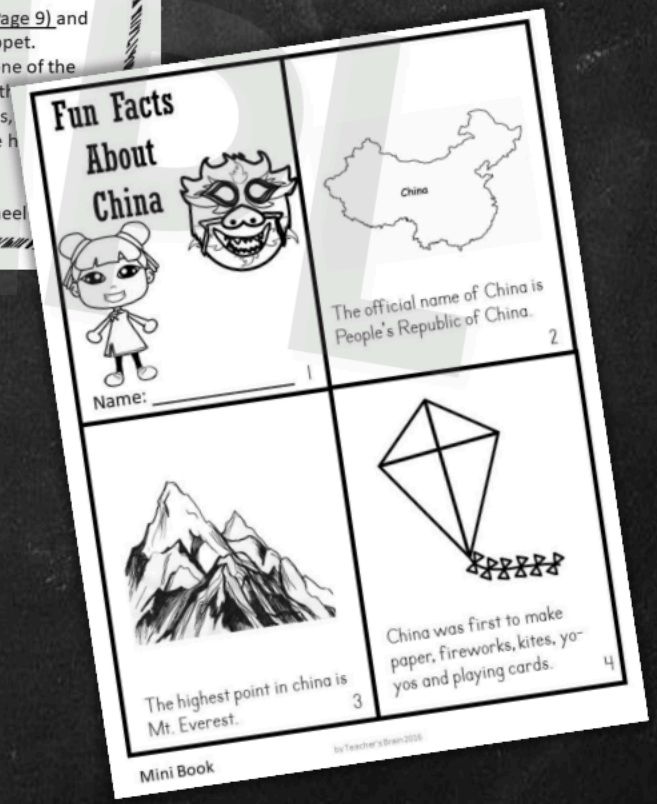
Day 4: Have them fill out the What I Learned (Page 9) and then have them make the paper bag dragon puppet.

Day 5: Fill in the rest of the KWL chart. Choose one of the writing pages to have student write about what th
End the unit with giving students fortune cookies,
Chinese music and let them use the graph to see h
of their classmates liked the fortune cookies.

BONUS Activity: Make the Chinese Zodiac Wheel

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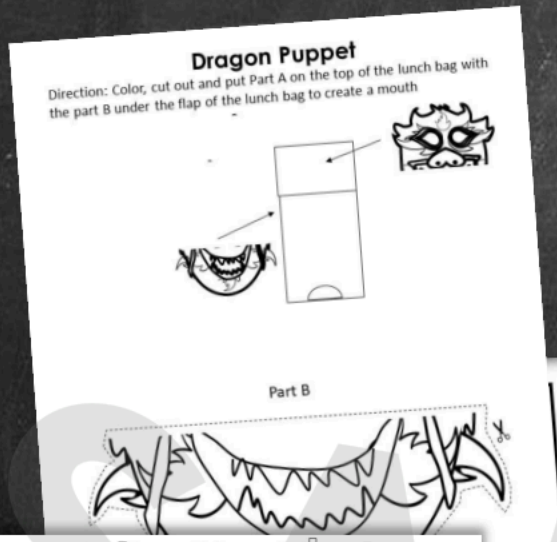
Video Links, Mini Books, Crafts, Writing

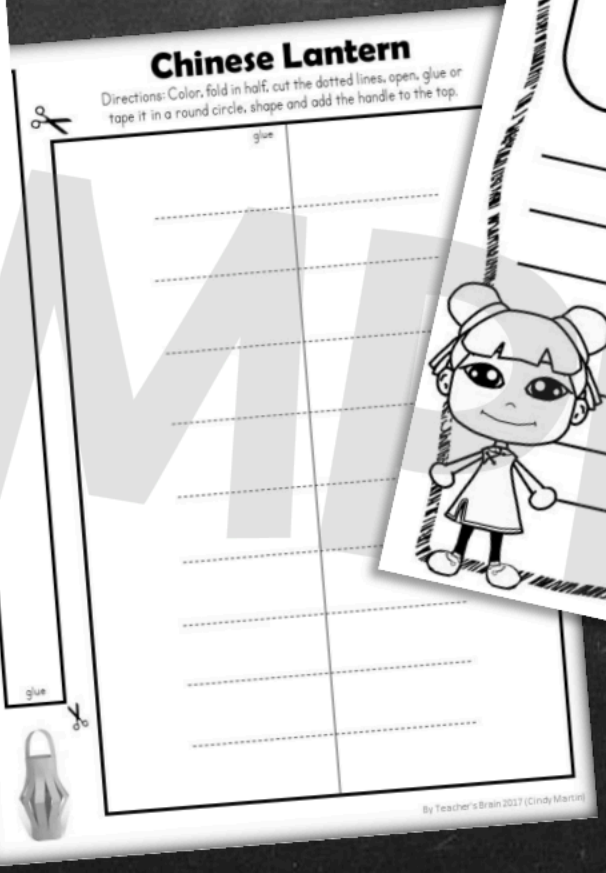
KWL Chart

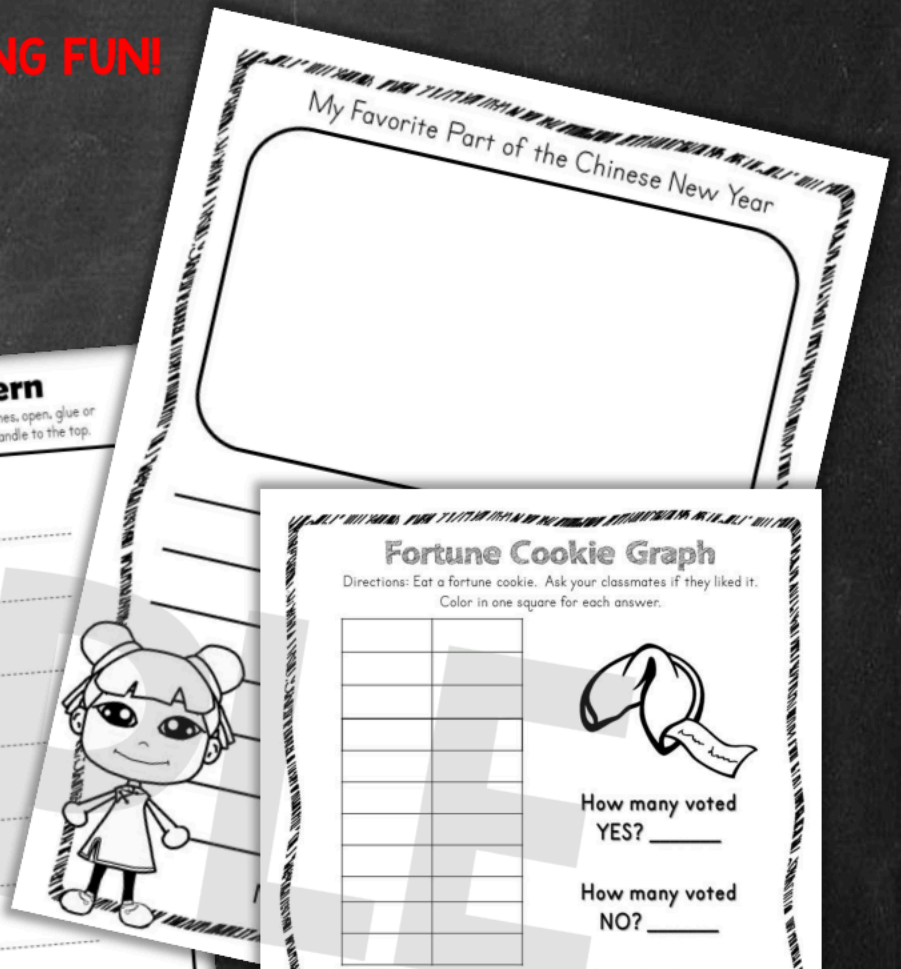
Graph Opinions about Fortune Cookies

Follow the plan or pick and choose! (Not everything is shown.) Primary and Intermediate lined paper provided.

Make LEARNING FUN!









SAMPLE