## **Storytime Friends**

## Happy Chinese New Year! Activity pack for January 2, 2023

Chinese New Year 2023 is a Year of the Rabbit, more specifically, Water Rabbit, starting from January 22nd, 2023, and lasting until February 9th, 2024.

## **Rabbit Lantern**

**Supplies:** Coloring sheet, transfer paper, scissors, hole punch, glue, crayons or markers, yarn or string

**1.** Create rabbit face and color in the rabbit with markers or crayons (darker colors).

**2.** Leaving about 1" unglued near the top of one ear, add a light line of glue along the black outer edge and cover with transfer paper, be sure the rabbit face is within edge of transfer paper.

3. Let dry.

**4.** Use black crayon or marker to go over your rabbit outline and features.

**5.** Use lighter markers or crayons to recolor rabbit, gently so that your transfer paper does not tear.

6. Cut out your rabbit along outer edge.

**7.** Punch hole in top of head between ears and add string.

8. When ready to light your lantern, crack glow stick and slide into the 1" slit left unglued and tape closed.







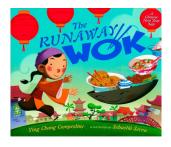
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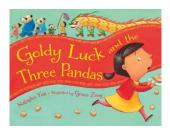
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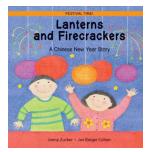






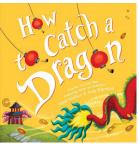














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