

UNIT 6. OUR TET HOLIDAY

SPEAKING

1.

Happy New Year!

Act as..... Phong:

Linda:

Linda: Phong, does Viet Nam celebrate New Years?

Phong: Yes, we do. We have Tet.

Linda: When is Tet?

Phong: At different times. This year, it's in January.

Linda: What do you do at Tet?

Phong: We clean our homes and decorate them with flowers.

Linda: Is Tet a time for family gatherings?

Phong: Yes. It's a happy time for everybody.

Linda: Great.

Phong: Yes, and another good thing about Tet is that children get lucky money.

Linda: That sounds interesting. Is there anything special people should do?

Phong: We should say "Happy New Year" when we meet people, and we shouldn't break anything.



2. Saying New Year's wishes:

- 1) Wishing you happy days from January to December.
- 2) Wishing you a year full of fun.
- 3) Wishing you happiness and cheers.
- 4) Wishing you a life full of happy moments.
- 5) Wishing you success in your studies.
- 6) Wishing you joy and laughter from January to December.

3.

Act as.....

B:

A:

A: How do people in Viet Nam celebrate their New Year?

B: People give rice to wish for enough food and buy salt to wish for good luck

A: How do people in Japan celebrate their New Year?

B: Temples ring their bells 108 times at midnight on December 31. By doing so, people believe the bad things of the past year will leave.

A: How do people in Thailand celebrate their New Year?

B: They throw water on other people to wash away bad luck.

A: How do people in China celebrate their New Year?

B: They dress beautifully and visit their relatives.

A: How do people in the USA celebrate their New Year?

B: They go to Times Square to watch the New Year's Eve Ball Drop.

A: How do people in Russia celebrate their New Year?

B: They bathe in an ice hole.

A: How do people in Spain celebrate their New Year?

B: They try to put 12 grapes in their mouth at midnight for good luck.

A: How do people in Switzerland celebrate their New Year?

B: They drop ice cream on the floor.

A: How do people in Romania celebrate their New Year?

B: They throw coins into a river for good luck.