

Lesson 11 中国的节日 Writing

B Look at the illustrations below. Ask and answer questions about what these people are busy doing, following the example below. INTERPERSONAL



Person A: 天明忙着做什么呢?
天明忙著做什麼呢?

Person B: 他忙着打扫房间呢。
他忙著打掃房間呢。

1



2



C Summarize the IC characters' routines using 先...再..., following the example below.

PRESENTATIONAL



having soup



having (other) food

张天明一般都先喝汤再吃饭。
張天明一般都先喝湯再吃飯。

1



doing homework



having dinner

2



working at the library



swimming at the athletic center

- D** Translate this advertisement into Chinese. Note that BLCU refers to Beijing Language and Culture University (北京语言大学/北京語言大學). PRESENTATIONAL

出租一居

One-bedroom apartment for rent. Close to BLCU and ten-minute walk from subway. TV, fridge, washing machine, air-conditioner, microwave, bed, desk, table, sofa, tea table, and so on... Internet and hot water 24 hours.

Telephone number: 158016XXXXX Joe

- E** Translate these dialogues into Chinese. PRESENTATIONAL

1 Q: What have you decided to do after the semester ends?

A: Go to New York to intern and find a job.

2 Q: Where you're from (你们那儿/你們那兒), can you set off firecrackers for the Spring Festival?

A: No. We can't buy firecrackers, either.

3 Q: What Thanksgiving traditions does your family have?

A: My family eats together on Thanksgiving. After lunch we watch American football. It's very lively in my house on Thanksgiving.

4 Q: How is the environment of your residential development?

A: The environment is very nice, very quiet. And it's very close to school, really convenient.

5 Q: Where did you go for the Spring Festival?

A: I went to Hangzhou to see my (maternal) uncle and aunt. They have a three-bedroom, one-dining room, one-living room, two-bathroom apartment. It's very comfortable [to live there].

Q: When did you get to Hangzhou?

A: I got to Hangzhou on New Year's Eve. My uncle and aunt took me to a restaurant, so we didn't have New Year's Eve dinner at their home.

Q: Do your uncle and his wife cook?

A: They really like cooking, but they are very busy with work. They often don't have time to cook.

Q: What do your uncle and aunt do?

A: My uncle is a university professor. My aunt is a lawyer.
