

## CELEBRATION AROUND THE WORLD

1 What do you know about celebrations in other countries?  
Listen and read.

**Celebrations around the world**

**Social Studies**

**Lin, China**

The Lunar New Year is in two months. We're going to decorate the house with beautiful paintings and red lanterns. On New Year's Eve, we're going to have a big family dinner. This year, I'm not going to go to bed early. I'm going to stay up to watch the fireworks on TV. On New Year's Day, my parents are going to give me money as a present. It is called an ang pow.

**Tom, US**

Tomorrow is the Fourth of July — Independence Day! We are going to celebrate with all of the family. We're going to have a barbecue. My dad is going to cook burgers. In the evening, we are going to eat ice cream, and we're going to watch the fireworks at the park! Independence Day is great!

### Activity 1

Read the passage and find the truth statement by putting  to the correct box

|   | They're going to....    | Lunar New Year | Independence Day |
|---|-------------------------|----------------|------------------|
| 1 | Decorate the house      |                |                  |
| 2 | Have a barbecue         |                |                  |
| 3 | Have a big dinner       |                |                  |
| 4 | Eat ice cream           |                |                  |
| 5 | Give money as a present |                |                  |
| 6 | Cook burgers            |                |                  |
| 7 | Watch fireworks         |                |                  |

### Activity 2

Complete the sentence with the word

lanterns

stay up

decorate

1. Children are not allowed to ..... as it is not good for health.
2. People are going busy ..... their house to celebrate Hari Raya
3. There are many red ..... hanging on the wall of Chinese's house.

