Celebrating Lunar New Year

Lunar New Year is a 15-day festival that begins with the new moon that occurs some time between January 21 and February 20. Festivities last until the full moon. The holiday is called the Lunar New Year because the dates of celebration follow the phases of the moon.

Paper Bag Dragon Activity

1. Help your little one cut a tongue from red paper. Then, cut 2 long rectangles from green construction paper and 2 ovals for eyes.

2. Use the bottom of the bag for the face of the dragon. Glue your pieces down to the flap on your paper bag, as shown on the left.

3. Cut the opening of the paper bag to create flaps. Color your dragon any way you want!

2023 is the Year of the Rabbit

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Click the books below to read more about this holiday!

- A New Years Reunion
  By Yu Li-Qiong

- Bringing in the New Year
  By Grace Lin

Activity Supplies:
- Paper bag
- Red and green paper
- Scissors
- Markers
- Glue

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