

CHINESE LANTERN

Lesson of the Day:

People from different countries do different things and have different traditions. Lunar New Year is a holiday in countries like China. It's good to learn about how people in other places do things differently so we can enjoy different things and know more. Be respectful of other cultures and you may just come across something amazingly fun!





Materials:

- Red Paper
- Gold glitter glue
- Brads
- Ribbon
- Yarn

Instructions:

- 1. Discuss the lesson of the day with your students. Talk about what it means to them.
- 2. Have students paint on red paper with gold glitter glue.
- 3. When the glitter glue dries, have them cut the paper into eight strips. If they need help, draw lines for them to cut along.
- 4. Have them attach the ends together with a brad. Splay out the strips in all directions in a circle.
- 5. Fold the strips down into a ball and affix the other side with another brad.
- 6. Add gold ribbon, curled, to the bottom, and yellow or gold yarn to the top to hang the lanterns by.