

# Dragon Express Chinese



春节

Chinese New Year

English	Chinese	Say:
1. Chinese New Year literally Spring Festival	春节	Chūnjié
2. Red envelope	红包	hóngbāo
3. Dumplings	饺子	jiǎozi
4. Firecrackers	鞭炮	biānpào
5. Lantern	灯笼	dēnglóng
6. Lucky Money	压岁钱	yā suì qián
7. Happy New Year!	新年好!	Xīnnián hǎo!
8. Happy New Year and may you be prosperous	恭喜发财	Gōngxǐ fā cái

## About the Tones in Mandarin Chinese

ā The 1st tone is high and flat

ǎ The 3rd tone falls, then rises

á The 2nd tone rises like a question

à The 4th tone falls sharply