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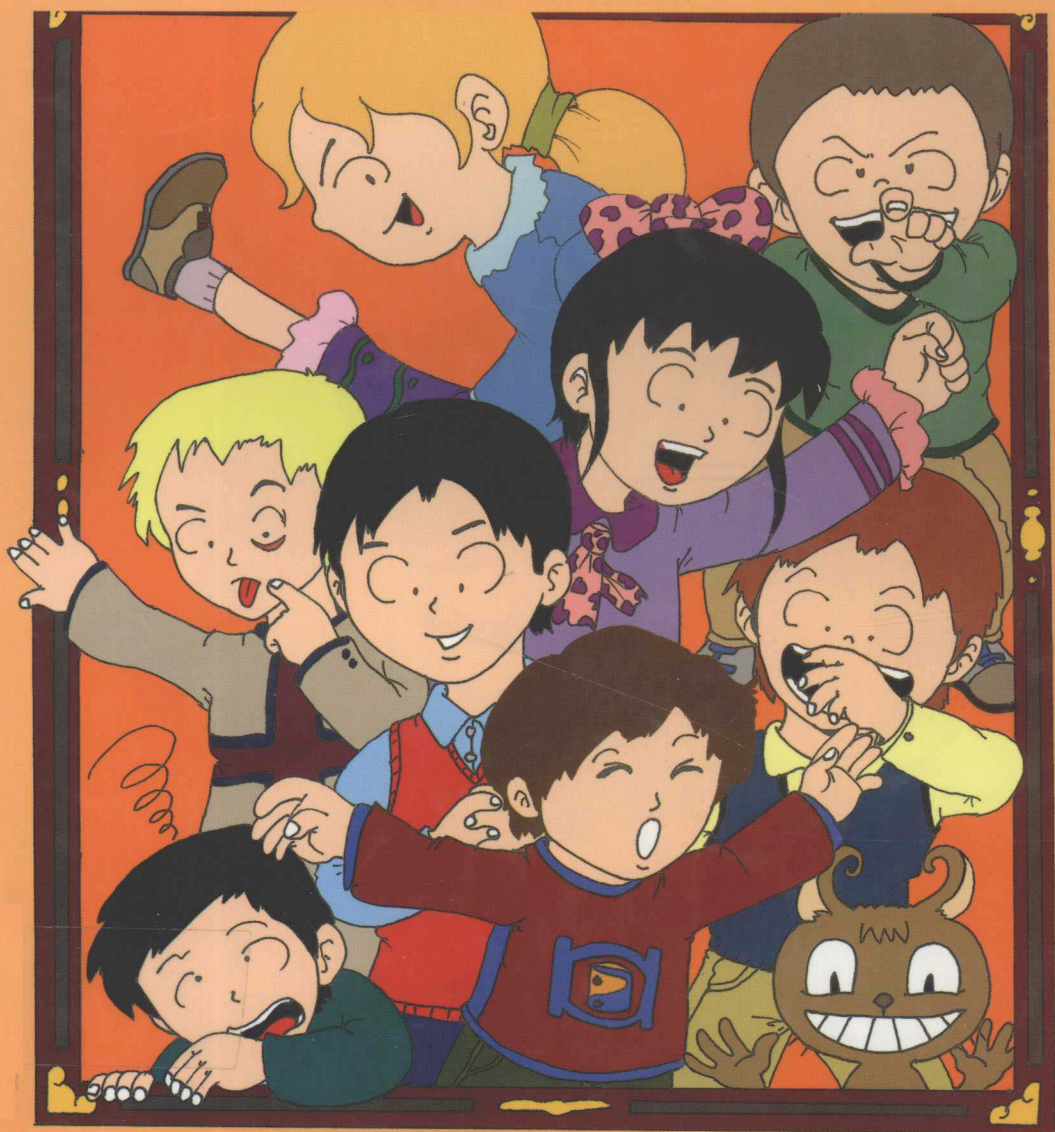


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亲爱的小朋友们：

你们可曾想过周游世界，在异国的土地上与各国的小朋友随意畅谈？你们可曾想过打开电脑，在因特网的王国里自由翱翔？你们可曾想过当自己长大成人之后，能够在广阔的世界舞台上发挥自己的聪明才智，和不同肤色、不同语言、不同种族、不同信仰的人走到一起，探讨如何把我们的地球村建设得更加美好，让我们的未来更充满希望？相信你们一定会有这样的想法，因为你们是新世纪的希望，代表了人类的未来。

要让全世界的人汇聚在一起，就离不开语言这条纽带，因为世界不同地区的人说着不同的话。有一个关于巴比伦塔的神话说：古时候，人类想建一座直入云天的高塔，作为直通天国的道路，上帝为了破坏人类的努力，让建塔的人说不同的语言。这样，由于相互之间无法交流，人们相互猜疑，相互埋怨，最后轰而散，高塔也随之坍塌。瞧，如果没有一种能够让人类自由交流的语言，我们怎能共同建设美好的地球村呢？

英语是目前国际交流中使用最广泛的语言。无论你走到任何地方，都能找到会说英语的人；只要你能说一口流利的英语，你就能跨越语言的障碍，在世界舞台上自由驰骋。学好英语，运用英语从事国际交流，是新一代青少年的希望，也是新一代人才的基本素质。

作为你们的前辈与学长，我们十分乐意帮助你们实现自己的愿望。我们编写的这套《英语》(English in Action) 系列教材，就是为了让你们在轻松愉快的环境下，学习和使用英语，了解各国的文化和风土人情，让你们在运用英语进行交流的同时，享受无穷的学习乐趣。

在这套教材里，我们给你们介绍四个新朋友：Katy, Susan, Mike 和 Ben。他们是你们的同龄人，有着和你们相同或相似的特点与想法，并将伴随着你们一起长大。通过他们的眼睛，你们将会看到更广阔的世界，了解同龄人的生活，了解他们的想法与希望，与他们一起分享快乐的人生。同时，我们还给你们带来一个惊喜——Tammy and Dommy，这一对来自不同星球的兄弟，将会给你们带来无穷的乐趣。

不仅如此，在使用这本书的时候，你们还会发现英语学习其实并不枯燥乏味，

相反，它会是生动有趣的。当你们唱着那些熟悉的曲调，朗诵那些流畅的诗歌时，你们将会发现语言韵律的美妙；当你们看着那些美丽的插图，玩着喜爱的游戏时，就会发现在不知不觉地使用英语和伙伴们交流。你们会觉得英语和汉语一样，并不神秘，它只不过是人类表达思想和情感的一种工具，而且是一种十分有用的工具。它能够扩展你的视野，让你接触各种各样的文化和思想，让你在知识的海洋里能更自由地遨游。

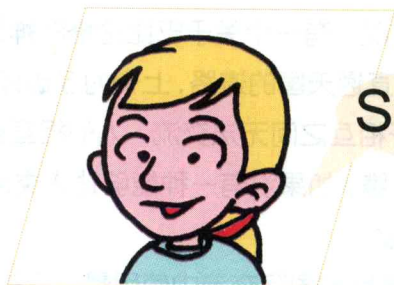
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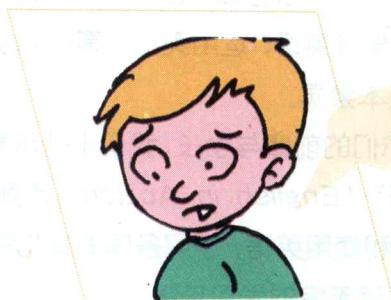
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Mike



Ben



Tammy



Dommy



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Unit One Festivals and Holidays

Lesson One

A Rhyme



Labour Day

In the ^{Meril} merry month of May,
^{在五月} Boys and girls sing and say,
“Winter goes and spring comes,
Soon we are in the summer days.
May is the month for everyone,
^{May 1} Welcome, welcome, Labour Day!”





Unit One Lesson One

A Talk

Read and act.



Today is the Spring Festival. The children are visiting Wu Daming, their Chinese friend.

Daming: Dad, I would like you to meet my friends. This is Ben, this is Mike, this is Katy and this is Susan.

Children: Hello, Mr. Wu.

Mr. Wu: Hello. Here is the lucky money for you.

Susan: Thank you. But what's it for?

Mr. Wu: Today is the Spring Festival. We usually give lucky money to children.

Children: Thank you, Mr. Wu.

Mike: What do people usually do on the Spring Festival?

Daming: They visit friends and relatives. Families get together and have a big dinner.

Katy: We often have *jiaozi* for this festival.

Ben: Let's make *jiaozi* together.

Children: That's great!





Let's Say

1 Tell your partner which is your favourite festival.

What's your favourite festival?



the Spring Festival,
have *jiaozi* (dumplings)

It's the Spring Festival, because
I can get lucky money.



the Mid-autumn Festival,
have moon cakes



the Dragon Boat Day,
have boat races



the Lantern Festival,
watch lantern shows

2 Read the rhyme aloud.



A man is carrying a bag,

The bag is full of eggs.

A cat jumps on his bag,

And he drops all his eggs.



Unit One

Lesson One

Let's Act

1 Match the pictures with the festivals and holidays.

A. Children's Day

B. National Day

C. Lantern Festival

D. Mid-autumn Festival

E. the Spring Festival

F. Dragon Boat Day



2 Write the festivals and holidays under the right dates.

New Year's Day

Women's Day

May Day

Children's Day

Teachers' Day

China's National Day

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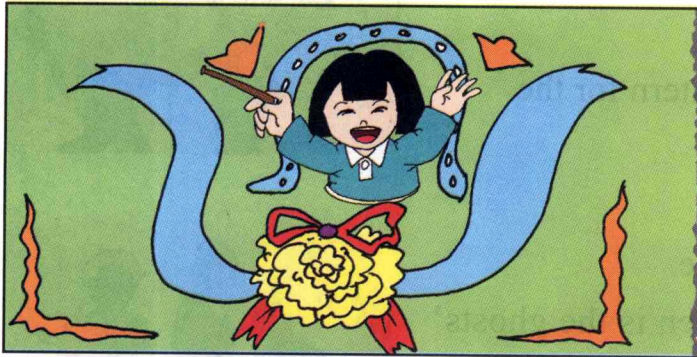
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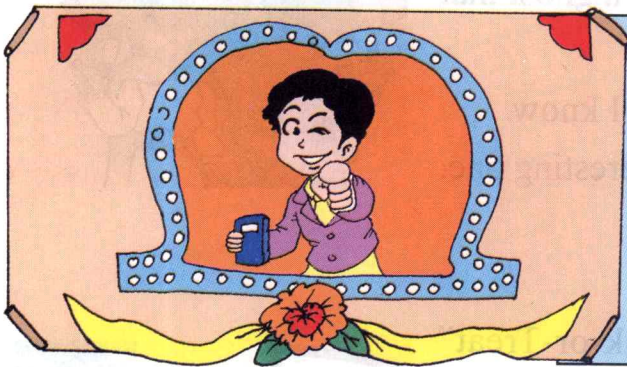


Fun Time

Work in groups. Make a greeting card for one of your teachers. Write greetings on it for the coming Teachers' Day. See whose card is the best.



Happy Teachers' Day!



Many thanks
for your hard
work!



I like this card.




But I like that one.



Unit One Lesson One

Tammy and Dommy

Look, read and understand. 

Dommy: Tammy, what are you doing with the pumpkin?

Tammy: I'm making a jack-o'-lantern for the coming Halloween.



Dommy: Ugh, it's ugly and terrible.

Tammy: Of course it is. Halloween is the ghosts' day. Everyone is dressed like a ghost that day.



Dommy: It's the most horrible holiday I know.

Tammy: Yes, but it is also the most interesting one.

Dommy: How come?

Tammy: Because you can play "Trick-or-Treat" with your neighbours.

Dommy: What's the play about?

Tammy: You knock at the door of your neighbours. When they open the door, you say, "Trick-or-Treat." Then they will give you sweets.



Dommy: Trick-or-Treat?

Tammy: Help! Help!





A Song



We Wish You a Merry Christmas

3/4

$\dot{5}$ 1 $\underline{1\ 2}$ | $\underline{1\ 7}$ $\dot{6}$ $\dot{6}$ |
 We wish you a Mer-ry Christ-mas;
 $\dot{6}$ 2 $\underline{2\ 3}$ | $\underline{2\ 1}$ $\dot{7}$ $\dot{5}$ |
 We wish you a Mer-ry Christ-mas;
 $\dot{5}$ 3 $\underline{3\ 4}$ | $\underline{3\ 2}$ 1 $\dot{6}$ |
 We wish you a Mer-ry Christ-mas;
 $\underline{\dot{5}\ \dot{5}}$ $\dot{6}$ 2 | $\dot{7}$ 1 — |
 And a Hap-py New Year!
 $\dot{5}$ 1 $\underline{1\ 2}$ | 1 $\dot{7}$ — |
 Good ti- dings we bring
 $\dot{7}$ 1 $\dot{7}$ | $\dot{6}$ $\dot{5}$ — |
 to you and your kin;
 $\dot{5}$ 3 $\underline{3\ 4}$ | $\underline{3\ 2}$ 5 $\dot{5}$ |
 Good ti- dings for Christ-mas
 $\underline{\dot{5}\ \dot{5}}$ $\dot{6}$ 2 | $\dot{7}$ 1 — ||
 and a Hap-py New Year!





Unit One

Lesson Two

A Talk

Read and act.



Christmas is coming. Ben and his friends are decorating a Christmas tree. They are talking about Christmas.

Daming: You look happy today, Ben.

Ben: Yes. Christmas is coming, you know.

Daming: Christmas is your most important festival, isn't it?

Ben: Yes, it is. The most popular one, too.

Daming: What do you usually do on Christmas?

Mike: We usually get together for a big dinner.

Katy: And we give each other presents and visit relatives and friends.

Susan: We also decorate Christmas trees before Christmas.

Mike: Santa Claus will bring us presents, too.

Katy: I want to have a teddy bear this year.

Susan: I want to have a Barbie doll.

Ben: I'll hang a big stocking on the head of my bed.

Daming: Why?

Ben: So I can have many, many presents.





Let's Say

1 Ask your partner what American children usually do during these festivals.

What do American children usually do during Christmas?

They often give each other presents.



Christmas,
give each
other presents



Easter,
look for Easter
eggs in the grass



Thanksgiving Day,
eat turkey and
pumpkin at home



Halloween,
play "Trick-or-Treat"
with neighbours



National Day,
take part in
the parade



New Year's Day,
go to the firework
show in the park

2 Read the rhyme aloud. 

Christmas is drawing near,
Santa Claus is coming from the air.
He's riding on a reindeer,
And sending gifts everywhere.



Unit One

Lesson Two

Let's Act

1 Write your Christmas cards and put them on a Christmas tree.



2 Write the names of the festivals in the right place.

- Dragon Boat Day
- the Spring Festival
- Halloween
- the Lantern Festival
- Christmas
- Thanksgiving Day
- Easter
- Mid-autumn Festival

Chinese Festivals	Western Festivals