

In China and all over the world people are getting ready to celebrate the Chinese New Year.

These are some of the things they do.

They clean
their houses to
sweep away
any bad luck.



They give their
front doors a
new coat of
paint. Can you
guess what
colour? Why?



They put lots of
decorations up. Some are
outside, like this road in
London,



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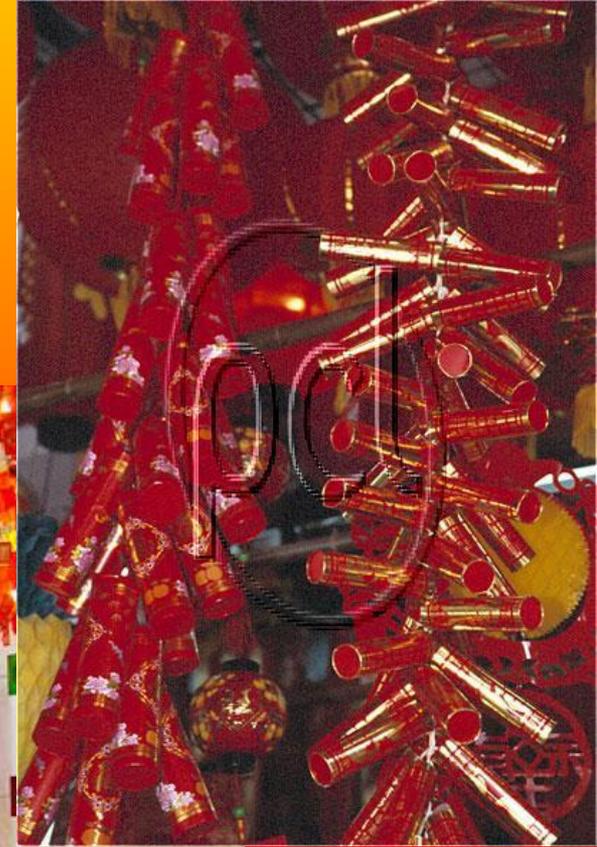
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廣民教寺鐘

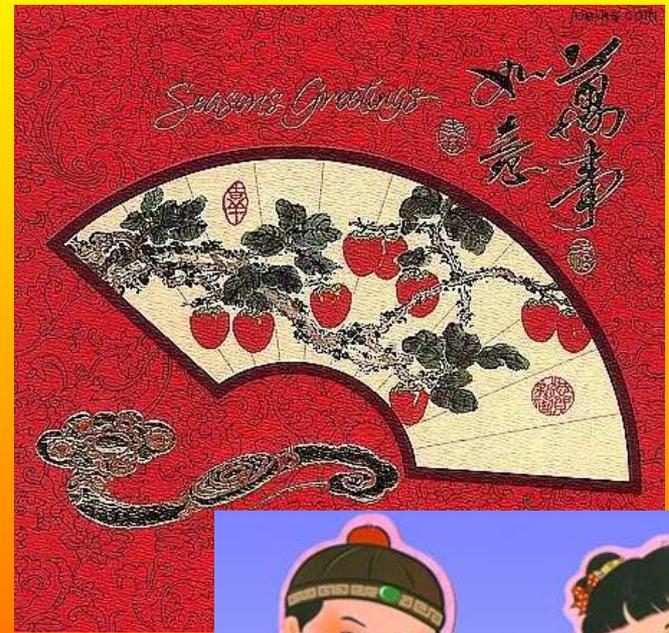
Golden Bazaar

GOLDEN BAZAAR

and some are inside, like these.



They send
New Year
cards to their
family and
friends





The children
get lucky
money packets
with shiny
coins in.



They buy new clothes to wear.



They have special food.



Outside they play really loud music and let off firecrackers (a kind of firework) that make a really loud noise.



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They do a
'Lion Dance'
using a huge
puppet.



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They let off beautiful
fireworks for everyone to
enjoy.

Happy New Year!

