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Lunar Symbols

Directions: Read each description carefully. Match it to the correct Lunar New Year symbol. Write the name of the symbol that best fits each meaning.

Lantern

Zodiac Animal

Dragon

Firecrackers

Gold Coins

Sticky Rice Cake

Red Envelope

Mandarin Orange

_____ 1. This bright red decoration lights up homes and streets, symbolizing joy and warding off bad luck.

_____ 2. This mythical creature dances through parades to bring good fortune and chase away evil spirits.

_____ 3. These shiny round objects are often given to wish wealth and success in the new year.

_____ 4. This envelope, often red and filled with money, is given to children for good luck and blessings.

_____ 5. This animal changes every year, representing one of twelve zodiac signs in a repeating cycle.

_____ 6. This loud tradition uses bursts of sound to scare away bad spirits and welcome the new year.

_____ 7. This sweet rice treat symbolizes togetherness and is often shared by families.

_____ 8. This fruit, round and golden, is offered to attract wealth and happiness.