How Chinese New Year began

Fireworks come to life at Chinese New Year. It is unclear when Chinese New Year started or why. It is commonly known during the Shang Dynasty (2300 BC). But the Chinese have this tradition where they fight against the year which is a mythical creature that looks like an ox with a lion's head.
THE YEAR OF THE MONKEY


The lucky numbers of the year of the monkey are 4 & 9 and the lucky colours are blue, white and gold.

It's lucky flowers are chrysanthemum and crape-myrtle.
THE YEAR OF THE ROOSTER

Other cultures celebrate Chinese New Year

All around the world people celebrate Chinese New Year. Every person gets to celebrate Chinese New Year for 14 days. A lot of people around the world have a Lantern Festival for Chinese New Year. They put a candle in the lantern and let it go into the sky and it looks amazing.
Food they eat at Chinese New Year

Throughout the Chinese New Year celebration people eat dumplings, New Year cake, tang yaun and laba congee. The most common Chinese New Year foods are dumplings, spring rolls, fish and niangao. There are some rules of how to plate the fish in Chinese New Year.
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