

LESSON NOTES

# Must-Know Cantonese Holiday Words S1 #5 Mid-Autumn Festivals

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# VOCABULARY

Traditional	Romanization	English	Class
中秋節	zung1 cau1 zit3	Mid-autumn Festival	noun, phrase
月餅	jyut6 beng2	mooncake	noun
月圓	jyut6 jyun4	full moon	phrase
燈籠	dang1 lung4	lantern	noun
碌柚	luk1 jau2	pomelo	noun

## SAMPLE SENTENCES

<p>中秋節之後嗰日係公眾假期。 zung1 cau1 zit3 zi1 hau6 go2 jat6 hai6 gung1 zung3 gaa3 kei4.</p> <p>The day after Mid-autumn festival is a public holiday.</p>	<p>中秋節係我哋嘅週年紀念日。 zung1 cau1 zit3 hai6 ngo5 dei6 ge3 zau1 nin4 gei2 nim3 jat6.</p> <p>"Mid-autumn festival is our anniversary."</p>
<p>今年我想試下整月餅。 gam1 nin4 ngo5 soeng2 si3 haa5 zing2 jyut6 beng2.</p> <p>This year I want to try making mooncakes.</p>	<p>個月餅太大個，我同你分咗。 go3 jyut6 beng2 taai3 daai6 go3, ngo5 tung4 nei5 fan1 aa1.</p> <p>The mooncake is too big, I'll share it with you.</p>
<p>人狼喺月圓之夜變身。 jan4 long4 hai2 jyut6 jyun4 zi1 je6 bin3 san1.</p> <p>Werewolves transform on the night of full moon.</p>	<p>有啲人話月圓之夜會瞓得唔好。 jau5 di1 jan4 waa6 jyut6 jyun4 zi1 je6 wui5 fan3 dak1 m4 hou2.</p> <p>Some people say that full moon affects your sleep.</p>

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呢個燈籠好靚。

*ni1 go3 dang1 lung4 hou2 leng3.*

This lantern is very pretty.

以前當有人結婚嘅時候就會掛紅燈籠。

*ji5 cin4 dong1 jau5 jan4 git3 fan1 gei3 si4 hau6  
zau6 wui5 gwaa3 hung4 dang1 lung4.*

In the past when people got married they would hang up a red lantern.

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呢個碌柚又甜又多汁。

*ni1 go3 luk1 jau2 jau6 tim4 jau6 do1 zap1.*

This pomelo is sweet and juicy.

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