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Chinese New Year is a major holiday in China and Chinese communities throughout the world. The last event of the 15-day celebration is the Lantern Festival. The dragon dance highlights festival celebrations in many areas.



The **Carnival of Venice** is an annual festival held in Venice, Italy. The carnival ends on Shrove Tuesday. The festival is famous for its elaborate masks.



The festival of **Uttarayan** marks the day when winter begins to turn into summer, according to the Indian Calendar. Many cities in Gujarat organise kite competitions where people compete with each other.

Key Vocabulary

Definition

1	Symbol	a letter, character or sign used instead of a word to represent something else
2	Quill	a feather formed into a pen for writing
3	Calligraphy	the art of beautiful handwriting
4	Festival	a day or period of celebration.
5	Traditions	the handing down of information, beliefs, or customs from one generation to another