

*For Advanced Kids Learners*

*Book 2*

# *Time to Talk*

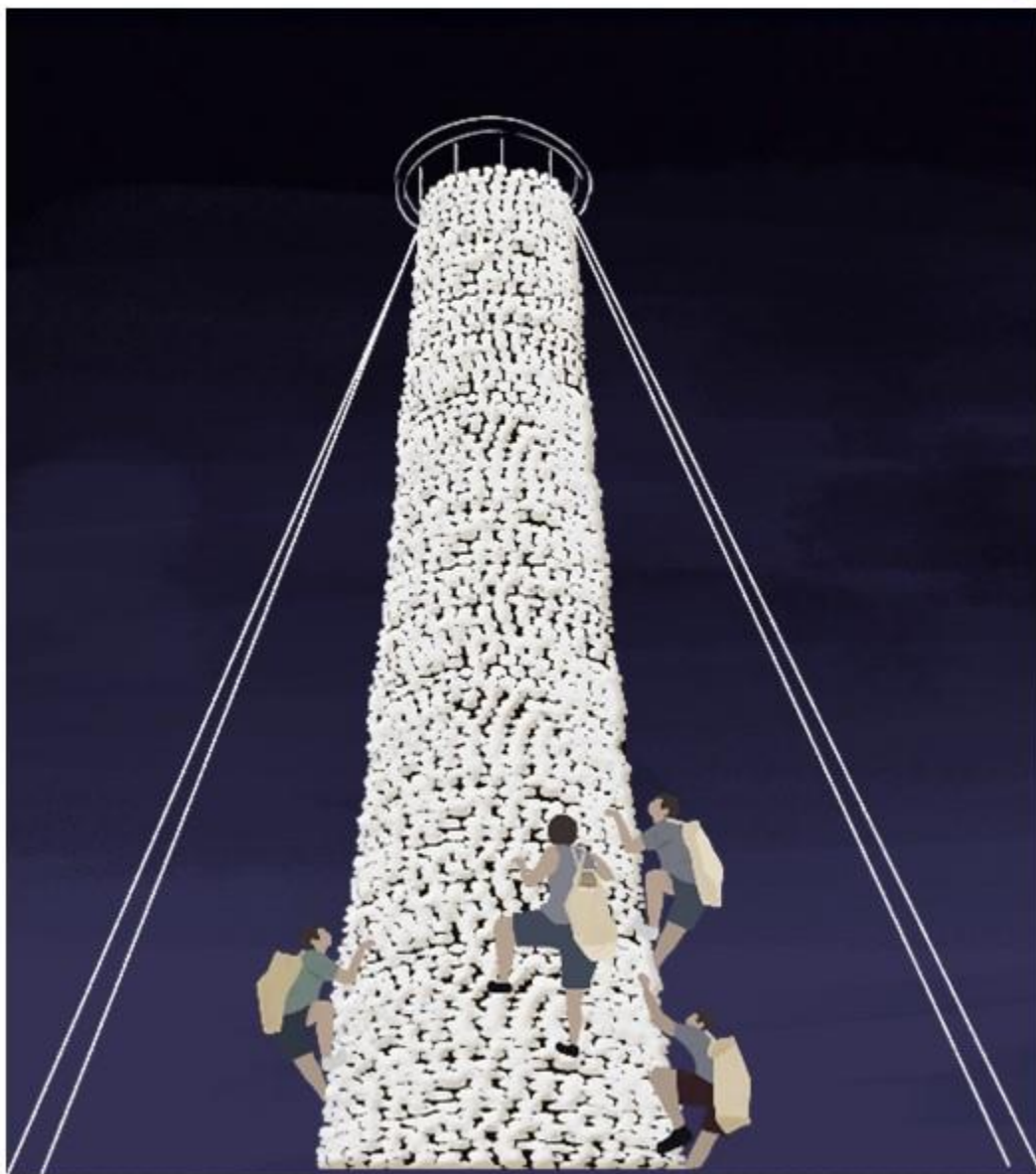
*Lesson 28 Strange Festivals – The Bun Festival*



- **Look and answer**

Do you know the festival about **buns**?

1. What are buns?
2. What are they doing?





- Read and learn.

## Strange Festivals – The Bun Festival

The Bun Festival is a **traditional festival** on the small **island** of Cheung Chau, 10 kilometers from Hong Kong. It happens on April 8th in **Chinese Lunar Calendar**.

Different celebrations begin before the day of the Festival. People enjoy the food, and see the Bun Towers and many other activities. Most people come on April 8<sup>th</sup> to watch the Bun Scrambling Competition.



Chinese Lunar Calendar



**traditional**  
following the old ideas  
that have not changed  
for a long time.



- **Read and learn.**

The Bun Towers are **set up** outside Pak Tai Temple. The buns are made from flour, water, sugar with different sweet **fillings**. The buns from the towers are given to the **locals** after the Festival. People believe these buns can bring good luck.

The Bun Festival is considered one of the **strangest** local festivals. Does that sound fun to you?

**filling**

*the food inside a sandwich, cake, pie, etc.*

**local**

*a person who lives in a particular place*

**strange**

*unusual or surprising, especially in a way that is difficult to understand*

• **Fill in the correct word.**

local

1. In China, I ate some \_\_\_\_\_ foods like spiders and scorpions.

temple

2. Each year, the Dragon Boat \_\_\_\_\_ is celebrated.

strange

3. Mom likes to put \_\_\_\_\_ on her bread.

filling

4. I lived here for 16 years, so I'm a \_\_\_\_\_.

festival

5. Every Chinese New Year, it's \_\_\_\_\_ to give lucky money.

traditional

6. We sometimes go to the \_\_\_\_\_ to pray.



- Grammar



## set up

*To ready for use by arranging parts or things.*

### Examples

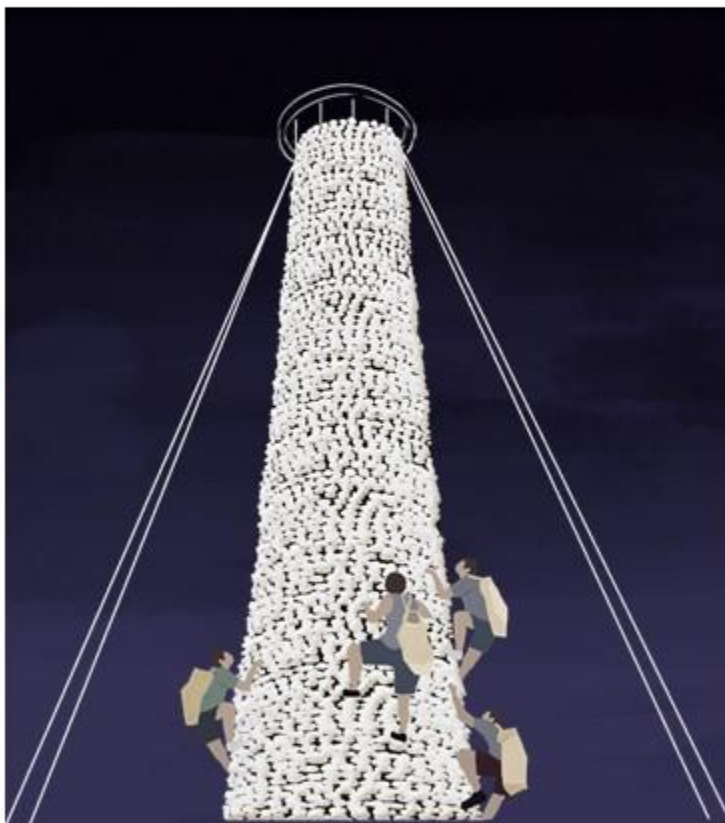
- The Bun Towers are **set up** outside Pak Tai Temple.
- The books on the shelf were **set up** neatly.



**+ There is a new school, what should be set up in classrooms?**

- **Talk more**

How do people celebrate the Bun festival?



What activities would you like to try if you were to join the festival? And why?