

## Suggested Answers

### Before You Read

- A. 1. According to 2. fireworks 3. Festival 4. celebrated 5. relatives 6. customs  
B. Answers will vary.

### Main Reading

#### Main Idea

Answers will vary.

#### Match

1. d 2. e 3. c 4. a 5. b

#### What Do You Think?

Answers will vary.

### After You Read

- A. 1. D 2. A 3. B 4. B 5. C

B. (1) railway (2) New Year (3) calendar (4) travel home (5) happiness (6) good fortune  
(7) couplets (8) saying goodbye to the past and welcoming the future/the crossing over  
from one year to the next (9) bad spirits and bad luck (10) envelopes

C. Answers will vary.