Chinese New Year

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My favorite festival is Chinese New Year. It is the most important festival in Chinese culture. Our family celebrates it every year.

I had a wonderful Chinese New Year this year. On New Year's Eve, my mom and I went to the flower market to buy flowers to decorate our home. We also went shopping for new clothes. At night, my family and I had a reunion dinner together. We had a lot of delicious dishes, such as dumplings, steamed fish and many other traditional dishes.

On the first day of Chinese New Year, I visited my relatives and received many red packets. At night, I had dinner with my family. We had our feast while we watched the parade on TV together.

On the second day of Chinese New Year, we went to Wong Tai Sin Temple to wish for good luck. It was very crowded there. Many teenagers wished for improvements in their studies. Some adults wished for success in their jobs.

It was a joyful Chinese New Year. I have a feeling that this year is going to be awesome. I wish everyone the best of luck in the Year of the Horse!

Teacher's Feedback: You have described your experience in detail and your ideas are well organized. Making a wish in the last paragraph is a good closing. (Miss Jacqueline Chun)