

# Chinese Restaurant Dramatic Play Center

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The Chinese Restaurant Dramatic Play will spark conversations about diversity and healthy foods as well as enhance literacy, math, and writing skills.



You can decorate one corner in your program with some Chinese banners and lanterns, set up a table with Chinese place mats, Chinese play food, and menus. The felt fortune cookies are from [GoldfishInspirations](#) on Etsy.

You can find free printable order forms and carry-out menu, and box labels at the website listed above. Simply print out labels and place them on the bags for carry-out orders.

## DIY Lo Mein for Dramatic Play

Cut up some noodle colored yarn. Then, cut out pieces of craft foam; brown for mushrooms, orange for carrots, and green for pea pods. I mixed it all together and put it in the take-out cartons- yum!

Add the following books to support play experience. [Bringing in the New Year](#) by Grace Lin, [Dim Sum for Everyone](#) by Grace Lin, [Fortune Cookie Fortunes](#) by Grace Lin, [Thanking the Moon](#) by Grace Lin

**This activity relates to the following measures on School Age DRDP: SSD 6-Awareness of diversity: appreciation of differences and similarities; Understanding healthy lifestyle-HLTH 2; Friendship-SSD 8**



**RABBIT**

1939, 1951, 1963, 1975, 1987, 1999  
Luckiest of all signs, you are also talented and articulate. Affectionate, yet shy, you seek peace throughout your life. Marry a Sheep or Boar. Your opposite is the Cock.



**DRAGON**

1940, 1952, 1964, 1976, 1988, 2000  
You are eccentric and your life complex. You have a very passionate nature and abundant health. Marry a Monkey or Rat late in life. Avoid the Dog.



**SNAKE**

1941, 1953, 1965, 1977, 1989, 2001  
Wise and intense with a tendency towards physical beauty. Vain and high tempered. The Boar is your enemy. The Cock or Ox are your best signs.



**HORSE**

1942, 1954, 1966, 1978, 1990, 2002  
Popular and attractive to the opposite sex. You are often ostentatious and impatient. You need people. Marry a Tiger or a Dog early, but never a Rat.



**SHEEP**

1943, 1955, 1967, 1979, 1991, 2003  
Elegant and creative, you are timid and prefer anonymity. You are most compatible with Boars and Rabbits but never the Ox.



**MONKEY**

1944, 1956, 1968, 1980, 1992, 2004  
You are very intelligent and are able to influence people. An enthusiastic achiever, you are easily discouraged and confused. Avoid Tigers. Seek a Dragon or a Rat.



**TIGER**

1938, 1950, 1962, 1974, 1986, 1998  
Tiger people are aggressive, courageous, candid and sensitive. Look to the Horse and Dog for happiness. Beware of the Monkey.



**OX**

1937, 1949, 1961, 1973, 1985, 1997  
Bright, patient and inspiring to others. You can be happy by yourself, yet make an outstanding parent. Marry a Snake or Cock. The Sheep will bring trouble.



**RAT**

1936, 1948, 1960, 1972, 1984, 1996  
You are ambitious yet honest. Prone to spend freely. Seldom make lasting friendships. Most compatible with Dragons and Monkeys. Least compatible with Horses.

## CHINESE ZODIAC



The Chinese Zodiac consists of a 12 year cycle, each year of which is named after a different animal that imparts distinct characteristics to its year. Many Chinese believe that the year of a person's birth is the primary factor in determining that person's personality traits, physical and mental attributes and degree of success and happiness throughout his lifetime. To learn about your Animal Sign, find the year of your birth among the 12 signs running around the border. If born before 1936, add 12 to the year you were born to find your year.



**COCK**

1945, 1957, 1969, 1981, 1993, 2005  
A pioneer in spirit, you are devoted to work and quest after knowledge. You are selfish and eccentric. Rabbits are trouble. Snakes and Oxen are fine.



**DOG**

1946, 1958, 1970, 1982, 1994, 2006  
Loyal and honest you work well with others. Generous yet stubborn and often selfish. Look to the Horse or Tiger. Watch out for Dragons.



**BOAR**

1947, 1959, 1971, 1983, 1995, 2007  
Noble and chivalrous. Your friends will be lifelong, yet you are prone to marital strife. Avoid other Boars. Marry a Rabbit or a Sheep.

# Chinese Restaurant Dramatic Play Accessories

**Thank you for downloading! I hope you and your students enjoy these dramatic play accessories.**

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## Label for Take-Out Bag

