

GEOFEST:

A FESTIVAL OF GEOGRAPHIC DIVERSITY

CAN'T-MISS TRAVEL TIPS!

{ALL, in your topic area, are required to be well covered in the Travel Guide!}

Unit 9- East Asia...(The Far East)

CULTURAL ACTIVITIES: traditional sports & games; traditional dance, music & instruments

MARTIAL ARTS	XIANGQI	PEACOCK DANCE	DIZI (FLUTE)
SUMO WRESTLING	MAHJONG	FAN DANCE	TAIKO DRUMS
WEIGI-GO	KABUKI THEATER	LION&DRAGON DANCES	SHAKUHACHI (FLUTE)
TANGRAMS	PEKING OPERA	BON ODORI DANCE	KOTO (ZITHER)
		GONGS	MORIN KHURR

{MULTIPLE INSTRUMENT/MUSIC AUDIO SAMPLES ARE A MUST!}

CULTURAL CELEBRATIONS: holidays & festivals, (religious, national, & regional);
traditional foods and cuisine {dietary laws/eating customs and rules}

LUNAR NEW YEAR	BON FESTIVAL	CHOPSTICK ETTIQUETTE	
MID-AUTUMN FESTIVAL	SHOGATSU	TEA	RICE
LANTERN FESTIVAL	TSAGAN SAR	SUSHI	NOODLES
QINGMING FESTIVAL	NADAAM	KIMCHI	SOY/ TOFU
	CHUSEOK	DUMPLINGS	MOONCAKES
		BUUZ	

CULTURAL EXPRESSIONS: traditional art, crafts, and architecture; traditional dress and costumes

CALLIGRAPHY	SILK	HIMEJI CASTLE	HANBOK
PORCELAIN	FANS	GREAT WALL	KIMONO/OBI
IKEBANA	ORIGAMI	YURTS	GETA/TABI
BONSAI	JADE	GYEONGBOKGUNG	DEEL
PAPER CUTTING	KITES	PALACE	QIPAO

CULTURAL COMMUNICATION: language & literature; folktales, fables, myths, & legends

CANTONESE/HAN	MONGOLIAN	PROVERBS	HAIKU
MANDARIN	CALLIGRAPHY	TALE OF THE GENJI	TANKA
KOREAN	CHARACTERS	HUA MULAN	TIBETAN MYTHOLOGY
JAPANESE	MANEKI-NEKO		

{MULTIPLE LINGUISTIC AUDIO SAMPLES ARE A MUST!}