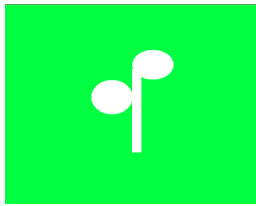


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## FROM THE EDITOR



- Time is flying! The Chinese School 2011 Fall semester is almost over. December 17th will be the last Chinese class for this semester. If you have already registered for two semesters, your position will be carried over. Starting December 12th, Ray will be allowing new students to register for next semester.
- As the holiday season approaches, our editors would like to say thank you for the parents' valuable support in making our CFL class successful. Happy Holidays!



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圣诞快乐



## 2012 spring calendar (Kennedy)

Dates	Week#	Events
<b>1/14/2012</b>	1	<b>First day of school</b>
1/21/2012	2	
<b>1/28/2012</b>	3	<b>Tuition due date</b>
2/04/2012	4	
2/11/2012	5	Spring festival celebration
2/18/2012	6	
2/25/2012	7	
3/03/2012	8	
3/10/2012	9	
3/17/2012	10	
3/24/2012		Spring break, no school
3/31/2012		Spring break, no school
4/07/2012	11	
4/14/2012	12	
4/21/2012	13	
4/28/2012	14	
5/05/2012	15	
5/12/2012	16	
5/29/2012	17	<b>Last day of school</b>

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新年吉祥

*Solve a Riddle*

- Carrying a heavy shell,
- Beach is where he dwell.
- All around he crawl.
- With head in and sprawled.

Answer: Turtle



# What's in a Chinese Character

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日  
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Word of  
the  
Month

日 5 strokes

Written character

元旦: New Year's Day

一旦: as soon as

The daily appearance of the sun (日) above the horizon (一) gave man his concept of dawn. From the sun's early rising rose the proverbial saying: "To get up early for three mornings is equal to one day of time" Man preached this – from the rising of the sun to its setting – but it never dawned on him to practice it.




Practice Chinese Characters here:

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### RCS Calendar and Holidays

#### December 2011

日	一	二	三	四	五	六
				1	2	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17 Last Day
18 Last Day	19	20	21	22	23	24
25 	26	27	28	29	30	31

#### January 2012

日	一	二	三	四	五	六
1 New Year	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14 First Day
15 First Day	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30	31				