



LET'S CREATE A PAPER LANTERN!

Keep Learning:

READ:

- [Lin Yi's Lantern](#) by [Brenda Williams](#) *A Moon Festival Tale*. Lin Yi wants a red rabbit lantern for the moon festival, but first he must buy the things his mother needs. Will he have enough money left?
- [Golden Domes and Silver Lanterns](#) by [Hena Khan](#) *A Muslim book of colors*. Magnificently capturing the colorful world of Islam for the youngest readers, this breathtaking and informative picture book celebrates Islam's beauty and traditions. From a red prayer rug to a blue hijab, everyday colors are given special meaning as young readers learn about clothing, food, and other important elements of Islamic culture, with a young Muslim girl as a guide.
- [Paper Lanterns](#) by [Stefan Czernecki](#) *Little Mouse loves paper lanterns with their impossible delicate beauty, and the way Old Chen's hands seem to effortlessly cut, paste, and paint his masterful creations. Little Mouse watches and learns until, when Old Chen can no longer make the lanterns, he finds his inner strength and his hidden talent. But more important than Little Mouse's achievement is the bond of friendship between him and Old Chen. The traditions of a culture and the magic of an art form are carefully preserved as they are passed from one generation to the next.*

WATCH:

[H is for Happiness \(2020\)](#) Based on the award-winning book *My Life as an Alphabet* by Barry Jonsberg, it is the genuinely heart-warming and unflinchingly honest story of one twelve-year-old's determination to unite her family and spark happiness in their lives.

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- [Tails & Tales Summer Reading 2021](#) Every summer for more than eighty years, the Metropolitan Library System has offered a Summer Reading program to keep kids and their families reading all summer long