



# Learning Mandarin in Taiwan

## Taiwan Lantern Festival

If the firework of Taipei 101 is “the fleeting marvel in the dark night,” Taiwan Lantern Festival makes “the landscape that will knock your socks off!” Evolving from the traditional Chinese festival, Taiwan Lantern Festival is hosted by different city annually to demonstrate the creativity and specialty of the respective city. It was even recognized by various international design awards, making it a tourist highlight of Taiwan. Do you want to see the lantern in the shape of bluefin tuna? Do you want to see the lanterns in variety along Love River? Join the crowd for a night tour!

### In the conversation, you will know:

1. The origin of Taiwan Lantern Festival;
2. Taiwan Lantern Festival being one of the world-class attractions;
3. The various international awards Taiwan Lantern Festival has received.

### After listening to the conversation, think about:

1. Why are there numerous cultures in the world organizing lantern festivals?
2. Which festival in the Chinese culture is the origin of Taiwan Lantern Festival?
3. What were the host cities of Taiwan Lantern Festival in 2019-2022, respectively? What were the features of their Main Lanterns, respectively?

### For more information, check out these websites:

- [2023 Taiwan Lantern Festival](#)





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## 臺灣燈會

如果將臺北 101 煙火形容成「黑夜中一瞬間的美景」，那臺灣燈會就是「會讓人停下腳步的風景畫」吧！由中華傳統節慶演變而來的臺灣燈會，以一年一城市的方式舉辦，展現出每個城市的創意和特色，甚至獲得各項國際設計大獎，成為臺灣的旅遊特色。想看看黑鮪魚造型的燈籠嗎？想沿著高雄愛河，觀賞各種特色燈籠嗎？快跟著人群，來一場夜景觀光之旅吧！

在對話中，你（妳）將會知道：

1. 臺灣燈會的由來。
2. 臺灣燈會是世界級的景點。
3. 臺灣燈會獲得許多世界大獎。

聽完對話，請你（妳）想一想：

1. 為什麼世界上許多文化都會舉辦燈會活動？
2. 臺灣燈會是源自於中華文化的哪個節日呢？
3. 2019 年至 2022 年，臺灣燈會分別由哪幾座城市主辦？主燈特色有分別是什麼？

如果想知道更多，你（妳）可以進入以下網站：

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