



## Tết All Around

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The first translated children's book on Tết from Vietnamese, celebrating Vietnam's many different traditions of welcoming the Vietnamese Lunar Year.

### Key Selling Points

- **Educational but fun!** Easy and accessible display of information that is informative for children (and adults) of all ages, accompanied by bright illustrations
- **Encourages cultural exchange and conversation:** dives into an important Vietnamese festival, showcasing the cultural and regional diversity of Vietnam and its history
- **Meaningful to Vietnamese diasporic communities:** a way for young diasporic children to connect with their heritage, an educational resource for diasporic parents, and a meaningful memento of their home country for older generations

### About the book

Tết is shared and yet deeply personal!

Spring in Vietnam means Tết, the most important celebration of the year. From gathering by the fire to wrap bánh chưng in the chilly northern wind to strolling hand in hand beneath the southern spring sun, the traditions may differ, but the festive spirit remains the same.

*Tết All Around* takes readers on a vibrant journey across Vietnam's regions and ethnic groups, showing the many ways families welcome the new year. With lively storytelling and stunning illustrations, this book captures the warmth, joy, and excitement of Tết, wherever it is celebrated.

### Praise for *Tết All Around*

'Tết All Around brings us on a celebratory journey through the heart of Vietnam -- from the north to the south, from the central highlands to the Mekong Delta --even to the heart of its people living abroad. From the traditional clothes, foods and customs representing different ethnic groups of Vietnam comes the special bond of shared heritage. Every page of this book, complete with watercolor illustrations, paints a portrait of a people and place that is sure to leave readers charmed.'

– Katy Dicus, World Kid Lit

'...a joyous and sumptuous celebration of the Vietnamese Lunar New Year, Tết Nguyên Đán - a much needed #ownvoice work in translation. Accompanied by beautiful illustrations, this educational book is filled with facts about the diversity of the rituals and customs around Tết as celebrated by the Vietnamese from the north to the south and its diasporas around the world.'

– Eva Wong Nava, bestselling children's author

'...A must for parents out there who would like to share the story of Tết with their children, and their children's children. Thank you Major Books for keeping the traditions alive for generations to come.'

– Tuyên Đỗ, actress and author of *Summer Rolls*

'A beautifully illustrated book that every Vietnamese child should own. The diversity of the country is reflected with such care, highlighting the range of our traditions across space and time.'

– Linh S. Nguyễn, author of *No Place Like Home*

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