

Chapter 18. Past Continuous Tense

Exercise. Fill in the blanks with the correct tense, simple past or past continuous, of suitable verbs:

Sunit was in Beijing last month.

He _____ when

he _____ a

loud noise in the street. He

quickly _____

the window to see what

_____.

A very interesting scene _____

his eyes. A giant golden dragon made of silk _____

down the street. The people pushing the dragon _____

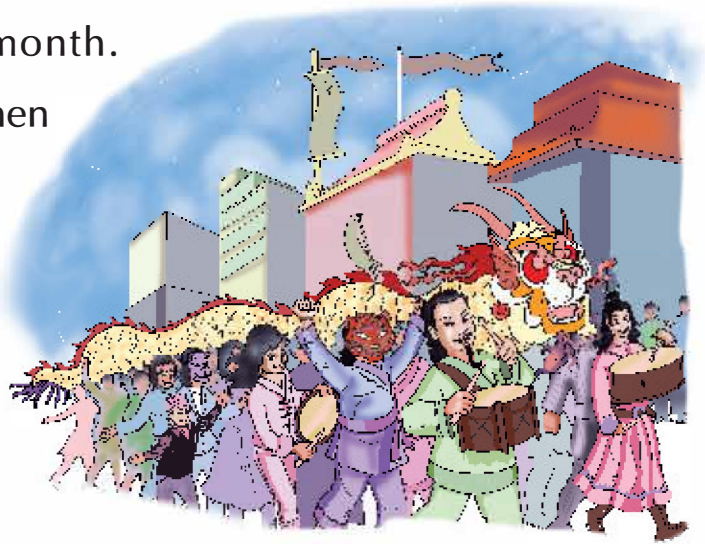
animal masks and _____ lanterns and flags in their

hands. Some of them _____ drums. Some of them

_____ crackers. Sunit _____ to his

Chinese friend Chang to ask what it was. Chang _____

him that the Chinese _____ their new year.



open

hear

beat

come

tell

turn

wear

fire

carry

greet

sleep

happen

celebrate