

## Scribe #64 – Chinese Inventions

AS YOU'RE LEARNING IN YOUR RESEARCH OF ANCIENT CHINESE DYNASTIES, THE CHINESE INVENTED MANY THINGS WE STILL USE TODAY.

Gunpowder was invented by the Chinese and initially only used for entertainment. Today, Chinese New Year is celebrated using fireworks, which are set off until dawn to attract the attention of friendly and kind gods and to scare away evil spirits.

How is that similar and different from how the United States uses fireworks?

