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おせち料理

おせち料理は日本のお芷竹のたべものです。とてもおいしいたべも のです。お正月のあさ、おぞうにをのみます。おぞうにはお正月の スープです。おとそものみます。おとそはおさけです。笈篷と しんせきのうちでもおせち料理をたべておぞうにをのんでおとそを のみます。おせちとおぞうにをおはしでたべます。たべものとのみ ものはされいないれものにいれてだします。

Japanese New Year's Food

Osechi Ryori is New Year's food in Japan. It is very good food. The morning of New Year's Day, we drink *ozoni*. *Ozoni* is New Year's soup. We also drink *otoso*. *Otoso* is sake. We eat *osechi ryori* and drink *ozoni* and *otoso* at the homes of friends and relatives. We eat *osechi* and *ozoni* with chopsticks. Food and drinks are put in pretty containers and served.

What do we eat in America in December?

Return to your group and share this information, in Japanese, with the members of your group. Compare this New Year's tradition with a similar tradition in this country or in your culture.

和ない

莽賀状は十二月にだします。でも一月一日にうちにつきます。 装塗、しんせき、笼垫、かいしゃのひとにおくります。 今年はひつじ年です。へいせい15ねんの一月から十二月ま でひつじ年です。「あけまして、おめでとうございます」と 年賀状にかきます。

アメリカに年賀状がありますか。なにをしますか。

New Year's Cards

Nengajos are sent in December. But, they will arrive at homes on January 1st. They are sent to friends, relatives, teachers, and people from work.

This is the year of the sheep. It is the year of the sheep from January through December of Heisei 15. "Congratulations on the New Year" is written on *nengajos*.

Are there *nengajos* in America? What do we do?

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