**INTEGRATED CHINESE Level 1 Part 1**

LESSON 3: Dates and Time

**Previewing Activity**

**Answer the questions in English.**

1. Think about how you write dates and times. What information comes first? What information do you write last? Provide an example.
2. Do you typically celebrate your own birthday? Why or why not?
3. What do people do to celebrate birthdays?
4. What do people eat on their birthdays?
5. What do people say to someone celebrating a birthday?

**Dialogue 1: Taking Someone Out to Eat on  
His/Her Birthday**

**Viewing Activities**

A. **Watch the video. Check True (对) or False (错).**

对 错

1. 9月12号是星期三。 ☐ ☐
2. 高文中今年18岁。 ☐ ☐
3. 高文中喜欢吃英国菜。 ☐ ☐
4. 高文中星期四请白英爱吃饭。 ☐ ☐

B. **Watch the video again. Circle the correct answer.**

1. 今年高文中的生日是星期四/星期五。
2. 高文中是英国人/ 美国人。
3. 高文中今年生日吃中国菜/ 美国菜。
4. 高文中星期四晚上七点半/ 八点半见白英爱。

**Post-Viewing Activity**

**What is your birthday? What day of the week is it this year? (Answer in Chinese.)**

**Dialogue 2: Inviting Someone to Dinner**

**Viewing Activities**

A. **Watch the video. Check True (对) or False (错).**

对 错

1. 现在五点三十。 ☐ ☐
2. 王朋明天六点一刻有事儿。 ☐ ☐
3. 明天是白英爱的生日。 ☐ ☐
4. 白英爱明天请高文中、王朋和李友吃饭。 ☐ ☐

B. **Watch the video again. Circle the correct answer.**

1. 王朋5:45/ 6:15有事。
2. 王朋今天/ 明天很忙。
3. 王朋认识/ 不认识李友。
4. 李友和王朋明天晚上6:30/ 7:30见。

**Post-Viewing Activity**

**Write a birthday dinner invitation in Chinese to one of your classmates.**

To: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

活动Activity: 吃中国/ 英国/ 美国菜

日期Date/Day: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ 时间Time: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

From: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Culture Minute**

**Viewing Activity**

**Watch the video. Answer the questions in Chinese.**

1. What time is it in the video?
2. By what date and time can the dressmaker finish making the clothes?
3. What time does the shop open every day?

**Post-Viewing Activity**

**Compare the way time and date is expressed in your language to the Chinese way.**