

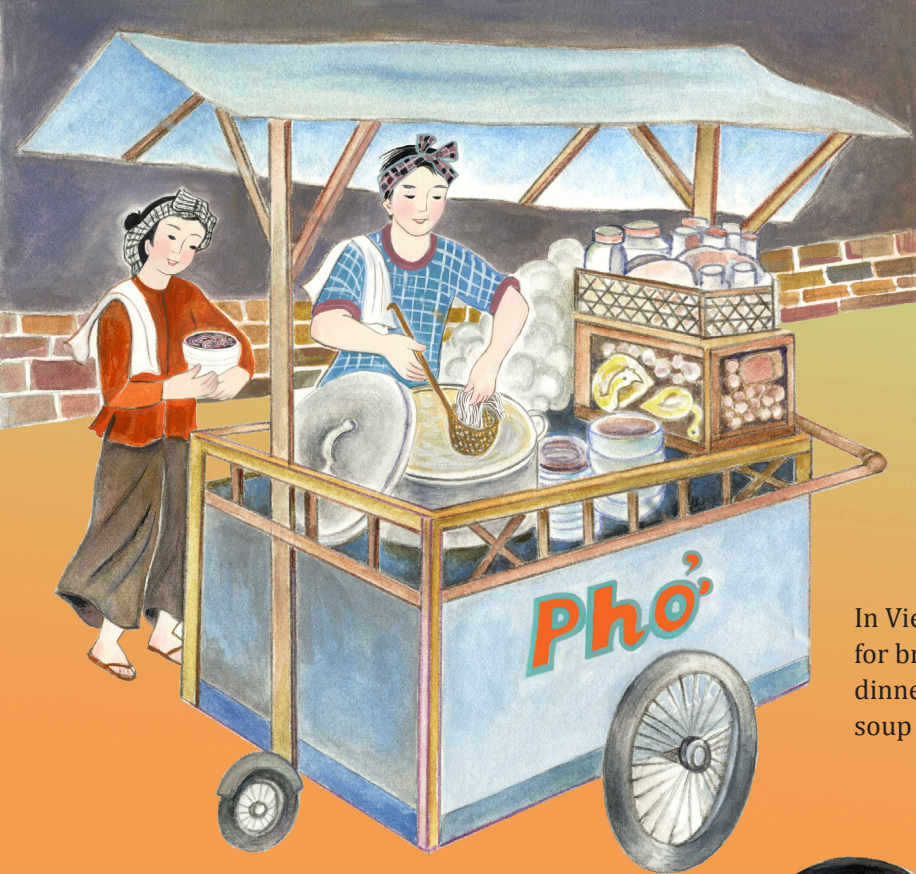
D is for **Đỏ**.

Red brings cheer
and lots of good luck
at the start of the year.

Red is found everywhere during *Tết*, the Vietnamese New Year—red clothes, red food, red flowers, and red envelopes called *lì xì* that are filled with money and given as gifts.

Remember that while **d** is pronounced dz, the letter **đ** is pronounced d, as in donkey.





Remember, **p** almost never stands alone at the beginning of a word, but is followed by **h**, except in the case of certain words borrowed from French, such as "pyjama." **Ph** is pronounced **f**, just like in English.

In Vietnam *people eat phở* for breakfast, lunch or dinner. Have you ever had soup for breakfast?

PH is for **Phở**.
a rice noodle soup
made with herbs and meat
and yummy broth.
Mmm-try a scoop!

