

**Discussion Questions*****Topic Talk***

1. Define the following words: *mythological creature*, *participate*
2. What is the festival all about?
3. Is the competition solely for Chinese individuals?
4. What makes this festival spectacular?

***Express Your Thoughts***

1. What do you think about the festival?
2. Is ice carving an easy work to do?
3. What is *art* for you?
4. Name some grand festivals you observe in your country.