

小中见大

Small Things Writ Large

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第一课 到了北京

坐了十多个小时的飞机，终于到北京了。虽然很累，可是也很兴奋，因为这是我第一次来中国。过海关的时候，排了很长的队。没想到，来北京的外国人这么多。

北京首都国际机场比我想象的大。过了海关以后，还得坐十多分钟的摆渡车才能到出口。北京机场也很现代化，还有很多免税店。有意思

终于	zhōngyú	adv.	at last; finally
累	lèi	adj.	tired
兴奋	xīngfèn	adj./adv.	excited; excitedly
过	guò	v.	to cross; to pass
海关	hǎiguān	n.	customs
排队	páiduì	v.-o.	to line up (排: to queue)
外国人	wàiguórén	n.	foreigner (外国: foreign)
首都	shǒudū	n.	capital (of a country)
国际	guójì	adj.	international
机场	jīchǎng	n.	airport
想象	xiǎngxiàng	v./n.	to imagine; imagination
分钟	fēnzhōng	n.	minute
摆渡车	bǎidùchē	n.	shuttle bus
出口	chūkǒu	n.	exit
现代化	xiàndàihuà	adj./n.	modernized; modernization (现代: modern)
免税店	miǎnshuìdiàn	n.	duty-free shop (免税: duty-free)

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的是，不少刚下飞机的乘客到这些商店买烟、酒、化妆品。在美国，我从来没见过这样的事情。

因为飞机晚点了，没能坐上学校接学生的大巴，所以我只好自己坐出租车。司机师傅是北京人，说话很快。他一听到我说中文，就夸我说得真好。可是，上课的时候，老师常常改正我的发音。北京人对外国人真是太客气了！

不少	bùshǎo	adj.	quite a few
乘客	chéngkè	n.	passenger
商店	shāngdiàn	n.	store; shop
烟	yān	n.	cigarette
酒	jiǔ	n.	alcoholic drink; wine; liquor
化妆品	huàzhuāngpǐn	n.	cosmetics (化妆: to put on makeup)
事情	shì.qing	n.	thing; matter
晚点	wǎndiǎn	v.	(of planes, trains, etc.) to be behind schedule
学校	xuéxiào	n.	school
接	jiē	v.	to pick up
大巴	dàbā	n.	large bus
只好	zhǐhǎo	adv.	have no choice but to; forced to
出租车	chūzūchē	n.	taxi
司机	sījī	n.	driver
师傅	shī.fu	n.	polite form of address for skilled laborers
夸	kuā	v.	to compliment; to praise
真	zhēn	adv.	really
改正	gǎizhèng	v./n.	to correct; correction
发音	fāyīn	n./v.-o.	pronunciation; to pronounce
客气	kè.qi	adj.	courteous; polite; kind

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“你是从哪儿来的？来北京做什么？”

“我是从美国来的，来这儿学中文。”

“你为什么学中文？”

我开玩笑说：“因为很多人都说中文很难，我想知道我够不够聪明。”

北京给我的印象还不错。可是我也有点儿失望：一路上，我只看到高楼大厦，没看到古老的城墙。我看到的北京跟想象中的很不一样。

开玩笑	kāi wánxiào	v.-o.	to joke (玩笑: joke)
够	gòu	adj./adv.	enough
印象	yìnxiàng	n.	impression
不错	búcuò	adj.	not bad; pretty good
失望	shīwàng	adj./adv.	disappointed; disappointedly
一路上	yí lù.shang	p.w.	the entire way
高楼大厦	gāolóudàshà	idm.	tall building; high-rise; skyscraper
古老	gǔlǎo	adj.	ancient
城墙	chéngqiáng	n.	city walls

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I. 词语搭配 *Collocation*

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|------------------------|---|
| 1. 这是 sb 第一次 VP | This is the first time sb. VP |
| 2. 过+海关 | to go through customs |
| 3. A 排在 B 的前面/后面 | A is ahead of/behind B in a line |
| 4. 下+飞机/车 | to get off a plane; to get out of a car |
| 5. A 给 B 化妆 | A applies makeup on B |
| 6. 飞机/火车+晚点 | flight/train delayed |
| 7. 坐上+大巴/出租车 | to get on a bus/to get in a taxi |
| 8. 改正+发音 | to correct pronunciation |
| 9. A 对 B+很/不+客气 | A is very/not courteous to B |
| 10. A (没/不) 跟 B 开玩笑 | A jokes with B; A didn't /doesn't joke with B |
| 11. A 给 B 的印象很好/不错 | A gives B a very/pretty good impression |
| B 对 A 的印象很好/不错 | B's impression of A is very/pretty good |
| 12. Sth./sb. 还 + 不错/可以 | something/somebody is not bad/acceptable |
| 13. A 让 B 很/有点儿+失望 | A was very/a little disappointing for B |
| B 对 A 很/有点儿+失望 | B was very/a little disappointed in A |

II. 句型结构 *Sentence Pattern and Structure*

1. V (了) time duration 的 O

This structure denotes the duration of an action or an event (expressed by the verb phrase). Thus, the verb in this structure should be a durative verb. Also note that the duration of the action or event should be put between the verb and the object.

- a. 坐了十多个小时的飞机，终于到北京了。
After flying for more than ten hours, I finally arrived in Beijing.
- b. 我爷爷每天都跑半个小时的步。
My grandfather runs half an hour every day.

2. Num. 十/百/千/万 wàn + 多 + m.w. + N

more than a multiple of ten/hundred/thousand/ten thousand items or people

Num. (半/-九) + m.w. + 多 + N (e.g., 半个多小时 or 三块多钱)

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more than (half/1-9) ...N (e.g., more than half an hour/three dollars)

- a. 坐了十多个小时的飞机，终于到北京了。

After flying for more than ten hours, I finally arrived in Beijing.

- b. 我的 T 恤衫很便宜，只要七块多钱。

My T-shirt is very cheap; it only cost a little over seven dollars.

3. ...with great effort or difficulties..., 终于 achieve a goal

终于, which can be rendered as “in the end, eventually” is often used to emphasize that one achieves the goal after making great effort, or experiencing a long delay, or encountering a series of problems.

- a. 我坐了十多个小时的飞机，终于到北京了。

After flying for more than ten hours, I finally arrived in Beijing.

- b. 你要的书，我跑了三家书店，终于找到了。

The book you wanted, I went to three bookstores and finally found it.

4., 没想到,

没想到 here is a discourse marker expressing that the speaker didn't expect or never would have thought of a certain scenario.

- a. 过海关的时候，排了很长的队。没想到，来北京的外国人这么多。

When passing through customs, there was a long queue. I never would have thought there would be so many foreigners coming to Beijing.

- b. 过了海关以后，还得坐十多分钟的摆渡车才能到出口。没想到，北京首都国际机场这么大。

After passing through customs, you must take a shuttle bus for more than ten minutes in order to reach the exit. I did not expect that the Beijing Capital International Airport would be this big.

5. (S) 得...prerequisite...才能 achieve a goal

This structure introduces the prerequisite, or a prior condition, for somebody to achieve a goal, or for something to happen.

- a. 过了海关以后，还得坐十多分钟的摆渡车才能到出口。

After passing through customs, you must take a shuttle bus for more than ten minutes in order to reach the exit.

- b. 你得到中国才能看到长城。

Only by going to China can you see the Great Wall.

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6. S 从来没 V 过(O)

The subject has never done something before, or up until a given time. However, the subject may experience it in the future or after a certain time point.

- a. 在美国，我从来没见过这样的事情。

I have never encountered anything like this in the United States.

- b. 来北京以前，我从来没看过中国电影。到了北京以后，我看了三次中国电影。

Before coming to Beijing, I had never seen a Chinese film. After arriving in Beijing, I have watched three Chinese movies.

Compare: S 从来不 VP

The subject does not have a habit of doing something, implying that the subject is unlikely to change this habit in the future.

- c. 美国人从来不吃狗肉，他们以前不吃，现在不吃，以后也不会吃。

Americans never eat dog meat; they didn't eat it in the past, don't eat it now, and will not eat it in the future.

7. ...unfavorable situation..., S 只好 VP

只好 emphasizes that the subject has no choice but to take a specific action due to the unfavorable circumstances outlined in the first clause.

- a. 因为飞机晚点了，没能坐上学校接学生的大巴，所以我只好自己坐出租车。

Because the flight was delayed, I couldn't take the school bus that was picking students up, so I had no choice but to take a taxi on my own.

- b. 今天下大雨，我只好在家看书。

It was raining heavily today; I had no choice but to stay at home and read.

8. S 一 VP₁ 就 VP₂

As soon as VP₁ occurs, VP₂ takes place immediately or shortly after. This sequential event chain can describe either a specific situation, as shown in (a), or a habitual situation, as shown in (b).

- a. 他一听到我说中文，就夸我说得真好。

As soon as he heard me speak Chinese, he praised me for speaking very well.

- b. 他一喝咖啡就头疼。

As soon as he drinks coffee, he gets a headache.

9. S 是 time/place/manner + VP 的

This pattern is used to report or acquire further information (usually the time, place, manner, or other circumstantial aspects) about a past action or event. Please take note of the following:

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(i) the action already took place and is known to those taking part in the conversation. For instance, in (b), it is clear that the listener has *arrived in Beijing*, which is a known fact to both the speaker and the listener. The speaker can then use the 是...的 structure to acquire additional information, such as 你是什么时候到北京的? *When did you arrive in Beijing?* Note that if one is to acquire information about an action that has yet to happen, the 是...的 structure is not used, instead, one would ask, 你明天什么时候到北京? *When will you arrive in Beijing tomorrow?*

(ii) If one is to acquire or report a series of facts regarding an action or event that has already occurred using the 是...的 structure in one sentence, it usually follows the order of time, place and means or manners. For instance, in (c), 他是昨天(time)从上海(place)坐火车(means)来北京的, which is quite different from the word order in English.

- a. 你是从哪儿来的?
Where did you come from?
- b. 你是什么时候到北京的?
When did you arrive in Beijing?
- c. 他是昨天从上海坐火车来北京的。
He arrived in Beijing yesterday by train from Shanghai.

10. 够/不够 + **positive Adj.** enough (to reach a certain extent); sufficiently
Note: the negative form of this pattern is more commonly seen than its affirmative form.
- a. 因为很多人都说中文很难，我想知道我够不够聪明。
Because a lot of people say Chinese is very difficult, I want to know if I am smart enough.
 - b. 弟弟不够高，拿不到桌子上的东西。
My brother is not tall enough to reach the things on the table.

11. S 想/不+知道+A 不/没 A/...**interrogative...**

The subject wants to know or does not know whether (or not) ...

When unsure about a situation, one will use a question form in the subordinate clause in Chinese, such as including A-not-A or an interrogative.

- a. 因为很多人都说中文很难，我想知道我够不够聪明。
Because a lot of people say Chinese is very difficult, I want to know if I am smart enough.
- b. 我不知道他去没去过北京。
I don't know whether he has been to Beijing or not.
- c. 我知道他去过北京，但是我不知道他是什么时候去的。
I know he has been to Beijing, but I don't know when he went.

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12. A 跟/和 sb. 想象中的一样/不一样 A is exactly as what somebody imagined/ A is different from what somebody imagined

A 比 sb. 想象的+Adj. A is more Adj. than somebody thought

These patterns are used to describe how reality is the same as or different from what someone imagined.

- a. 我看到的北京跟想象中的很不一样。
The Beijing I saw was very different from what I imagined.
- b. 北京首都国际机场比我想象的大。
Beijing Capital International Airport (PEK) is bigger than I thought.

III. 词语辨析 *Synonym Differentiation*

1. 事情 vs. 东西

Although both can be translated as “things,” 事情 refers to a matter of concern, event, or situation while 东西 refers to an (often inanimate) object or item.

- a. 不少刚下飞机的乘客在这些商店买烟、酒、化妆品。在美国，我从来没见过这样的事情。
Many passengers who have just gotten off the plane go to these shops to buy cigarettes, alcohol, and cosmetics. I have never encountered anything like this in the United States.
- b. 桌子上是什么东西？
What is that thing on the table?

2. 有点儿 vs. 一点儿

有点儿+ negative adj.: 有点儿 is often followed by negative adjectives (e.g., 累 *tired*/ 紧张 *nervous*/ 贵 *expensive*) or emotion verbs (e.g., 失望 *disappointed*), indicating a small degree in an undesirable situation.

一点儿+ noun: 一点儿 is followed by a noun, meaning a small quantity of an entity.

- a. 北京给我的印象还不错，可是我有点儿失望。
Beijing gave me a pretty good impression, but I was a bit disappointed.
- b. 早上妈妈给了我一点儿钱，让我买早餐。
My mother gave me some money in the morning so I could to buy breakfast.

IV. 繁体字课文和英文翻译

Text in Traditional Characters and English Translation

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Arrived in Beijing

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坐了十多個小時的飛機，終於到北京了。雖然很累，可是也很興奮，因為這是我第一次來中國。過海關的時候，排了很長的隊。沒想到，來北京的外國人這麼多。

北京首都國際機場比我想像的大。過了海關以後，還得坐十多分鐘的擺渡車才能到出口。北京機場也很現代化，還有很多免稅店。有意思的是，不少剛下飛機的乘客到這些商店買煙、酒、化妝品。在美國，我從來沒見過這樣的事情。

因為飛機晚點了，沒能坐上學校接學生的大巴，所以我只好自己坐出租車。司機師傅是北京人，說話很快。他一聽到我說中文，就誇我說得真好。可是，上課的時候，老師常常改正我的發音。北京人對外國人真是太客氣了！

“你是從哪兒來的？來北京做什麼？”“我是從美國來的，來這兒學中文。”“你為什麼學中文？”我開玩笑說：“因為很多人都說中文很難，我想知道我夠不夠聰明。”

北京給我的印象還不錯。可是我也有點兒失望。一路上，我只看到高樓大廈，沒看到古老的城牆。我看到的北京跟想像中的很不一樣。

After flying for more than ten hours, I finally arrived in Beijing. Although I was tired, I was also very excited, because this was my first time in China. When passing through customs, there was a long queue. I never would have thought there would be so many foreigners coming to Beijing.

Beijing Capital International Airport (PEK) is bigger than I thought. After passing through customs, you must take a shuttle bus for more than ten minutes in order to reach the exit. Beijing Airport is also very modern and there are many duty-free shops. Interestingly, many passengers who have just gotten off the plane go to these shops to buy cigarettes, alcohol, and cosmetics. I have never encountered anything like this in the United States.

Because the flight was delayed, I couldn't take the school bus that was picking students up, so I had no choice but to take a taxi on my own. The driver was a Beijinger and spoke quickly. As soon as he heard me speak Chinese, he praised me for speaking very well. However, during class, my teacher often corrects my pronunciation. Beijingers are truly too kind to foreigners!

“Where did you come from? What are you doing here in Beijing?” “I came from the United States and came here to learn Chinese.” “Why are you learning Chinese?” I joked: “Because a lot of people say Chinese is very difficult, I want to know if I am smart enough.”

Beijing gave me a pretty good impression. But I was also a bit disappointed. On the ride, I only saw high-rise buildings but no ancient city walls. The Beijing I saw was very different from what I imagined.

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课后习题 Exercise

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一、选词填空 (Fill in the blanks with the correct words. Each word can only be used once.)

A 兴奋 B 排队 C 想象 D 夸 E 现代化

1. 现在的中国越来越_____，用手机就可以买东西，太方便了。
2. 今天我去了一家商店，卖东西的老板 (lǎobǎn, boss) 一看到我就_____我帅。
虽然我不知道他是不是真的觉得我帅，但是我还挺高兴的。
3. 在机场免税店，买烟、酒、化妆品的人很多，所以常常得_____。
4. 这是我第一次去男朋友的家，我很_____，可是也很紧张。
5. 你_____中的中国跟你看到的中国是一样的吗？

F 接 G 司机 H 印象 I 出口 J 古老

6. 在美国，每天学校的车都会来小学生的家_____他们去上学。
7. 这个机场真大，我不知道从哪儿出去，找了十多分钟，终于找到了_____。
8. 我们学校有很多_____的大楼，这些大楼 1776 年以前就有了。
9. 今天我坐出租车，开车的_____说话很有意思。他一说话，我就想笑。
10. 我对这里的人的_____是他们对别人都很客气，也很喜欢帮别人。

二、近义词练习 (Complete each sentence by choosing the proper synonym.)

1. 事情 东西
桌子上是什么_____？
你今天来找老师，是有什么_____吗？
2. 有点儿 一点儿
这件衬衫_____小，你有大号的吗？
朋友今天给我买了_____水果。

三、词语搭配 (Please pair the term in the left column with the most appropriate term in the right column. Each one in either column can only be used once. Then use the completed

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phrases to complete the sentences. You can change the order of words and add more information if needed.)

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|----------|------|
| (C) 改正 | A 车 |
| () 下 | B 海关 |
| () 火车 | C 发音 |
| () 过 | D 晚点 |

Example : (C) : 改正 + 发音

我的中国朋友从来不改正我的发音，因为他觉得那是老师的工作。

Or

老师常常说，发音错了，就应该改正。要是你的发音不对，别人就会听不懂。

1. 这里的冬天常常下大雪，所以_____，有的时候还会在路上等几个小时。
2. 我坐公共汽车过来找你，请问我应该在哪一站_____。
3. _____的时候，你得先准备好你的护照 (hùzhào, passport) 。

- | | |
|-----------------|---------|
| () sb.1 对 sb.2 | A 很客气 |
| () sb.1 让 sb.2 | B 开玩笑 |
| () sth. 给 sb. | C 的印象很好 |
| () sb.1 跟 sb.2 | D 很失望 |

4. 他这次考试考得很不好，不想让父母知道，他觉得他_____。
5. 他有考试，现在很紧张，你不要_____。
6. _____，机场很现代化，还有很多饭馆和免税店。
7. 中国人_____，常常一听外国人说中文，就夸他们说得很好。

四、完成句子 (Complete the sentence or dialogue with the given item in parentheses.)

1. A : 你今天好像很忙，你做了什么事情？
B : _____。(V 了 time duration 的 O)
2. A : 在你们学校的书店，T 恤衫 (T xùshān, T-shirt) 贵不贵？
B : _____。
(Num. 十/百/千/万+多+ m.w. +N or Num. (半/一-九)+ m.w. +多+ N)

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3. A: 这本书你是怎么找到的?

B: 找这本书太麻烦了, _____。

(...with great effort or difficulties..., 终于 achieve a goal)

4. A: 你今天晚上不是要和小王吃饭吗? 怎么回来了?

B: _____。(..., 没想到...)

5. A: 回到家以后你想做什么? 睡觉吗?

B: 我还有一点儿作业, _____。

((S) 得...prerequisite...才能 achieve a goal)

6. A: 你以前吃过北京烤鸭吗?

B: _____, 这是我第一次吃。(从来没 V 过(O))

7. A: 中国人很喜欢喝热水, 美国人呢?

B: _____。(S 从来不 VP)

8. 我喜欢走路去学校, 可是今天下雨了, _____。

(...unfavorable situation..., S 只好 VP)

9. A: 在北京, 坐出租车方便吗?

B: 很方便, _____。(S — VP₁ 就 VP₂)

10. A: 这个房间怎么样?

B: _____, 我想再看看别的。(不够 Adj.)

11. A: 你朋友吃过饭了吗? 要是他还没吃饭, 让他来跟我们一起吃。

B: _____, 他现在很忙, 可能没有时间。(不知道 V 没 V)

12. A: 你的老师有孩子吗?

B: 我听说他有孩子, 但是_____。(不知道...interrogative...)

13. A: 这是你第一次来北京, 你觉得北京怎么样?

B: _____。(A 比 sb.想象的+Adj.)

五、翻译 (Translation: The underlined parts indicate where the grammatical patterns should be used.)

1. This cosmetic product costs a hundred yuan in stores, but it's only more than seventy yuan at the duty-free shops at the airport. Therefore, some passengers go straight to the

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duty-free shop to buy cosmetics as soon as they get off the plane. I'm curious to know, is this cosmetic product expensive in the United States?

(multiples of ten+多+ m.w. + N; S — VP₁ 就 VP₂; 想/不+知道+Adj.不 Adj./V 没 V)

2. He really wanted to read Chinese books, but his Chinese wasn't good enough before, so he had to make an effort to learn Chinese first. After studying Chinese for three years, he finally became able to understand them.

(终于; 只好; 不够+Adj.; V 了 time duration 的 O)

3. Last month, my friend and I visited Tianjin (天津). We took the train to get there. It was my first time taking a train in China, so I was very excited. I thought it would take more than an hour to arrive, but to my surprise, we arrived in just over half an hour. Along the way, I saw many tall buildings, China is becoming more and more modern, which is different from what I had imagined.

(Num. (半/一-九) + m.w. + 多 + N; 得...才能...; 是.....的; 这是 sb.第一次 VP; 没想到; A 和 sb.想象中的不一样)

六、作文 (Composition: Please write an article on the provided topic. Below are some questions for your consideration.)

1. ____ city ____ 给我的印象

请介绍一个城市 (chéngshì, city)。你第一次去的时候，这个城市给你的印象好不好？那里的交通 (jiāotōng, transportation)、环境 (huánjìng, environment)、建筑 (jiànzhù, architecture) 怎么样？那里的人怎么样？在那里发生 (fāshēng, happen) 了什么有意思的事情？你看到的城市跟你想象中的有什么不一样？

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第一天上课

今天是我第一次跟新老师见面，也是第一次跟新同学一起上课，有点儿紧张，但也很兴奋。在北京，早上的课八点就开始了。我担心迟到，所以昨天晚上定了闹钟，打算六点半起床。不过，早上闹钟还没响，我就已经醒了。

我是七点半到教室的。到教室的时候，老师正用粉笔在黑板上写字。跟老师打了招呼，我就找了个座位坐下。这间教室不大，只能坐下十几

同学	tóngxué	n.	classmate
紧张	jǐnzhāng	adj.	nervous
担心	dānxīn	v.	to worry
迟到	chídào	v.	to be late
定	dìng	v.	to set
闹钟	nàozhōng	n.	alarm clock
打算	dǎsuàn	v./n.	to plan; to intend; plan; intention
起床	qǐchuáng	v.	to get out of bed
响	xiǎng	v.	to sound; to ring
醒	xǐng	v.	to wake up
教室	jiàoshì	n.	classroom
粉笔	fěnbǐ	n.	chalk
黑板	hēibǎn	n.	blackboard
打招呼	dǎ zhāo.hu	v.-o.	to greet somebody
找	zhǎo	v.	to look for; to try to find
座位	zuòwèi	n.	seating; a place to sit
间	jiān	m.w.	measure word for rooms

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个人。教室前面的墙上是一块黑板。黑板的前面摆着一张桌子。桌子旁边放着多媒体设备。这里的教学设备很现代化，每间教室里都装着空调。在这样的环境里学习中文，挺舒服的。

到了八点，我们准时开始上课。老师很亲切，她的教学方法我也很喜欢。在课上，她一个字都没有让我们写，而是一直在让我们练习说话，帮助我们改正发音。老师说，把普通话说得字正腔圆才是真的学好了中

墙	qiáng	n.	wall
摆	bǎi	v.	to arrange; to display
旁边	pángbiān	p.w.	beside; to the side
放	fàng	v.	to place; to put
多媒体	duōméitǐ	n.	multimedia
设备	shèbèi	n.	equipment
教学	jiàoxué	n.	teaching; education
装	zhuāng	v.	to install; to load
环境	huánjìng	n.	environment; surroundings
学习	xuéxí	v./n.	to learn; to study; learning; studying
挺...的	tǐng...de	adv.	quite; pretty
舒服	shūfu	adj.	comfortable
准时	zhǔnshí	adj./adv.	punctual; punctually; on time
亲切	qīnqiè	adj./adv.	cordial; kind; cordially; kindly
方法	fāngfǎ	n.	method; approach
一直	yìzhí	adv.	continuously; all along
帮助	bāngzhù	v./n.	to help; to assist; help; assistance
普通话	pǔtōnghuà	n.	Mandarin Chinese
字正腔圆	zìzhèngqiāngyuán	idm.	very articulate pronunciation and vocalization

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文。以前，我觉得语法很难，但她用几个又简单又有意思的问题就让我学会了今天的语法。

时间过得真快！我们有说有笑，一节课很快就过去了。下午还有跟老师的个别谈话，我很期待。

简单	jiǎndān	adj.	simple
时间	shíjiān	n.	time
过	guò	v.	to pass (time)
有说有笑	yǒushuōyǒuxiào	idm.	talk and laugh (笑: to laugh)
节	jié	m.w.	measure word for segments (e.g., a class periods, chalks, trains, etc.)
过去	guòqù	v.	to pass by
个别谈话	gèbié tánhuà	n.	one-on-one session
谈话	tánhuà	v.-o./n.	to discuss; discussion
期待	qīdài	v.	to look forward to

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I. 词语搭配 *Collocation*

- | | |
|----------------------|-------------------------------------|
| 1. A (没/不) 跟 B 见面 | A (didn't/won't) meet with B |
| 2. A (没/不) 跟 B 一起 VP | A (didn't/won't) VP together with B |
| 3. 定+闹钟 | to set an alarm |
| 4. 闹钟/手机+响了 | alarm/cell phone rang |
| 5. A (没/不) 跟 B 打招呼 | A (didn't/won't) greet B |
| 6. 设备+很现代化 | equipment is very modernized |
| 7. 准时+上课/下课 | commence/conclude class on time |
| 8. 在课上 | in class |
| 9. 时间过得很快/慢 | Time passes really quickly/slowly |

II. 句型结构 *Sentence Pattern and Structure*

1. **S early time point / short time duration 就 VP 了**

This structure can be used to express that something happens or happened as early as a certain point in time or it only takes or took someone a very short time to complete a task. The adverb “就” stresses that the occurrence is earlier or shorter than previously expected. Note that the sentence final “了” is usually necessary.

- a. 在北京，早上的课八点就开始了。我担心我会迟到。
In Beijing, the morning class starts as early as 8 AM. I was worried about being late.
- b. 他吃饭吃得很快，五分钟就吃完早饭了。
He eats very quickly, finishing his breakfast in just five minutes.

2. **A 还没 VP₁, B 就已经 VP₂ 了**

Under normal circumstances, VP₁ usually precedes VP₂. This structure expresses that, contrary to what one would expect, VP₂ happens even before VP₁. It highlights the unexpected promptness or speed of the second action in comparison to the first one.

- a. 早上闹钟还没响，我就已经醒了。
I woke up before the morning alarm even sounded.
- b. 这个语法，老师还没教，他就已经学会了。他真聪明！
He already learned this grammar structure before the teacher even taught it. He's really smart!

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3. A VP₁ 的时候, B 正在 VP₂

The pattern is used to describe what B was doing at a specific point in time when A did something (VP₁). The first clause (A VP₁ 的时候) often indicates a specific moment or time point, while the second clause (B 正在 VP₂) emphasizes the ongoing action of B at that moment.

- a. (我) 到教室的时候, 老师正在黑板上用粉笔写字。

When I got to the classroom, the teacher was writing on the blackboard with chalk.

- b. 妈妈给我打电话的时候, 我正在跑步。

Mom called me as I was running.

4. S 用 tool VP

The subject does something with a certain tool.

- a. (我) 到教室的时候, 老师正在黑板上用粉笔写字。

When I got to the classroom, the teacher was writing on the blackboard with chalk.

- b. 他常常用电脑看电影。

I often use my computer to watch movies.

5. V 得/不+下 (V: 坐、装、摆、放、穿、吃、喝、住)

能 V 下

This potential complement structure is used to describe the capacity of something, meaning it is able/unable to hold something.

Note that of the two forms, the negative form V 不下 is more commonly used than the affirmative form V 得下. V 得下 is often used in a question, as shown in (b) and (d). In an affirmative statement, use 能 V 下 instead to describe the capacity of the said thing, as shown in (a).

- a. 我们的教室不大, 只能坐下十几个人。

Our classroom was not big; it could only seat around a dozen people.

- b. 这间教室摆得下二十张桌子吗?

Can this classroom fit twenty desks?

- c. 五个汉堡包太多了, 我吃不下。

Five hamburgers are too many; I can't eat them all. (My stomach doesn't have enough room for five hamburgers.)

- d. 这条裤子, 你穿得下吗?

Can you fit into these pants? (Do these pants have enough room to fit you?)

6. NP-localizer V-着 NP

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This construction describes the specific state of an entity at a certain place. This specific state, indicated by V 着, results from a preceding action (expressed by V). For instance, 墙上挂(guà)着一张画, literally “on the wall there *hangs* a picture,” indicates the picture is in a state of “hanging on the wall,” resulting from someone previously hanging or putting it up. Similarly, 墙上贴(tiē)着一张画, which means “on the wall there is a picture pasted,” describes a picture in the state of being pasted on the wall. Both sentences are more descriptive and vivid than 墙上有一幅画 (there *is* a picture on the wall), which simply notes the existence of a picture on the wall.

- a. 黑板的前面摆着一张桌子。桌子旁边放着多媒体设备。

In front of the blackboard, a table was set, and next to the table, multimedia equipment was placed.

- b. 这里的教学设备很现代化，每间教室里都装着空调。

The teaching equipment here is very modern, and every classroom is also equipped with air conditioning.

7. A 让/没让 B VP A asks/did not ask B to do something.

- a. 在课上，她一个字都没有让我们写。

In class, she didn't ask us to write a single word.

- b. 老师让我们多练习说话。

The teacher asked us to practice speaking more.

8. S — m.w. N 都没(有)/不 VP

This structure expresses complete negation and is often presented in a somewhat exaggerated way to make a point. For example, 我早上一口水都没有喝 *I did not even have a sip of water this morning*; depending on the context, the speaker might be complaining about how thirsty or exhausted they are. Therefore, the measure word used in this structure tends to refer to small qualities (e.g., 一口水 *a sip of water*).

- a. 在课上，她一个字都没有让我们写。

In class, she didn't ask us write a single word.

- b. 我现在很累，一句话都不想说。

I'm really tired right now; I don't want to say a single sentence.

- c. 今天的课太难了，我一个语法都没学会。

Today's class was too difficult; I didn't learn a single grammar point.

9. S 一直在 VP

This structure means that the subject was continuously doing or has been doing something continuously during a certain period of time.

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- a. 她上课的时候一个字都没有让我们写，而是一直在让我们练习说话。
In class, she didn't ask us write a single word, but kept asking us practice speaking and helped us correct our pronunciation instead.
- b. 今天早上我一直在上课，所以没有空儿给你打电话。
I was in class all morning, so I didn't have time to call you.

10. S 没有 VP₁, 而是 VP₂

The subject didn't do something, but instead did something else.

This is often a description of a past event/situation, which often deviates from the norm or from what one has expected.

- a. 她一个字都没有让我们写，而是一直在让我们练习说话。
She didn't ask us write a single word but kept asking us practice speaking and helped correct our pronunciation instead.
- b. 他下课以后没有去吃饭，而是跟同学一起做作业。
He didn't go eat after class but worked on homework with classmates instead.

11. 又 Adj.₁ 又 Adj.₂ both...and.../not only...but also...

Note that Adj.₁ and Adj.₂ must both be either negative or positive. The structure 又... 又... introduces two attributes in an exaggerated manner, which already implies a high degree. For example, when you say 她又聪明又漂亮 *She is both smart and beautiful*, these two features exemplify how wonderful and exceptional the subject is. Therefore, no degree adverb, such as 很 *very*, can be added in this construction.

- a. 老师用几个又简单又有趣的问题就让我学会了今天的语法。
The teacher used just a few simple and interesting questions to make/help me learn today's grammar.
- b. 她又聪明又努力，大家都很喜欢她。
She's both smart and hard-working; everyone likes her.

III. 词语辨析 *Synonym Differentiation*

1. 摆 vs. 放

摆: to put (objects in a particular order), to arrange, to exhibit

放: to put (may be with or without any order); to place; to lay

- a. 他的桌子上摆着几张家人的照片。
Several photos of his family were arranged on his desk.
- b. 那本书上放着一支笔。
A pencil laid on top of the book.

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2. 学 vs. 学习

学：as a transitive verb, it must be followed by an object, e.g., 学中文 *to study Chinese*.

学习：It can function as transitive verb (see a.) or intransitive verb (see b). It can function as a noun, too (see c).

- a. 你为什么要学/学习中文？

Why do you want to study Chinese?

- b. 我昨天晚上跟同学在教室里一起学习。

I studied with classmates in a classroom last night.

- c. 学习很重要，你每天都得学习。

Studying is very important. You need to study every day.

3. 真 vs. 真的

真：adv., really, truly, often in an exclamation, e.g., 她真漂亮！She is really beautiful!

真的：true, authentic (as oppose to false, fake); Unlike 真, 真的 is not a degree adverb, thus it can be put before other degree adverbs such as 很, 挺, 有点儿.

- a. 你穿这件衣服真好看！

You really look good wearing these clothes.

- b. 我没骗(piàn, to deceive)你，你穿这件衣服真的很好看。

I'm not deceiving you. You really do look good wearing these clothes.

- c. 桌子上的花不是真的。

The flowers on the table aren't real.

IV. 繁体字课文和英文翻译

Text in Traditional Characters and English Translation

第一天上課

今天是我第一次跟新老師見面，也是第一次跟新同學一起上課。有點兒緊張，但也很興奮。在北京，早上的課八點就開始了。我擔心遲到，所以昨天晚上定了鬧鐘，打算六點半起床。不過，早上鬧鐘還沒響，我就已經醒了。

First Day of Class

Today was the first time I met my new teacher and the first time I attended class with new classmates. I was a little nervous, but also very excited. In Beijing, the morning class starts as early as 8 AM. I was worried about being late, so I set an alarm clock last night and planned to get out of bed at 6:30 AM. However, I woke up before the morning alarm even sounded.

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我是七點半到教室的。到教室的時候,老師正在黑板上用粉筆寫字。跟老師打了招呼,我就找了個座位坐下。這間教室不大,只能坐下十幾個人。教室前面的牆上是一塊黑板。黑板的前面擺著一張桌子。桌子旁邊放著多媒體裝置。這裡的教學設備很現代化,每間教室里都裝著空調。在這樣的環境里學習中文,挺舒服的。

到了八點,我們準時開始上課。老師很親切,她的教學方法我也很喜歡。在課上,她一個字都沒有讓我們寫,而是一直在讓我們練習說話,幫助我們改正發音。老師說,把普通話說得字正腔圓才是真的學好了中文。以前,我覺得語法很難,但她用幾個又簡單又有意思的問題就讓我學會了今天的語法。

時間過得真快!我們有說有笑,一節課很快就過去了。下午還有跟老師的個別談話,我很期待。

I arrived in the classroom at 7:30 AM. When I got to the classroom, the teacher was writing on the blackboard with chalk. I greeted the teacher, found a seat, and sat down. This classroom was not big; it could only seat around a dozen people. There was a blackboard on the wall at the front of the classroom, a table arranged in front of the blackboard, and multimedia equipment placed next to the table. The teaching equipment here is very modern, and every classroom is also equipped with air conditioning. Learning Chinese in such an environment is pretty comfortable.

We started class promptly at 8 AM. The teacher is very kind and I also like her teaching method. In class, she didn't ask us to write a single word, but kept asking us to practice speaking and helped correct our pronunciation. The teacher said only by speaking clear and articulate Mandarin Chinese can one truly learn Chinese. Before, I found grammar difficult, but she used just a few simple and interesting questions to make me learn today's grammar.

Time really flew! We talked and laughed, and one class session passed quickly. There will be an individual session with the teacher in the afternoon, which I am looking forward to.

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课后习题 Exercise

第二课

一、选词填空 (Fill in the blanks with the correct words. Each word can only be used once.)

A 迟到 B 打算 C 担心 D 设备 E 起床

- 你这个周末_____做什么？想不想跟我一起去看电影？
- 你们学校的教室里有没有装多媒体_____？有没有装空调？
- 这是我第一次来中国，所以我的爸爸妈妈很_____我。
- 我今天早上六点就_____了，现在很累，我得回去睡觉。
- 已经九点了，你怎么还在睡觉？你要_____了！

F 紧张 G 期待 H 环境 I 准时 J 亲切

- 我们的老师很_____，常常跟我们开玩笑。
- 老师请我下午去办公室跟他谈一谈，我不知道是什么事，所以有点儿_____。
- 今年夏天我要去中国学中文，我很_____在中国学习。
- 这家饭馆的菜非常好吃，_____也不错，我以后要常常来。
- 我不知道今天的飞机会不会_____。要是晚点了，我会给你打电话。

K 字正腔圆 L 帮助 M 简单 N 方法 O 有说有笑

- 我想快一点儿学会游泳，你有没有好的_____？
- 说普通话应该说得_____，要是你的发音不对，别人可能听不懂你的意思。
- 今天我和朋友们一起去饭馆吃饭。我们_____，吃得很好，也聊得很高兴。
- 今天的作业挺_____的，我半个小时就可以做完。
- 要是你有问题，可以跟老师说，老师会_____你。

二、近义词练习 (Complete each sentence by choosing the proper synonym.)

- 摆 放

请你把刀叉_____好，不要随便 (suíbiàn, randomly) 放。

把鞋子_____在房间的外面，不要穿进来。

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2. 学 学习

我常常在图书馆里____，因为那里环境很好，也很安静。

我的同学很聪明，也有很好的____方法，所以他每次都考得很好。

3. 真 真的

他定了三个闹钟，看来，他____担心自己明天早上起不来。

这个教室____现代化，不但有多媒体设备，还有空调。

三、词语搭配 (Please pair the term in the left column with the most appropriate term in the right column. Each one in either column can only be used once. Then use the completed phrases to complete the sentences. You can change the order of words and add more information if needed.)

- | | |
|--------|-------|
| () 打 | A 下课 |
| () 设备 | B 现代化 |
| () 准时 | C 闹钟 |
| () 定 | D 招呼 |

1. 我以为北京很古老，没想到，北京首都国际机场_____。
2. 他今天看见我的时候，没_____，他好像很不高兴。
3. 我今天早上得早起，所以昨天晚上_____。
4. 我的老师很亲切，他的教学方法也很好，可是他_____。

四、完成句子 (Complete the sentence or dialogue with the given item in parentheses.)

1. A: 星期五我们得给老师这个星期的作业，你做好了吗？
B: 早做好了，_____。(S early time point 就 VP 了)
2. A: 你今天起床起晚了，还有时间洗澡吗？
B: 有，我洗澡洗得很快，_____。(S short time duration 就 VP 了)
3. A: 听说张三做作业总是比别的学生快，真的吗？
B: 是的，_____。(A 还没 VP₁, B 就已经 VP₂ 了)
4. A: 昨天我给你打电话，你怎么没有接呢？
B: _____。(A VP₁ 的时候, B 正在 VP₂)

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5. A: 在教室上课的时候, 你的中文老师写不写字?
B: _____。(S 用 tool VP)
6. 这个房间够大, _____。(能 V 下)
7. A: 服务员, 这张桌子有点儿小, _____(V 不下), 有没有大桌子?
B: 好的, 请你们坐到这边来。
8. A: 你的桌子上摆着什么? 桌子旁边放着什么?
B: _____。(NP-localizer V-着 NP)
9. A: 听说老师找你谈话了, 有什么事吗?
B: 我的作业做错了, _____。(A 让 B VP)
10. A: 你中午吃饭了吗?
B: 我今天非常忙, _____。(S 一 MW noun 都没有/不 VP)
11. A: 你怎么这么晚才来? 你迟到了二十多分钟, 你知道吗?
B: 对不起, 对不起, _____(S 一直在 VP), 忘了时间了。
12. A: 你的爸爸昨天到机场去接你了吗?
B: 没, _____。(S 没有 VP₁, 而是 VP₂)
13. A: 你喜欢你们的学校吗?
B: _____。(又 Adj.₁ 又 Adj.₂)

五、翻译 (Translation: The underlined parts indicate where the grammatical patterns should be used.)

1. Time flies; I haven't stepped outside the school gate yet, and our first week of classes is already completed. We have classes from Monday to Friday continuously. Thursday evenings are particularly busy; there is no free time at all because we have an exam on Friday afternoon.
(一直在 VP; A 还没 VP₁, B 就已经 VP₂ 了; 一点儿 N 都没有; time 过得...)
2. My room is not spacious; it can only accommodate one person. As you enter the room, you can see a bed on the left side, and next to the bed is a desk with three Chinese books on it. Although the room is pretty small, it is equipped with modern amenities. Look, there's even air conditioning and a TV mounted on the wall.
(NP-localizer V-着 NP; 能 V 下; 挺...的)

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3. I went to bed at ten o'clock last night. I only slept for six hours before waking up. I set an alarm on my phone, but I woke up before the alarm even sounded.

(A 还没 VP₁, B 就已经 VP₂ 了; S short time duration 就 VP 了; ...是...的; S 用 tool VP)

4. Yesterday, when I went to see my classmate, he was in the middle of recording. His teacher instructed the students to use their phones for recording, a method that is both simple and effective.

(S 用 tool VP; A VP₁ 的时候, B 正在 VP₂; A 让 B VP; 又 Adj.₁ 又 Adj.₂)

六、作文 (Composition: Please write an article on the provided topic. Below are some questions for your consideration.)

1. 第一次上中文课

你第一次上中文课是什么时候? 你还记得 (jìdé, remember) 你第一次上中文课的事情吗? 第一次上中文课, 你兴奋吗? 紧张吗? 你上课的教室怎么样?

你对你的同学的印象怎么样?

老师给你的印象怎么样? 你喜不喜欢他/她的教学方法, 为什么?

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 chǎnpǐn, 产品, n., product; goods, L17, P213

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 chǎofàn, 炒饭, n., fried rice, L8, P98
 chāoguò, 超过, v., to exceed; to surpass, L20, P249; L28, P359
 chāoshì, 超市, n., supermarket, L5, P54
 cháoshī, 潮湿, adj., damp; humid, L8, P97
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 chēfū, 车夫, n., driver of pedicab, L34, P439
 chēpái, 车牌, n., license plate, L26, P333
 chénliè, 陈列, v./n., to exhibit; display; exhibition, L33, P427
 chéng, 成, v., to become, L17, P214
 chéng wèntí, 成问题, v.-o., to become an issue, L18, P225
 chéngběn, 成本, n., manufacturing cost, L28, P360
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 chéngkè, 乘客, n., passenger, L1, P2
 chénglǐ, 城里, p.w., inside the city, L24, P303
 chéngmíng, 成名, v., to become famous; to gain fame, L38, P490
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 chuángdiàn, 床垫, n., mattress, L3, P28
 chuángpù, 床铺, n., bed and bedding, L3, P28
 chuānguò, 穿过, v.-c., to pass through; to cross, L8, P95
 chuàngxīn, 创新, v./n., to innovate; to bring forth new ideas; innovation, L24, P303
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 chúfáng, 厨房, n., kitchen, L6, P69

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 chūmén, 出门, v.-o., to go out; to leave home, L20, P250
 chúshī, 厨师, n., chef; cook, L8, P98
 chūtái, 出台, v., to officially launch (program, policy), L26, P333
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 chūxiàn, 出现, v./n., to appear; to emerge; emergence, L28, P360
 chūxíng, 出行, v., to go on a journey, L26, P332
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 chǔlǐ, 处理, v., to deal with; to dispose of, L37, P475
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 cíhuì, 词汇, n., vocabulary; words and phrases, L23, P290
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 cíqì, 瓷器, n., porcelain; chinaware, L40, P514
 cóngxiǎo, 从小, adv., since childhood, L14, P174
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 dǎsǎo, 打扫, v., to clean; to sweep up, L3, P28
 dǎsuàn, 打算, v./n., to plan; to intend; plan; intention, L2, P14
 dǎzhé, 打折, v.-o., to be on sale, L28, P358
 dǎzì, 打字, v.-o., to type; to typewrite, L33, P428
 dà.ye, 大爷, n., uncle (used to address an old man), L18, P226
 dàbā, 大巴, n., large bus, L1, P2
 dàbàn, 大半, adv., more than half; the greater part, L27, P346
 dàbùxiāngtóng, 大不相同, idm., not at all the same; substantially different, L31, P401
 dàdà, 大大, adv., greatly; significantly, L17, P213
 dàdōu, 大都, adv., on the whole; for the most part, L22, P276
 dàduō, 大多, adv., for the most part; mostly, L11, P135
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dàolù, 道路, n., road; path; way, L26, P332
dàoqiàn, 道歉, v.-o., to apologize, L13, P160
Dézhōu, 德州, n., Texas, L31, P401
děng, 等, v., to wait, L6, P68
Dèng Xiǎopíng, 邓小平, n., Deng Xiaoping (see Note 3), L17, P214
dēngguǎn, 灯管, n., fluorescent light tube, L37, P476
dēnglù, 登录, v., to log in; to log on, L38, P491
dì.dào, 地道, adj., authentic; genuine, L8, P98
Dīdī, 滴滴, n., DiDi (a Chinese vehicle-for-hire company), L6, P68
díduì, 敌对, adj., hostile; antagonistic, L31, P400
dì.fāng, 地方, n., aspect; respect, L3, P28; room; space, L5, P55
díquè, 的确, adv., indeed; really, L37, P477
ditiě, 地铁, n., subway, L25, P317
ditiězhàn, 地铁站, n., subway station, L25, P318
dìwèi, 地位, n., status; position, L19, P237
dìyùxìng, 地域性, n., regionality, L31, P401
diǎn, 点, v., to order (dish, take-out), L4, P42
diǎnkāi, 点开, v.-c., to tap open, to click on (点: to click), L29, P373
diǎnxīn, 点心, n., snacks; pastries, L35, P453
diànchí, 电池, n., battery, L37, P476
diàndòng, 电动, adj., electric; electricity-powered, L29, P374
diàntī, 电梯, n., elevator, L21, P264
diànzǐ, 电子, adj., electronic; digital, L5, P56
diànzū, 店租, n., rent (for a brick-and-mortar store), L28, P360
dìng, 定, v., to set, L2, P14
diū, 丢, v., to lose (objects), L13, P160
dòng, 栋, m.w., measure word for buildings, L7, P81
dǒng.de, 懂得, v., to comprehend; to know, L7, P81
dōngnán, 东南, p.w., southeast, L40, P517
dòngzuò, 动作, n., action; motion, L12, P147
dòu.fu, 豆腐, n., tofu; bean curd, L6, P70
Dǒuyīn, 抖音, n., TikTok (social media platform), L38, P489
dúshūrén, 读书人, n., (lit.) a person who reads books; scholar; intellectual, L33, P426
dǔ chē, 堵车, v.-o., to have a traffic jam, L25, P317
dùsè, 堵塞, v., to block up; to stop up, L26, P332
dùzhù, 堵住, v.-c., to be clogged, L3, P28

duàn, 段, m.w., measure word for a period of time, L20, P250; segment; section; period, L38, P491
duànliàn, 锻炼, v., to work out, to exercise, L12, P149
duì, 队, n., team, L12, P148
duī, 堆, m.w., pile; stack, L28, P361
duìbǐ, 对比, n./v., comparison; to compare; to contrast, L14, P176
duìdài, 对待, v., to treat, L22, P276
duìfāng, 对方, n., counterpart; other party involved, L12, P149
duìwàihànyǔjiàoxué, 对外汉语教学, Teaching Chinese as a Foreign Language (field of study), L11, P135
duìxiàng, 对象, n., a romantic partner. It carries an older, more serious undertone than 男女朋友, L18, P225
dūn, 蹲, v., to squat, L10, P122
Dūnhuáng, 敦煌, p.w., Dunhuang (county-level city in northwestern Gansu Province), L40, P515
duō.me, 多么, adv., to express a high degree followed by adjectives in exclamatory sentences, L23, P290
duōméitǐ, 多媒体, n., multimedia, L2, P15
(dà)duōshù, (大)多数, adj., (large) majority, L11, P135
è, 饿, adj., hungry, L4, P41
èrhú, 二胡, n., Chinese two-stringed fiddle, L40, P516
èrwéimǎ, 二维码, n., QR code, L5, P55
fāda, 发达, adj., developed, L37, P477
fāhuī, 发挥, v., to display; to exhibit; to bring out, L24, P302
fāming, 发明, v./n., to invent; invention, L33, P427
fǎn'ér, 反而, adv., instead; on the contrary, L15, P187
fàncai, 饭菜, n., (lit.) rice and dishes; food, L4, P41
fàng, 放, v., to place; to put, L2, P15; to play (music, film), L22, P275; to release; to lay, L12, P147
fāngfǎ, 方法, n., method; approach, L2, P15
fāngmiàn, 方面, n., aspect, L24, P303
fāngshì, 方式, n., way; manner; mode, L28, P360
fángjià, 房价, n., cost of housing; house price, L23, P289
fángjiān, 房间, n., room, L3, P27
fángzū, 房租, n., rent (for an apartment, house, etc.), L27, P346
fángzhǐ, 防止, v., to prevent, L19, P238
fàngkuān, 放宽, v., to relax (a rule); to ease (restrictions), L17, P214
fàngqì, 放弃, v., to give up, L30, P389
fǎngwèn, 访问, v./n., to visit (an official or formal trip); visit, L31, P400
fāngxīn, 放心, v., to relax; to be at ease, L14, P176
fānqié, 番茄, n., tomato, L4, P41
fānyì, 翻译, v./n., to translate; translation, L17, P215
fǎnyìng, 反映, v., to reflect, L10, P123; L14, P174
fànzuō, 饭桌, n., dining table, L16, P201
fāshāo, 发烧, v.-o., to run a fever, L9, P111
fāshēng, 发生, v., to occur; to take place, L16, P201; L23, P290
fāxiàn, 发现, v./n., to discover; discovery, L5, P54
fāyīn, 发音, n./v.-o., pronunciation; to pronounce, L1, P2
fāzhǎn, 发展, v./n., to develop; development, L14, P175; L17, P214
fēn, 分, n., 10 percent (e.g., 三分: 30 percent), L23, P290
fēnbùkāi, 分不开, v.-c., to be inseparable (分开: to separate), L13, P161
fēnchū.lai, 分出来, v.-c., to distinguish; to differentiate, L11, P136
fēnbǐ, 粉笔, n., chalk, L2, P14
fēngchuīyǔdǎ, 风吹雨打, idm., (lit.) to be battered by wind and rain, L29, P374
fēngjǐng, 风景, n., scenery; landscape, L31, P402
fēngqì, 风气, n., atmosphere; common practice, L17, P214
fēngwèir, 风味儿, n., local flavor; distinctive style, L8, P96
fēngfù, 丰富, adj., abundant; plentiful; rich, L8, P96

- fènglí, 凤梨, n., pineapple (see Note 2), L6, P70
 fēnlèi, 分类, v.-o., to classify; to sort, L37, P475
 fēnshǒu, 分手, v.-o., to break up, L13, P161
 fēnxiǎng, 分享, v., to share (something good), L38, P489
 fēnzhōng, 分钟, n., minute, L1, P1
 fénmù, 坟墓, n., grave; tomb, L40, P515
 fēnr, 份儿, m.w., portion; share, L8, P96
 Fójiào, 佛教, n., Buddhism, L39, P503
 fùdān, 负担, v./n., to bear a burden/burden, L27, P346
 Fújiàn, 福建, n., Fujian Province, L8, P97
 fùjìn, 附近, p.w., nearby, L17, P212
 fùmiàn, 负面, adj., negative; unfavorable, L38, P490
 fūqī, 夫妻, n., husband and wife, L13, P161
 fútī, 扶梯, n., escalator, L36, P465
 fúwù, 服务, v./n., to serve; service, L17, P213
 fúwùyuán, 服务员, n., server; waiter (服务: to serve), L3, P28
 fúzhuāng, 服装, n., clothing; costumes, L22, P276
 fùkuǎn, 付款, v.-o., to pay a sum of money, L5, P55
 fùqián, 付钱, v.-o., to pay money, L5, P55
 fùzé, 负责, v., to be responsible for, L22, P276
 gāi, 该, aux., must; should; ought to, L4, P40
 gǎibiàn, 改变, v./n., to change; to alter; change, L17, P214
 gǎichéng, 改成, v.-c., to convert; to turn into (something else), L10, P121
 Gǎigé Kāifàng, 改革开放, n., Reform and Opening Up (see Note 2. 改革: to reform; reform 开放: to open; open), L17, P213
 gǎishàn, 改善, v./n., (of situations, living conditions, relationships) to improve; improvement, L36, P465
 gǎitiān, 改天, adv., another day; some other time, L18, P226
 gǎizhèng, 改正, v./n., to correct; correction, L1, P2
 gǎn, 敢, aux., to dare, L14, P175
 gān lājī, 干垃圾, n., dry waste; non-recyclable and non-hazardous solid waste, L37, P476
 gāncuì, 干脆, adv., simply; altogether, L7, P82
 gānjìng, 干净, adj., clean, L6, P69
 gāngà, 尴尬, adj., awkward; embarrassed, L10, P121
 gǎndào, 感到, v., to feel; to sense, L12, P148
 gǎnjīn, 赶紧, adv., hastily; without delay, L10, P121
 gǎnjué, 感觉, v./n., to feel; feeling, L16, P199
 gǎnkuài, 赶快, adv., quickly (swift response to a situation), L9, P110
 gǎnshàng, 赶上, v.-c., to catch up (赶上: unable to catch up), L26, P332
 gǎnlǎnqiú, 橄榄球, n., American football, L12, P148
 gǎnmào, 感冒, v., to catch cold, L9, P111
 gǎnqíng, 感情, n., feeling; emotion; sentiment, L30, P388
 gǎnrǎn, 感染, v., to infect; to contract, L20, P249
 gǎnshòu, 感受, v./n., to feel; to experience; feeling; experience, L36, P465
 gǎnxiè, 感谢, v./n., to thank; thanks; appreciation, L16, P200
 gǎnxìngqù, 感兴趣, v.-o., to be interested in (兴趣: interest), L31, P402
 gāngbǐ, 钢笔, n., pen; fountain pen, L33, P427
 gāngdú, 港独, n., abbreviation for 香港独立 Hong Kong independence, L30, P388
 gāoděngjiàoyù, 高等教育, n., higher education, L33, P426
 gāodìguìjiàn, 高低贵贱, idm., (lit.) nobleness and lowliness; high and low, L29, P375
 gāoguān, 高官, n., senior official; high-ranking official, L35, P451
 gāokǎo, 高考, n., the college entrance exam in China, L24, P302
 gāokējì, 高科技, n., high technology, L32, P414
 gāoxiào, 高校, n., institutions of higher learning, L11, P135
 gāoyǎ, 高雅, adj., elegant, L19, P237
 gāozhōngshēng, 高中生, n., high school student, L18, P225; L24, P302
 gè, 各, pron., each; every, L8, P97
 gèbié tánhuà, 个别谈话, n., one-on-one session, L2, P16
 gémìng, 革命, v./n., to cause great social change; to revolt; revolution, L9, P112
 gēn, 跟, v., to follow; to go with, L22, P275
 gēn, 根, m.w., measure word for long, thin objects, L6, P69
 gēnzhe, 跟着, adv., right after; immediately afterwards, L17, P214
 gēnběn, 根本, adv., (not) at all, L8, P98
 gèrén, 个人, adj./n., individual, L20, P251
 gèshìgèyàng, 各式各样, idm., all kinds and sorts, L27, P345
 gēwǔyǒng, 歌舞俑, n., singing and dancing pottery figurines, L40, P516
 gèxìng, 个性, n., personality, L33, P426
 gèzhǒng, 各种, adj., all kinds of; every kind of, L11, P136
 gèzhǒnggèyàng, 各种各样, idm., all sorts of; a wide variety, L24, P302
 gōngchǎng, 工厂, n., factory, L28, P359
 gōngfū, 功夫, n., Chinese martial arts, L13, P162
 gōnggòng, 公共, adj., public, L10, P122
 gōnggòng chǎngsuǒ, 公共场所, n., public space, L32, P412
 gōngjiàng, 工匠, n., craftsman; artisan, L35, P452
 gōngjiāo, 公交, n., (abbreviation of 公交车) bus, L27, P345
 gōngjiāochē, 公交车, n., bus, L25, P317
 gōngjīn, 公斤, m.w., kilogram, L4, P42
 gōngjù, 工具, n., tool, L13, P160
 gōngkāi, 公开, adj./adv., public; open; openly; publicly, L30, P388
 gōngkuài, 公筷, n., communal chopsticks, L20, P250
 gōnglǐ, 公里, m.w., kilometer, L25, P317
 Gōngniúduì, 公牛队, n., Bulls (NBA basketball team), L31, P401
 gōngpíng, 公平, adj., fair; just; impartial, L24, P304
 gōngsháo, 公勺, n., communal spoons, L20, P250
 gōngsī, 公司, n., company, L28, P358
 gōngwúyuán, 公务员, n., civil servant; government worker, L24, P304
 gōngyù, 公寓, n., dormitory; apartment building, L3, P27
 gōngzī, 工资, n., salary, L27, P346
 gòu, 够, adj./adv., enough, L1, P3
 gōutōng, 沟通, v., to communicate, L9, P110
 gòuwù, 购物, v.-o., to shop (for things) [formal], L28, P360
 gòuwùjié, 购物节, n., shopping holiday, L28, P358
 gù, 雇, v., to employ, L28, P360
 gǔ, 鼓, n., drum, L34, P440
 guà, 挂, v., to hang, L7, P83
 guàhào, 挂号, v.-o., to register (at a hospital), L9, P111
 guǎi, 拐, v., to turn, L8, P95
 guān.xì, 关系, n., relationship; bearing, L4, P40
 guānchá, 观察, v./n., to observe; observation, L35, P452
 guǎngchǎng, 广场, n., square; plaza, L8, P95; L17, P213
 guǎngchǎngwǔ, 广场舞, n., Chinese square dance, L22, P275
 Guǎngdōng, 广东, n., Guangdong Province, L8, P97
 guāngguāngkè, 观光客, n., tourist; sightseer, L34, P439
 guānniàn, 观念, n., concept; ideology, L16, P201
 guānkàn, 观看, v., to view; to watch [formal], L38, P490
 guānxīn, 关心, v., to care about; to express interest in, L18, P226
 guānzhù, 关注, n./v., attention; to pay close attention to, L38, P489
 guǎnlǐ, 管理, v./n., to manage; to administer; management; administration, L20, P251
 guǎnlǐzhě, 管理者, n., people in charge; manager (管理: to manage), L32, P414

guānhuài, 惯坏, v.-c., to spoil, L3, P28
 gǔdài, 古代, n., ancient times, L33, P426
 Gǔgē, 谷歌, n., Google, L3, P29
 Gùgōng, 故宫, n., Imperial Palace, L18, P227
 guīdìng, 规定, n./v., rule; regulation; to regulate, L37, P475
 gùkè, 顾客, n., customer; client, L29, P374
 gǔlǎo, 古老, adj., ancient, L1, P3
 gǔlì, 鼓励, v., to encourage, L14, P175
 Gǔlóu, 鼓楼, p.w., Drum Tower, L34, P439
 gùlǜ, 顾虑, n., concern; worry; apprehension, L25, P318
 guójiè, 国际, adj., international, L1, P1
 guójiā, 国家, n., country, L13, P161
 guò, 过, v., to cross; to pass, L1, P1; L2, P16
 guòchéng, 过程, n., course; process, L12, P148
 guòfèn, 过分, adj./adv., excessive; go too far; excessively, L12, P148; L14, P175
 guòjié, 过节, v.-o., to celebrate a holiday, L29, P374
 guòliàng, 过量, adj., excessive, L15, P187
 guòqī, 过期, v./adj., to expire; expired, L37, P476
 guòqù, 过去, v., to pass by, L2, P16
 guòshí, 过时, adj., to be outdated; obsolete, L5, P56; outdated, L19, P238
 guówài, 国外, p.w., abroad; overseas, L23, P289
 gùrán, 固然, conj., admittedly; no doubt; it is true, L24, P304
 gǔrén, 古人, n., people of ancient times, L39, P502
 hǎiguān, 海关, n., customs, L1, P1
 hǎilù, 海路, n., sea route, L40, P517
 hàipà, 害怕, v./n., to be scared; to fear; fear, L14, P175
 hǎitān, 海滩, n., beach, L20, P251
 hǎiyáng, 海洋, n., ocean; sea, L40, P517
 háiyǒu, 还有, conj., furthermore; in addition, L3, P29
 hángyè, 行业, n., industry; a sector or field of economic activity, L29, P373
 Hángzhōu, 杭州, n., Hangzhou (a city in China), L8, P96
 Hànrén, 汉人, n., Han people; people of the Han ethnicity, the largest ethnic group in China, L40, P515
 hàohǎoxuéxí, tiāntiānxiàngshàng, 好好学习, 天天向上, "Study hard and improve every day," L17, P212
 hǎojǐ, 好几, quite a few, L28, P359
 hàokè, 好客, adj., hospitable, L15, P187
 Hǎoláiwū, 好莱坞, n., Hollywood, L39, P503
 hǎozài, 好在, adv., fortunately, L4, P41
 hēibǎn, 黑板, n., blackboard, L2, P14
 Hēisè Xīngqīwǔ, 黑色星期五, n., Black Friday, L28, P358
 héping, 和平, adj./n., peaceful; peace, L39, P503
 hépinggòngchǔ, 和平共处, idm., peacefully coexist, L39, P504
 héshì, 合适, adj., suitable; befitting, L21, P263
 hōng, 烘, v., to dry (using heat), L7, P81
 hōnggānjī, 烘干机, n., dryer, L7, P81
 hòu chēxiāng, 后车厢, n., trunk (of a car), L32, P412
 hòulái, 后来, adv., afterward; later, L6, P68
 hù, 户, m.w., measure word for households, L34, P438
 hú.lu, 葫芦, n., bottle gourd, L40, P516
 hú.zi, 胡子, n., beard; mustache; facial hair, L40, P515
 huā, 花, v., to spend (time or money), L21, P264
 huàn, 换, v., to change, L3, P28
 huángdì, 皇帝, n., emperor, L35, P451
 huángguā, 黄瓜, n., cucumber, L6, P69
 huánghūn, 黄昏, n., dusk, L18, P227
 huánjìng, 环境, n., environment; surroundings, L2, P15
 huànjùhuàshuō, 换句话说, , in other words, L26, P332
 huǎnmàn, 缓慢, adj., slow; slow-moving, L12, P149

huàtí, 话题, n., topic, L11, P134
 huàzhuāngpǐn, 化妆品, n., cosmetics (化妆: to put on makeup), L1, P2
 húguā, 胡瓜, n., cucumber, L40, P516
 huí, 回, m.w., times (measure word for actions), L19, P237
 huídá, 回答, v./n., to reply; reply, L13, P162; L16, P201
 huīfù, 恢复, v., to recover; to restore, L19, P238
 Huíjiào, 回教, n., an alternative name for 伊斯兰教 in Chinese, L39, P503
 huíshōu, 回收, v., to recycle, L37, P476
 hújiāo, 胡椒, n., pepper, L40, P516
 húluó.bo, 胡萝卜, n., carrot, L6, P69
 Húnán, 湖南, n., Hunan Province, L8, P97
 huó, 活, v., to live, L23, P289; adj., alive; living, L34, P440
 huǒ, 火, adj., (lit.) fire; (colloquial) hot; popular; trendy, L38, P489
 huódòng, 活动, n., activity, L22, P276
 huǒjiànduì, 火箭队, n., (Houston) Rockets (火箭: rocket), L30, P387
 huòwù, 货物, n., goods; merchandise, L40, P515
 huòzhě, 或者, conj., or, L5, P55
 húqín, 胡琴, n., a family of two-stringed bowed instruments, L40, P516
 húrén, 胡人, n., (lit.) beard people; archaic term for foreigners, L40, P515
 hùshi, 护士, n., nurse, L20, P250
 hùtòng, 胡同, n., Hutong (traditional Beijing alley), L34, P438
 hùxiāng, 互相, adv., mutually, L3, P29
 jì, 寄, v., to mail; to send, L29, P373
 jǐ, 挤, adj., overcrowded, L25, P318; v., to squeeze together, L34, P440
 jì...yě..., 既...也..., conj., not only...but also..., L12, P149
 jì.de, 记得, v.-c., to remember, L10, P122; to recall, L21, P263
 jià, 嫁, v., (of a woman) to marry, L27, P346
 jiā, 夹, v., to pick up or place (food with chopsticks, tongs), L15, P187
 jiā, 加, v., to add, L6, P70
 jiā péng.you, 交朋友, v.-o., to make friends, L22, P276
 jià.qian, 价钱, n., price, L4, P41
 jiācháng biǎnfàn, 家常便饭, idm., home-made simple meal, L16, P201
 jiàgé, 价格, n., price, L28, P360
 jiǎhuò, 假货, n., fake goods; counterfeit merchandise, L28, P361
 jiājù, 家具, n., furniture, L3, P27
 jiākuài, 加快, v., to accelerate, L35, P451
 jiàliánwùměi, 价廉物美, idm., inexpensive yet elegant, L6, P70
 jiàn, 建, v., to construct; to build, L34, P440
 jiān, 间, m.w., measure word for rooms, L2, P14
 Jiānádà, 加拿大, p.w., Canada, L23, P290
 jiǎnchá, 检查, v., to examine; to inspect; to check, L9, P111
 jiānchí, 坚持, v., to persist in; to insist on, L9, P112
 jiǎndān, 简单, adj., simple, L2, P16
 jiāndū, 监督, v./n., to supervise; supervision, L37, P476
 jiāng, 讲, v., to be particular about; to pay attention to, L20, P250
 jiàngdī, 降低, v., to reduce; to bring down [transitive verb], L28, P360
 jiānglái, 将来, t.w., future; in future, L14, P175
 jiàngyóu, 酱油, n., soy sauce, L6, P69
 jiànjiàn, 渐渐, adv., gradually; by degrees, L28, P360
 jiànkāng, 健康, adj./n., healthy; health, L6, P70
 jiǎnqīng, 减轻, v., to lighten; to ease; to alleviate, L38, P490
 jiǎnshǎo, 减少, v., to reduce; to decrease; to lessen, L17, P213
 jiànshè, 建设, v./n., to build; to construct; construction, L25, P318
 jiànshēn, 健身, v., to keep fit; to work out, L31, P401

jiǎnzhí, 简直, adv., simply, L15, P188
jiǎnzhǐ, 剪纸, n., traditional Chinese paper-cutting, L13, P162
jiànzhù, 建筑, n., architecture, L34, P439
jiāo, 教, v., to teach, L14, P176
jiāotōng, 交通, n., transportation, L25, P317
jiāo'ào, 骄傲, adj./n., proud; arrogant; pride, L13, P162
jiǎo, 角, n., corner, L18, P226
jiǎodù, 角度, n., angle; point of view, L31, P401
jiāoliú, 交流, v./n., to exchange; to communicate; exchange; communication, L39, P503
jiàoshì, 教室, n., classroom, L2, P14
jiàoshòu, 教授, n., professor, L29, P374
jiàoxué, 教学, n., teaching; education, L2, P15
jiàoxuélóu, 教学楼, n., classroom building, L10, P121
jiāoyì, 交易, v./n., to engage in trade, transaction; trade; transaction, L5, P56
jiāoyì'ér, 交易额, n., transaction amount (交易: to trade; trade), L28, P359
jiàoyù, 教育, n./v., education; to educate, L14, P175
jiāqiáng, 加强, v., to strengthen; to reinforce, L25, P318
jiāting, 家庭, n., family (vs. 家人 family member), L23, P289
jiāxiāng cài, 家乡菜, n., hometown delicacies (家乡: hometown), L6, P70
jiāyóu, 加油, v., (lit.) to add oil; used to express encouragement, L30, P387
jiàzhí, 价值, n., value, L30, P389
jīběn, 基本, adj./adv., basic; fundamental; basically, L3, P27
jīchǎng, 机场, n., airport, L1, P1
jīdàn, 鸡蛋, n., egg, L4, P41
jīdòng, 激动, adj./adv., to be overcome with emotions (sadness, anger, joy, etc.); excited; excitedly, L31, P401
jié, 节, m.w., measure word for segments (e.g., a class periods, chalks, trains, etc.), L2, P16
jiē, 接, v., to pick up, L1, P2
jiēchù, 接触, v., to come into contact with; to get in touch with, L11, P134; L21, P264
jiěfàng, 解放, v., to liberate; to emancipate, L27, P346
jiéguǒ, 结果, conj., as a result, L3, P29
jiéhé, 结合, v./n., to combine; combination, L40, P517
jiéhūn, 结婚, v.-o., to marry; to get married, L18, P225
jiējìn, 接近, v., to approach; to get close to, L20, P249; L35, P453
jiějué, 解决, v., to resolve; to settle, L4, P42
jièkǒu, 借口, n., excuse, L36, P465
jièshào, 介绍, v./n., to introduce; introduction, L13, P161
jiēshòu, 接受, v., to accept; to receive, L23, P289; L39, P502
jiētóu, 街头, n., streets, L14, P176
jiēwǔ, 街舞, n., street dance, L22, P275
jiēxià.qu, 接下去, conj., next; following, L9, P111
jiéyuē, 节约, v., to economize; to save, L37, P477
jiézòu, 节奏, n., rhythm, L22, P275
jīhū, 几乎, adv., almost; nearly, L5, P55
jìhuà, 计划, v./n., to plan; to map out; plan, L17, P214; L35, P452
jīhuì, 机会, n., opportunity; chance, L11, P134
jījí, 积极, adj./adv., positive; active; positively; actively, L23, P290
jìjié, 季节, n., season, L18, P227
jìláo, 记牢, v.-c., to commit to memory, L21, P263
jīliè, 激烈, adj./adv., intense; fierce; intensely; fiercely, L24, P304; L36, P464
jìlù, 记录, v./n., to record; record, L35, P452
jìn, 尽, v., to put in the maximum possible effort or strive to the fullest capacity, L25, P319
jìn.yìbù, 进一步, adv., further, L17, P215
jìnbù, 进步, v./n., to progress; progress, L17, P212

jǐngchá, 警察, n., police; police officer, L32, P412
jīngcháng, 经常, adv./adj., often; frequent, L19, P237
jīngguò, 经过, v., to pass by, L30, P387
jīngjì, 经济, n., economy, L10, P123
jìnglǎoyuàn, 敬老院, n., nursing home, L23, P290
jīngrén, 惊人, adj./adv., startling; alarming; startlingly, L28, P361
jìngsài, 竞赛, n., competition, L12, P148
jǐnguǎn, 尽管, conj., even though; despite, L16, P199; L26, P333
jīngxīn, 精心, adv., meticulously; elaborately, L16, P201
jīngyà, 惊讶, adj./adv., surprised; surprisingly, L5, P54
jìngzhēng, 竞争, v./n., to compete; competition, L24, P304
jìnkǒu, 进口, v./n., to import; import, L37, P477
jìnliàng, 尽量, adv., to the best of one's ability; as much as possible, L16, P200
jìnmén, 进门, v.-o., to enter a room, L20, P250
jìnrù, 进入, v., to enter, L40, P517
jìnxíng, 进行, v., to carry on; to conduct, L25, P319
jīnyú, 金鱼, n., goldfish, L34, P438
jǐnzhāng, 紧张, adj., nervous, L2, P14; tense; strained, L39, P503
jìrán, 既然, conj., since; now that, L7, P83
jīròu, 肌肉, n., muscle, L12, P149
jíshì, 急事, n., emergency; urgent matter, L36, P465
jíshǐ, 即使, conj., even if; even though, L23, P289
jìshù, 技术, n., skills; techniques, L35, P452
jítǐ, 集体, adj./n., collective, L26, P333
jiǔ, 酒, n., alcoholic drink; wine; liquor, L1, P2
jiǔ, 久, adj., long (duration of time), L10, P122
jiǔdiàn, 酒店, n., hotel, L27, P345
jiǔyǎng, 久仰, idm., I have admired you for a long time., L19, P237
jìxù, 继续, v., to continue; to go on, L8, P95
jìyìlì, 记忆力, n., ability to remember (记忆: memory), L24, P302
jù, 句, m.w., measure word for sentences, L21, P263
jù, 聚, v., to gather; to assemble; to get together, L30, P387
jù, 举, v., to lift; to raise, L12, P147
juǎn, 卷, m.w., roll, spool; reel, L5, P54
jǔbàn, 举办, v., to hold; to host (an event or activity), L28, P358
juédìng, 决定, v./n., to decide; decision, L23, P289; v., to determine, L24, P302
júgōng, 鞠躬, v.-o., to bow, L19, P238
jùhuì, 聚会, v./n., to get together; get-together; party, L31, P401
jùlì, 距离, n., distance, L19, P236
jùliè, 剧烈, adj., acute; strenuous; vigorous, L12, P149
júmiàn, 局面, n., situation, L31, P400
jūmín, 居民, n., resident, L22, P277
jūnshì, 军事, n./adj., military affairs; military, L39, P503
jùshuō, 据说, , allegedly; it is said, L8, P97
jǔxíng, 举行, v., to hold (a meeting, event, etc.), L24, P302
kǎ, 卡, n., card, L8, P95
kāi wánxiào, 开玩笑, v.-o., to joke (玩笑: joke), L1, P3
kāishǐ, 开始, adv., in the beginning, L7, P82
kāitōng, 开通, v., to open (a new road or railway line), L40, P517
kāiyào, 开药, v.-o., to prescribe medicine, L9, P111
kànbing, 看病, v.-o., to consult a doctor, L9, P110
kànfa, 看法, n., opinion, L11, P136
kào, 靠, v., to depend on; to rely on, L4, P42
kào, 靠, v., to be near to; to keep to, L36, P465
kǎochá, 考察, v., to evaluate; to assess, L24, P303
kàoquānxì, 靠关系, v.-o., to rely on connections, L24, P304
kǎolù, 考虑, v./n., to consider; consideration, L23, P289
kě, 渴, adj., thirsty, L8, P98
kě, 可, -able, L37, P475

kè.qì, 客气, adj., courteous; polite; kind, L1, P2; L15, P187
 kè.ren, 客人, n., guest; customer, L5, P56
 ké.sòu, 咳嗽, v./n., to cough; cough, L21, P265
 kè.taohuà, 客套话, n., pleasantries (conventional or formulaic phrases used to show politeness), L16, P200
 kěhuishōu, 可回收, adj., recyclable, L37, P476
 kējì, 科技, n./adj., technology; technological, L24, P303
 kējīan, 课间, n., interval between classes, L10, P122
 kěkǒu, 可口, adj., tasty; appetizing, L27, P345
 Kěndéjī, 肯德基, n., Kentucky (Fried Chicken), L39, P502
 kěndìng, 肯定, adv., definitely; affirmatively, L32, P414
 kēsòu, 咳嗽, v., to cough, L9, P110
 kètīng, 客厅, n., living room, L16, P201
 kěxī, 可惜, adj./adv., regrettable; it's a pity; it's too bad, L11, P134
 kěxiào, 可笑, adj., laughable; ridiculous; absurd, L18, P226
 kōngqì, 空气, n., air, L20, P249
 kōngqián, 空前, adj., unprecedented, L32, P414
 kòngzhì, 控制, v., to control, L26, P333
 kǒu, 扣, v., to deduct; to withhold (a portion of money, salary, points, etc.), L29, P374
 kǒuwèi, 口味, n., (of a person) taste; liking, L8, P96
 kǒuyīn, 口音, n., accent, L11, P136
 kǒuzhào, 口罩, n., (medical) face mask, L20, P249
 kuā, 夸, v., to compliment; to praise, L1, P2; L13, P162
 kuài, 块, m.w., chunk; m.w. for chunk objects, L6, P69
 kuàicān, 快餐, n., fast food, L39, P502
 kuàidi, 快递, n., express delivery, L4, P42
 kuàidiyuán, 快递员, n., delivery person; courier, L4, P42
 kuàisù, 快速, adj./adv., fast-speed; high-speed; rapidly, L25, P318
 kuǎn, 款, m.w., type; style; model (for products such as mobile apps, cars, cellphones, etc.), L38, P489
 kùn, 困, adj., sleepy, L4, P40
 kùnnán, 困难, adj./n., difficult; difficulty, L27, P346
 kǔnǎo, 苦恼, n., vexation; worry, L27, P346
 là, 辣, adj., spicy, L4, P42
 là, 落, v., to leave behind, L32, P412
 lā, 拉, v., to pull; to draw, L7, P83
 lādù.zi, 拉肚子, v.-o., to have diarrhea (肚子: abdomen), L4, P41
 lājī, 垃圾, n., garbage; trash, L3, P28
 lājī chǔlǐchǎng, 垃圾处理厂, n., garbage treatment plant, L37, P477
 làngfèi, 浪费, v., to waste, L8, P96
 làngmàn, 浪漫, adj., romantic, L18, P226
 lánqiúchǎng, 篮球场, n., basketball court, L22, P277
 lǎo, 老, adv., always; all the time, L4, P40
 lǎobǎixìng, 老百姓, n., common people (vs. 政府), L20, P251
 láodòng, 劳动, v./n., to labor; to work; labor, L29, P375
 lǎojiù, 老旧, adj., outdated; obsolete (旧: old [refers to objects]), L34, P438
 lèguān, 乐观, adj., optimistic, L23, P290
 lèi, 累, adj., tired, L1, P1
 lèqù, 乐趣, n., pleasure; joy, L12, P148
 lí, 离, v., to be at a distance from, L6, P68
 lì.bukāi, 离不开, v.-c., cannot do without; cannot be separated from, L29, P373
 lì.zi, 例子, n., example, L16, P201
 liàn, 练, v., to practice; to train; to drill, L12, P149
 liàng, 辆, m.w., measure word for automobiles, L25, P319; L6, P68
 liáng, 量, v., to measure, L9, P111
 liàng, 晾, v., to dry in the sun; to air out, L7, P83
 liàngyījià, 晾衣架, n., clothes rack (for drying), L7, P83
 liǎnhóng, 脸红, v., to blush, L15, P188

liǎnhóng xīntiào, 脸红心跳, idm., blushing and heart pounding, L15, P188
 liánjià, 廉价, adj., cheap; inexpensive, L25, P318
 liánxi, 联系, v./n., to associate; to link; association, L31, P400
 liánxiǎng, 联想, v./n., to associate; association, linking thoughts, ideas, or images through memory or imagination, L25, P318
 liǎojiě, 了解, v./n., to understand; understanding, L8, P98
 liáotiānr, 聊天儿, v.-o., to chat, L3, P29
 lǐjié, 礼节, n., etiquette, L19, P236
 lǐjiě, 理解, v./n., to understand; understanding, L30, P389
 líkāi, 离开, v.-c., to leave; to depart, L29, P375
 lìkè, 立刻, adv., right away; immediately, L28, P358
 lín, 拎, v., to carry (with one's hand(s), often implying that the item is being suspended or dangled), L37, P476
 líng, 另, another; the other, L14, P174
 língchén, 凌晨, t.w., very early in the morning, L4, P40
 língwài, 另外, conj., in addition; besides, L22, P277
 línjū, 邻居, n., neighbor, L18, P225
 lìshǐ, 历史, n., history, L11, P135
 lǐsùōdāngrán, 理所当然, idm., naturally; of course, L10, P121
 liú, 留, v., to remain; to stay, L23, P289; to let grow (hair, beard, etc.), L40, P515
 liú xià, 留下, v.-c., to leave (an impression), L32, P412
 liúhàn, 流汗, v.-o., to sweat (汗: sweat), L12, P149
 liúxíng, 流行, adj./v., popular; fashionable; to prevail, L17, P214
 liúxíng yīnyuè, 流行音乐, n., popular music (流行: to be in fashion; popular), L22, P275
 liúxuéshēng, 留学生, n., international student (留学: to study abroad), L3, P27
 lǐxiǎng, 理想, adj./n., ideal, L23, P289
 lóu, 楼, n., building, L7, P81
 lóudǐng, 楼顶, n., top of a building, L34, P439
 lù, 录, v., to record, L38, P489
 luàn, 乱, adv./adj., carelessly; randomly; untidy, L14, P174
 luàn rēng lājī, 乱扔垃圾, v.-o., to litter, L36, P464
 lùbiān, 路边, p.w., roadside, L6, P68
 lùkǒu, 路口, n., crossing; intersection, L8, P95
 lún.dào, 轮到, v.-c., to be (somebody's) turn, L9, P111
 luò.tuo, 骆驼, n., camel, L40, P515
 luòhòu, 落后, v./adj., to fall behind; lagged; undeveloped, L19, P238
 lùqǔ, 录取, v., (of a school or program) to admit, L24, P303
 lǚxíng, 旅行, n./v., to travel; travel, L38, P489
 lùxù, 陆续, adv., one after another; in succession, L37, P477
 lǚyóu, 旅游, v., to tour, L34, P439
 má, 麻, adj., numb, L10, P122
 mǎ, 马, n., horse, L40, P515
 má.fan, 麻烦, adj./n., troublesome; trouble, L3, P29; L14, P174
 mǎi.mai, 买卖, v./n., to buy and sell; buying and selling, L40, P516
 Màidāngláo, 麦当劳, n., McDonald's, L39, P502
 mǎlāsōngsài, 马拉松赛, n., marathon race, L31, P402
 mǎnyì, 满意, v., to be satisfied; to feel pleased, L3, P28
 Máo Zhǔxí, 毛主席, n., Chairman Mao (Mao Zedong), L17, P212
 mào.zi, 帽子, n., hat; cap, L27, P345
 máodùn, 矛盾, n., conflict, L22, P277
 máojīn, 毛巾, n., towel, L5, P54
 mào.yì, 贸易, v./n., to trade; trade; commerce [formal], L40, P514
 Měiguóhuò, 美国货, n., American goods, L5, P55
 měihǎo, 美好, adj., beautiful; bright, L18, P227
 měishí, 美食, n., delicious food; gourmet food, L14, P176
 měishí, 美食, n., gourmet food, L38, P489
 méiyǒu...zhīfēn, 没有...之分, , there is no difference among/between..., L29, P375

- mén, 门, n., door; gate, L8, P95
 mēn, 闷, adj., stuffy; stifling, L20, P249
 mén bǎshǒu, 门把手, n., door handle, L21, P264
 mǐ, 米, m.w., meter, L8, P95
 miǎn.buliǎo, 免不了, v.-c., cannot avoid; bound to be, L3, P29
 miǎnfèi, 免费, adj., free of charge, L10, P122
 miànqián, 面前, p.w., in front of (somebody), L14, P175
 miǎnqiǎng, 勉强, adv., reluctantly; grudgingly, L15, P188
 miànshì, 面试, v./n., to interview; to be interviewed; interview, L24, P303
 miǎnshuìdiàn, 免税店, n., duty-free shop (免税: duty-free), L1, P1
 miǎo(zhōng), 秒(钟), t.w., seconds (钟 is optional), L21, P264
 mìmǎ, 密码, n., password, L32, P413
 mǐngǎn, 敏感, adj., sensitive, L30, P389
 Míngdài, 明代, t.w., Ming Dynasty (1368-1644), L34, P439; L40, P517
 míngmíng, 明明, adv., obviously; plainly, L15, P187
 míngpái, 名牌, adj./n., prestigious; famous brand, L24, P303
 míngxīng, 明星, n., celebrity; star, L36, P464
 mínzhǔ, 民主, n., democracy, L30, P389
 mínzú, 民族, n., nation; ethnic group, L20, P251; L31, P400
 mò, 墨, n., ink, L33, P427
 mō, 摸, v., to touch, L21, P264
 mótuōchē, 摩托车, n., motorcycle, L29, P374
 mùdì, 目的, n., purpose; goal, L12, P149
 mùgǔchéngzhōng, 暮鼓晨钟, idm., (lit.) the evening drum and morning bell, L34, P440
 nǎlǐ nǎlǐ, 哪里, 哪里, , you're too kind; you flatter me, L13, P162
 nánfāng, 南方, n., the south; southern part of country, L11, P136
 nánshòu, 难受, adj., uncomfortable; feeling unwell, L3, P29
 nánshuō, 难说, v., hard to say, L14, P175
 nào xiào.hua, 闹笑话, v-o., to make oneself the target of a joke, L10, P121
 nǎolì, 脑力, n., mental strength; brainpower, L29, P375
 nào zhōng, 闹钟, n., alarm clock, L2, P14
 nèikù, 内裤, n., underwear, L7, P83
 nèiróng, 内容, n., content, L38, P490
 nèiyī, 内衣, n., undergarments, L7, P83
 nénggòu, 能够, aux., can [formal], L25, P319
 nénglì, 能力, n., ability; capability, L24, P302
 niánjì, 年纪, n., age, L19, P238; L23, P290
 niánlíng, 年龄, n., age, L18, P226
 niánqīng, 年轻, adj., young, L13, P162
 níngkě, 宁可, conj., would rather; prefer, L37, P477
 níngyuàn, 宁愿, conj., would rather; prefer, L17, P215
 nóngcūn, 农村, n., countryside; village, L23, P289
 nóngméi dàyǎn, 浓眉大眼, idm., thick eyebrows and big eyes, L40, P515
 nóngmín, 农民, n., farmer, L35, P451
 nóngmíngōng, 农民工, n., migrant worker, L35, P451
 nuǎn.huó, 暖和, adj., warm, L8, P97
 nǔlì, 努力, v., to make great efforts; to try hard, L17, P212
 nǚpái, 女排, n., women's volleyball, L31, P400
 nǚyòng, 女用, adj., for women (noun modifier), L39, P502
 ǒu'ér, 偶尔, adv., occasionally; once in a while, L8, P98
 Ōuzhōu, 欧洲, p.w., Europe, L23, P290
 pá, 爬, v., to climb, L34, P439
 pài, 派, v., to appoint; to assign; to dispatch, L37, P476
 pāi, 拍, v., to take (a picture or video); to film, L36, P464
 pái.zi, 牌子, n., sign, L10, P121
 páiduì, 排队, v.-o., to line up (排: to queue), L1, P1
 páiqiú, 排球, n., volleyball, L12, P148
 pāizhào, 拍照, v.-o., to photograph; to take a photo, L35, P452
 páizi, 牌子, n., brand, L5, P55
 pángbiān, 旁边, p.w., beside; to the side, L2, P15
 pánzi, 盘子, n., plate, L15, P187
 pǎo.shàng mén.lái, 跑上门来, , to come running to the door, L29, P373
 péi, 陪, v., to accompany, L22, P276; L9, P110
 péiyǎng, 培养, v., to cultivate; to train, L21, P265
 pēn.ti, 喷嚏, n., sneeze, L21, P265
 pèngdào, 碰到, v.-c., to come across; to run into, L10, P122
 pèngqiǎo, 碰巧, adv., by chance; by coincidence, L16, P201
 piàn, 片, m.w., slice; m.w. for flat, thin piece objects, L6, P69
 píbāo, 皮包, n., purse, L39, P502
 píng, 瓶, m.w., bottle, L5, P54
 píngcháng, 平常, adj./adv., ordinary; ordinarily, L25, P317
 píngděng, 平等, adj., equal, L27, P346
 píngfāngmǐ, 平方米, m.w., square meter, L27, P346
 píng hé, 平和, adj., gentle; mild, L12, P149
 píngjūn, 平均, adj./adv., average; mean; average, L11, P134
 píngpāngqiú, 乒乓球, n., ping pong; table tennis, L31, P400
 píngpāngwàijiāo, 乒乓外交, n., Ping Pong Diplomacy (外交: diplomacy), L31, P400
 píngshí, 平时, adv., (lit.) in ordinary times or usually days; usually (refers to regular situations, as opposed to special occasions)., L28, P358
 pīpíng, 批评, v./n., to criticize; criticism, L24, P302
 pīsà, 披萨, n., pizza, L39, P502
 pò'àn, 破案, v.-o., to solve a case, L32, P412
 pòhuài, 破坏, v./n., to destroy; to damage; destruction; damage, L35, P452
 pòjiù, 破旧, adj., dilapidated; worn-out, L34, P440
 pǔbiàn, 普遍, adj./adv., widespread; common; generally, L20, P250
 pǔjǐ, 普及, v., to make universal; to popularize, L33, P427
 pǔshì, 普世, adj., universal, L19, P238
 pǔtōng, 普通, adj., common; ordinary, L24, P304
 pǔtōnghuà, 普通话, n., Mandarin Chinese, L2, P15; L11, P136
 qí, 骑, v., to ride (horse, bicycle, etc.); to sit on the back of, L29, P374
 qī.zi, 妻子, n., wife, L16, P201
 qiàdāng, 恰当, adj./adv., appropriate; suitable; appropriately; suitably, L13, P162
 qiānbǐ, 铅笔, n., pencil, L33, P427
 qiáng, 墙, n., wall, L2, P15
 qiáng, 强, adj., strong; capable; powerful, L24, P305
 qiángdiào, 强调, v., to emphasize, L13, P161
 qiǎngjié, 抢劫, v./n., to rob (formal); robbery (抢: to rob [colloquial]), L25, P318
 qiánpái, 前排, n., front row (排: row), L36, P464
 qiānwàn, 千万, adv., (lit.) ten million, used in an imperative sentence to urge one to absolutely do or not do something, L13, P161
 qiānxū, 谦虚, adj., modest, L13, P161
 qiāo, 敲, v., to strike; to knock, L34, P440
 qǐchuáng, 起床, v., to get out of bed, L2, P14
 qícì, 其次, conj., secondly; next, L28, P361
 qīdài, 期待, v., to look forward to, L2, P16
 qiē chéng, 切成, v.-c., to cut into, L6, P69
 qíguài, 奇怪, adj., strange; odd, L10, P121
 qìhòu, 气候, n., climate, L8, P97
 qīn.qi, 亲戚, n., relative, L18, P225
 qíncài, 芹菜, n., celery, L6, P69

qīng, 轻, adj./adv., young (to modify 年纪); light; lightly, L19, P238
 qīngcài, 青菜, n., greens, L6, P68
 qīngdàn, 清淡, adj., light; not greasy or strongly flavored, L8, P97
 qīngjià, 请假, v.-o., to ask for leave (假: break; vacation), L9, P110
 qīngkuài, 轻快, adj./adv., brisk; lively; briskly; livelily, L22, P275
 qīngkuàng, 情况, n., situation, L10, P122
 qīngshàonián, 青少年, n., teenager; adolescent, L38, P490
 qīngshuǐ, 清水, n., clean water, L7, P82
 qīngsōng, 轻松, adj./adv., relaxed; effortless; effortlessly, L7, P82
 qīngxíng, 情形, n., circumstances; scenario, L23, P290
 qīngzhēng, 清蒸, v., to steam in clear broth, L8, P97
 qīnjìn, 亲近, adj., intimate; close, L13, P161
 qīnlüè, 侵略, v./n., to invade; invasion, L30, P389
 qīnqiè, 亲切, adj./adv., cordial; kind; cordially; kindly, L2, P15;
 familiar; close; intimate, L16, P199
 qīnrén, 亲人, n., family members, L13, P160
 qīnshū yǒubié, 亲疏有别, idm., to treat close and distant
 relationships differently, L16, P201
 qīnwěn, 亲吻, n./v., kiss; to kiss, L19, P236
 qíshí, 其实, adv., actually; in fact, L4, P40
 qítā, 其他, pron., other, L5, P56
 qiúduì, 球队, n., sport team (in ball games), L30, P387
 qiúmi, 球迷, n., sports fan, L31, P401
 qízhōng, 其中, p.w., among them; of them, L24, P302
 quán, 全, whole; entire, L38, P490
 quàn, 劝, v., to urge; to persuade, L9, P110
 quàncài, 劝菜, v.-o., to persuade somebody to eat, L15, P187
 quànjiǔ, 劝酒, v.-o., to persuade/urge somebody to drink alcohol,
 L15, P187
 qǔdài, 取代, v., to replace; to supplant, L19, P238; L32, P413
 què, 却, adv., but; yet; however, L5, P55
 quēdiǎn, 缺点, n., shortcoming; fault; weak point, L24, P304
 qún, 群, m.w., measure word for groups of people or animals, L30,
 P387
 qùshì, 去世, v., to pass away, L13, P160
 rán'ér, 然而, conj., however, L24, P303
 ràng, 让, v., to give way; to concede, L16, P199
 rě má.fan, 惹麻烦, v.-o., to invite trouble, L30, P388
 rè.nao, 热闹, adj., lively; bustling, L18, P226
 rèliè, 热烈, adj./adv., enthusiastic; ardent; enthusiastically, L37,
 P477
 rěn.buzhù, 忍不住, v.-c., cannot help doing something; unable to
 bear, L38, P490
 rèn.shì, 认识, v., to get acquainted with, L19, P237
 rēng, 扔, v., to throw away, L29, P375
 rénjiā, 人家, n., household; family, L34, P438
 rénkǒu, 人口, n., population, L25, P319
 rénlèi, 人类, n., mankind, L32, P414
 rénlǎn shíbié, 人脸识别, n., facial recognition (识别: to recognize;
 to discern), L32, P413
 rénquán, 人权, n., human rights, L20, P251
 rènshí.dào, 认识到, v.-c., to understand fully; to come to realize,
 L36, P465
 rénshù, 人数, n., number of people, L26, P332
 rènwéi, 认为, v., to think; to deem; to consider, L10, P121
 rènzhēn, 认真, adj./adv., earnest; earnestly, L22, P276
 rì.zi, 日子, n., days; life, L34, P440
 rícháng, 日常, adj., daily; everyday, L5, P54
 rìchū, 日出, n., sunrise, L18, P227
 róngrěn, 容忍, v., to tolerate; to put up with, L36, P464
 róngxìng, 荣幸, adj., honored, L19, P237
 rúguǒ, 如果, conj., if, L12, P148

rùxiāngsuísú, 入乡随俗, idm., “When in Rome, do as the Romans
 do,” L7, P83
 rùxué, 入学, v.-o., to enter a school, L24, P302
 sǎng.zi, 嗓子, n., throat, L9, P110
 sānlúnchē, 三轮车, n., pedicab, L34, P439
 sǎo, 扫, v., to scan, L5, P55
 sǎomiáo, 扫描, v., to scan, L35, P452
 sèqíng, 色情, adj., pornographic; erotic, L38, P490
 shālā, 沙拉, n., salad, L6, P68
 shālā jiàng, 沙拉酱, n., salad dressing (酱: sauce), L6, P69
 shàng, 上, over (e.g., 上百万: over a million), L24, P304
 shàng cèsuǒ, 上厕所, v.-o., to go to the restroom, L10, P121
 shāng.liang, 商量, v., to negotiate; to consult, L16, P199
 shāngchǎng, 商场, n., mall; shopping center, L10, P123
 shàngchuán, 上传, v., to upload, L36, P464
 shāngdiàn, 商店, n., store; shop, L1, P2
 shānghài, 伤害, v./n., to hurt; physical or emotional harm; damage,
 L30, P388
 shànghuǒ, 上火, v., (in Chinese medicine) to suffer from excessive
 “internal heat”; to get inflamed, L9, P111
 shāngjiā, 商家, n., businesses, merchants, L28, P360
 shāngpǐn, 商品, n., goods; commodity, L28, P358
 shàngxià bān, 上下班, amalgamation of 上班 “go to work” and
 下班 “get off work,” L25, P317
 shànzi, 扇子, n., fan, L35, P453
 shǎo.buliǎo, 少不了, v.-c., cannot do without, L33, P427
 sháo, 勺, n./m.w., spoon, L6, P69
 shāowēi, 稍微, adv., slightly, L19, P238
 shāyǎ, 沙哑, adj., (of a voice) hoarse; husky, L9, P110
 shèbèi, 设备, n., equipment, L2, P15
 shèhuì, 社会, n., society, L11, P134
 shèjì, 设计, v./n., to design; design, L34, P440
 shèjiāo, 社交, n., social interaction, L19, P236
 shēn, 深, adj., profound; deep, L23, P289
 shēng, 生, adj., raw, L6, P68
 shēng, 声, m.w., measure word for utterances, L13, P161
 shéng.zi, 绳子, n., rope, L7, P83
 shēngāo, 身高, n., height, L18, P226
 shèngcài, 剩菜, n., leftover dishes, L37, P476
 shèngfàn, 剩饭, n., leftover rice/food, L37, P476
 shēnghuó, 生活, n./v., life; to live, L3, P29
 shēngmìng, 生命, n., life, L17, P215
 shēngqì, 生气, v., to take offense; to get angry, L7, P81
 shěngqián, 省钱, v.-o., to save money; to reduce costs, L35, P451
 shèngxià, 剩下, v.-c., to remain; to be left (over), L37, P476
 shēngyì, 生意, n., business, L24, P304
 shēngyù, 生育, v., to give birth to; to bear, L17, P214
 shēnqǐng, 申请, v./n., to apply; application, L24, P302
 shēntǐ, 身体, n., body; health, L9, P112
 shènzhì, 甚至, conj., to go so far as to, L7, P83
 shènzhì yú, 甚至于, adv., even to the extent of; so far as to, L12,
 P148
 shèxiàngtóu, 摄像头, n., (surveillance) camera, L32, P412
 shī, 湿, adj., wet, L7, P81; L8, P97
 shī.lājī, 湿垃圾, n., (lit.) wet waste; kitchen waste, L37, P476
 shī.fu, 师傅, n., polite form of address for skilled laborers, L1, P2
 shì.qíng, 事情, n., thing; matter, L1, P2
 shíchā, 时差, n., jet lag; time difference, L4, P40
 shìchǎng, 市场, n., market, L5, P55
 shídài, 时代, n., era; age, L38, P490
 shídài, 时代, n., generation, L17, P214
 shìhé, 适合, v., to suit, L38, P490

shìjì, 世纪, n., century, L19, P236
 shíjiān, 时间, n., time, L2, P16
 shìjiè, 世界, n., world, L17, P213
 shìjiègèdì, 世界各地, p.w., all over the world, L40, P514
 shílì, 实力, n., strength, L31, P400
 shímáo, 时髦, adj., fashionable; in vogue, L28, P359
 shímín, 市民, n., citizen; city resident, L31, P402
 shípǐn, 食品, n., food product, L37, P476
 shípín, 视频, n., video, L38, P489
 shīqù, 失去, v., to lose, L12, P149
 shíshàng, 时尚, adj./n., fashionable; fashion; fad, L39, P503
 shíshī, 实施, v., to implement; to carry out, L37, P475
 shítáng, 食堂, n., cafeteria; canteen, L4, P41
 shīwàng, 失望, adj./adv., disappointed; disappointedly, L1, P3
 shìwēi, 示威, v.-o., to demonstrate; to hold a demonstration, L30, P388
 shíwù, 食物, n., food, L8, P97
 shǐyòng, 使用, v., to use (often in instructions or technical settings), L13, P162
 shìyǒu, 室友, n., roommate, L34, P439
 shíyǒubājiǔ, 十有八九, idm., nine times out of ten; most likely, L16, P201
 shízài, 实在, adv., indeed; honestly, L4, P42
 shízì lùkǒu, 十字路口, n., crossroads, L32, P413
 shǒu, 首, m.w., measure word for songs, poems, L21, P263
 shōu, 收, v., to bring in, L12, P147
 shòu huānyíng, 受欢迎, , to be well received (欢迎: to welcome), L30, P387
 shòu.buliǎo, 受不了, v.-c., cannot stand, L22, P277
 shǒubèi, 手背, n., back of hand, L21, P264
 shòudào, 受到, v., to receive, L13, P161
 shǒudū, 首都, n., capital (of a country), L1, P1
 shōufèi, 收费, v.-o., to collect fees; to charge a fee, L10, P122
 shòuhuòyuán, 售货员, n., salesperson, L5, P56; L28, P360
 shōulǐ, 收礼, v.-o., to receive a present; to accept a gift, L15, P187
 shōurù, 收入, n., income, L18, P226
 shǒushì, 首饰, n., jewelry, L35, P453
 shǒutào, 手套, n., gloves, L21, P264; L27, P345
 shǒuxiān, 首先, conj., first of all; firstly, L28, P361
 shǒuxīn, 手心, n., palm, L21, P264
 shǒuyì, 手艺, n., craftsmanship, L16, P201
 shǒuzhǐ, 手指, n., finger, L21, P264
 shū.fu, 舒服, adj., comfortable, L2, P15
 shuā, 刷, v., to brush; to scrub, L7, P82
 shuā.zi, 刷子, n., brush, L7, P82
 shuānghào, 双号, n., even number, L26, P333
 shuāngrénjiān, 双人间, n., two-person room, L3, P29
 Shuāngshíyī, 双十一, n., a Chinese e-commerce Holiday on Nov. 11th, L28, P358
 shūcài, 蔬菜, n., vegetable, L6, P68
 shūfǎ, 书法, n., calligraphy, L33, P426
 shūfáng, 书房, n., study (room), L33, P427
 shuì.buhǎo, 睡不好, v.-c., unable to sleep well, L4, P40
 shuì.buzháo, 睡不着, v.-c., unable to sleep, L4, P40
 shuǐlóngtóu, 水龙头, n., water faucet, L21, P263
 shuǐpíng, 水平, n., standard; level, L10, P123
 shùliàng, 数量, n., quantity; amount, L28, P361
 shùnbìan, 顺便, adv., conveniently; without much extra effort, L29, P375
 Shùnfēng, 顺丰, n., SF Express (Chinese courier company), L29, P373
 shuōmíng, 说明, v., to explain; to illustrate; to show, L17, P215
 shuòshì, 硕士, n., master's degree, L11, P135

shūqiān, 书签, n., bookmark, L35, P453
 shǔqībān, 暑期班, n., summer program, L11, P134
 shúxī, 熟悉, v., be familiar with, L17, P212
 shūyíng, 输赢, n., win or lose (输: to lose; 赢: to win), L12, P148
 shūzhuō, 书桌, n., desk, L3, P27
 sīchóu, 丝绸, n., silk, L40, P514
 Sīchóuzhīlù, 丝绸之路, n., The Silk Road, L40, P514
 Sichuān, 四川, n., Sichuan Province, L8, P97
 sìhéyuàn, 四合院, n., courtyard house with a fully enclosed courtyard, L34, P438
 sījī, 司机, n., driver, L1, P2
 sīkǎo, 思考, v., to reflect on; to ponder over; to think deeply, L38, P491
 sìtōngbādá, 四通八达, idm., extending in all directions, L27, P345
 sīxiǎng, 思想, n., thinking; thought; ideology, L17, P215
 sòng, 送, v., to deliver, L4, P42; to give as a gift, L8, P98
 sònglǐ, 送礼, v.-o., to give a present, L15, P187
 sù, 素, adj., vegetarian, L4, P41
 suàn, 算, v., to calculate, L5, P56; to consider; to regard as, L12, P147
 suān, 酸, adj., sour, L4, P42; sore, L10, P122
 sùdù, 速度, n., speed; pace, L35, P451
 sùhuà, 俗话, n., saying; colloquialism, L14, P174
 suí.zhe, 随着, prep., along with; in pace with, L28, P359
 suíbiàn, 随便, adj./adv., random; casual; casually; wantonly; informally, L14, P175
 suídi tǔtán, 随地吐痰, idm., to spit wantonly, L20, P250; L36, P464
 suíshí, 随时, adv., at any time, L26, P333
 sùliào, 塑料, n., plastic, L28, P361
 sùliàopiàn, 塑料片, n., piece of plastic, L6, P68
 suǒ, 所, m.w., measure word for schools, L17, P212
 suǒyǒu, 所有, adj., all, L24, P304
 sùshè, 宿舍, n., dormitory; dorm room, L3, P27
 tái, 台, m.w., m.w. for certain machinery, instruments, etc., L7, P81
 tài.dù, 态度, n., attitude; approach, L14, P174
 tài.dù, 态度, n., attitude; stance, L23, P290
 tài.tai, 太太, n., wife; Mrs., L16, P201
 tàijíquán, 太极拳, n., Tai Chi (traditional form of physical exercise or relaxation; a form of martial arts), L12, P147
 Táiwān, 台湾, p.w., Taiwan, L11, P136
 tán, 谈, v., to discuss; to chat, L11, P134
 tán liàn'ài, 谈恋爱, v.-o., to be in love; to pursue a romantic relationship, L18, P225
 tán.bushàng, 谈不上, v.-c., to say nothing of; out of the question, L29, P373
 tán.delái, 谈得来, v.-c., to get along with, L3, P29
 tàng, 趟, m.w., measure word for a round trip, L6, P68
 Tángdài, 唐代, n., Tang Dynasty, L40, P515
 tánhuà, 谈话, v.-o./n., to discuss; discussion, L2, P16
 tānhuàn, 瘫痪, v./n., to be paralyzed; paralysis, L25, P317
 Táobao, 淘宝, n., Taobao (Chinese e-commerce platform), L29, P373
 táocǐ, 陶瓷, n., porcelain; ceramics, L35, P452
 tàojìn.hu, 套近乎, v., (colloquial) to try to buddy up with someone, L16, P199
 táoyǒng, 陶俑, n., pottery figurine buried with the dead, L40, P515
 tā rén, 他人, pron., somebody else [formal], L36, P465
 tèbié, 特别, adv./adj., particularly; especially; special, L4, P42
 tèchǎn, 特产, n., regional goods; local specialty, L40, P514
 tècháng, 特长, n., talent; special ability, L24, P303
 tèdiǎn, 特点, n., distinguishing feature; trait, L8, P96

téng, 疼, v., to ache; to have a pain, L9, P110
 tèquán, 特权, n., privilege, L24, P304
 tèsè, 特色, n., distinguishing feature; characteristic, L34, P438
 Tiān'ānmén, 天安门, p.w., Tiananmen (Square), L17, P213
 tiáo, 条, m.w., strip; m.w. for long, narrow piece objects, L6, P69;
 measure word for rules, laws, L21, P263
 tiáojiàn, 条件, n., conditions, L3, P27
 tǐcāo, 体操, n., calisthenics, L12, P147
 tídao, 提到, v.-c., to mention, L33, P428
 tiějiàng, 铁匠, n., blacksmith, L34, P438
 tiēxīn, 贴心, adj./adv., considerate; thoughtful; considerately, L29, P375
 tígāo, 提高, v./n., to increase; to improve; increase; improvement, L28, P359
 tígōng, 提供, v., to supply; to provide, L5, P54
 tǐlì, 体力, n., physical strength, L29, P375
 tímù, 题目, n., topic; subject, L17, P215
 tǐng...de, 挺...的, adv., quite; pretty, L2, P15
 tíngchēchǎng, 停车场, n., parking lot (停车: to park a car), L26, P333
 tǐwēn, 体温, n., body temperature, L9, P111
 tíxǐng, 提醒, v.-o., to remind; to call attention to, L10, P122
 tǐyàn, 体验, v./n., to learn through practice; experience, L34, P439
 tǐyù, 体育, n., Physical Education, L24, P303
 tǐzhòng, 体重, n., body weight, L4, P42
 tóngbèi, 同辈, n., peer, L19, P237
 tōngdào, 通道, n., passageway; passage, L40, P515
 tōngguò, 通过, v., to pass (an exam), L24, P304
 tǒngjì, 统计, v./n., to calculate; statistics, L38, P490
 tóngqíng, 同情, v./n., to sympathize; sympathy, L13, P160
 tóngwū, 同屋, n., roommate, L3, P29
 tōngxìang, 通向, v., to lead to, L40, P515
 tóngxué, 同学, n., classmate, L2, P14
 tóu, 投, v., to invest, L35, P451
 tóu'r, 头儿, n., end, L10, P122
 tōuqiè, 偷窃, v./n., to steal (formal); theft (偷: to steal [colloquial]), L25, P318
 tóusù, 投诉, v./n., to complain (about a product or service); to lodge a complaint to authority; complaint, L29, P374
 tú, 涂, v., to spread on; to apply, L7, P82
 tuánjié, 团结, v./n., to rally; to unite; unification, L17, P213
 tūchū, 突出, adj., outstanding; prominent, L31, P401
 tuǐ, 腿, n., leg, L10, P122
 tuī, 推, v., to push, L12, P147
 tuì, 退, v., to move back; to retreat, L10, P121
 tuìhuò, 退货, v.-o., to return goods or a purchase, L28, P361
 tuìshāo, 退烧, v.-o., to bring down a fever (transitive); the fever has gone down (intransitive), L9, P111
 Tuītè, 推特, n., Twitter, L30, P388
 tuīxiāo, 推销, v./n., to promote sales; sales promotion, L17, P213
 tuīxíng, 推行, v., to carry out; to put into practice, L17, P214
 tuìxiū, 退休, v., to retire, L22, P276
 tuìxuǎn, 推选, v., to nominate, recommend for election, L22, P276
 tūrán, 突然, adv./adj., suddenly; sudden, L22, P276
 wà.zi, 袜子, n., socks; stockings, L27, P345
 wàibiǎo, 外表, n., outward appearance; exterior, L11, P136
 wàiguórén, 外国人, n., foreigner (外国: foreign), L1, P1
 wàilái, 外来, adj., foreign; outside; external, L39, P502
 wàimài, 外卖, n., take-out food, L4, P41
 wàirén, 外人, n., outsider, L16, P200
 wàn, 万, num., ten thousand, L20, P249
 wān, 弯, v., to bend, L7, P82
 wǎn, 碗, n./m.w., bowl, L6, P69

wǎndiǎn, 晚点, v., (of planes, trains, etc.) to be behind schedule, L1, P2
 wàng, 忘, v., to forget, L7, P81
 wǎng, 往, prep., in the direction of; towards, L8, P95
 wǎnggòu, 网购, n., online shopping, L28, P360
 wǎngluòhónggrén, 网络红人, internet celebrity, L38, P489
 wǎngqiú, 网球, n., tennis, L12, P148
 wǎngwǎng, 往往, adv., usually; in many cases, L4, P42
 wǎngyǒu, 网友, n., netizen, L36, P464
 wǎngzhàn, 网站, n., website, L3, P29
 wánhǎo, 完好, adj., intact; in good condition, L34, P439
 wánquán, 完全, adv., completely, L12, P149
 wànsuì, 万岁, v., to long live, L17, P213
 wānyāo, 弯腰, v.-o., to bend at the waist, L19, P238
 wéi, 围, v., to surround, L30, P387
 wèi, 胃, n., stomach that digests food, L4, P41
 wèi, 位, m.w., honorific measure word for people, L11, P134
 Wēibó, 微博, n., Weibo (Chinese social media platform), L36, P464
 wéichí, 维持, v., to maintain; to sustain, L25, P319
 wéiguózhēngguāng, 为国争光, to win glory for country, L31, P400
 wěihào, 尾号, n., last digits of a number, L26, P333
 wéihù, 维护, v., to protect; to uphold, L32, P413
 wéinán, 为难, adj., to feel embarrassed/awkward, L15, P188
 wèishēng, 卫生, n./adj., hygiene; hygienic, L10, P123
 wèishēngjiān, 卫生间, n., bathroom, L3, P27
 wèishēngzhǐ, 卫生纸, n., toilet paper (卫生: hygiene), L5, P54
 wēixiǎn, 危险, adj., dangerous, L21, P263
 wēixié, 威胁, v./n., to threaten; threat, L32, P414
 Wēixin, 微信, n., WeChat, L5, P55
 wéiyī, 唯一, adj., only; sole, L25, P317
 wéichuàng, 文创, n., abbreviation for 文化 cultural and 创意 creative industries (film, television, music, design, etc.), L35, P453
 wěndìng, 稳定, adj./adv., stable; steady; stably; steadily, L24, P304; L11, P136
 wénfāngsibǎo, 文房四宝, idm., Four Treasures of the Study, L33, P427
 wènhǎo, 问好, v.-o., to greet, L19, P238
 wénhuà, 文化, n., culture, L13, P161
 wénjù, 文具, n., stationery, L35, P453
 wénmíng, 文明, adj./n., civilized; civilization, L36, P464
 wénwù, 文物, n., cultural relic; historical relic, L35, P452
 wénxué, 文学, n., literature (field of study), L11, P135; L24, P303
 wófáng, 卧房, n., bedroom, L27, P346
 wòshì, 卧室, n., bedroom, L3, P27
 wòshǒu, 握手, v.-o., to shake hands, L19, P236
 wù, 勿, adv., do not; never (formal and authoritative, often used in official notices and signs), L36, P464
 wǔ, 捂, v., to cover with one's hand, L21, P265
 wǔdǎo, 舞蹈, n., dance, L22, P275; L12, P147
 wùhuì, 误会, v./n., to misunderstand; misunderstanding, L13, P161
 Wūlùmùqí, 乌鲁木齐, p.w., Ürümqi (capital of the Xinjiang Uyghur Autonomous Region), L40, P515
 wúlùn, 无论, conj., regardless, L20, P250
 wūrǎn, 污染, v./n., to pollute; pollution, L20, P249
 wúshù, 无数, adj., countless; innumerable, L21, P264
 wúxiàn wǎngluò, 无线网络, n., Wi-Fi (无线: wireless; 网络: internet), L3, P27
 wǔxīngjī, 五星级, adj., five-star rated, L27, P345
 xǐ'ài, 喜爱, v./n., to be fond of; fondness, L30, P387
 Xī'ān, 西安, p.w., Xi'an (capital of Shanxi Province), L40, P515
 xiàdān, 下单, v.-o., to place an order, L4, P42

xiàjiàng, 下降, v., to decline; to drop [intransitive verb], L28, P360
xián, 咸, adj., salty, L8, P96
xián, 闲, adj., idle; unoccupied, L22, P276
xiǎn.de, 显得, v., to seem; to appear, L34, P438
xiān.sheng, 先生, n., husband; Mr., L16, P201
xiàndàihuà, 现代化, adj./n., modernized; modernization (现代: modern), L1, P1
xiàng, 向, prep., toward; in the direction of, L12, P147
xiǎng, 响, v., to sound; to ring, L2, P14
Xiāng, 湘, n., abbr. for Hunan Province, L8, P96
xiāngfǎn, 相反, conj., on the contrary, L16, P200
Xiānggǎng, 香港, p.w., Hong Kong, L11, P136
xiāngjiāo, 香蕉, n., banana, L6, P70
xiǎngniàn, 想念, v., to remember with longing; to miss, L6, P68
xiāngqīn, 相亲, v.-o., to go on a blind date/arranged date, L18, P225
xiǎngshòu, 享受, v., to enjoy, L12, P148
xiāngtóng, 相同, adj., same, L13, P160
xiǎngxiàng, 想象, v./n., to imagine; imagination, L1, P1
xiāngxìn, 相信, v., to believe; to trust, L23, P290
xiāngyóu, 香油, n., sesame oil, L6, P69
xiàngzi, 巷子, n., narrow alley; small lane, L34, P438
xiàn hào, 限号, v.-o., to restrict the use of vehicles based on the license plate number, L26, P332
xiānjiànzhīmíng, 先见之明, idm., foresight, L19, P238
xiànjīn, 现金, n., cash, L5, P55
xiànr, 馅儿, n., stuffing, L4, P41
xiǎnrán, 显然, adv., obviously; clearly; evidently, L40, P516
xiànshàng, 线上, p.w., online, L28, P359
xiànxiàng, 现象, n., phenomenon, L28, P359
xiànzhì, 限制, v., to restrict; to limit, L26, P332
xiào.hua, 笑话, n./v., joke; to laugh at, L10, P121
xiǎochī, 小吃, n., street food, L14, P176
xiǎofānqié, 小番茄, n., cherry tomato, L6, P69
xiǎofèi, 小费, n., tip, L4, P42
xiāofèi, 消费, n./v., to consume; to spend; consumption, L28, P359
xiāofèizhě, 消费者, n., consumer, L28, P358
xiǎohuò.zi, 小伙子, n., (colloquial) lad; young man, L16, P199
xiàolù, 效率, n., efficiency; effectiveness, L20, P251
xiǎoshí.hou, 小时候, t.w., in one's childhood, L21, P263
xiǎotānr, 小摊儿, n., vendor's stall, L27, P345
xiǎoxīn, 小心, adj./adv., careful; carefully, L14, P174
xiǎoxué, 小学, n., elementary school, L17, P212
xiāoyè, 宵夜, n., midnight snack, L4, P42
xiàshuǐdào, 下水道, n., drain, L3, P28
Xīdān, 西单, p.w., *Xidan*, a district in Beijing, L25, P317
xiē, 些, It attaches to 这, 那, 一, 哪 to make them plural, L3, P27
xǐfāyè, 洗发液, n., shampoo, L5, P54
xíguàn, 习惯, n./v., habit; custom; to be used to; to be accustomed to, L3, P29
xīhóngshì, 西红柿, n., tomato (see Note 1), L6, P69
xìjūn, 细菌, n., bacteria, L21, P264
xīn.xian, 新鲜, adj., fresh; novel, L22, P275
xìng, -性, of a ... nature, L17, P213
xǐng, 醒, v., to wake up, L2, P14
xíng.lǐ, 行李, n., luggage, L32, P412
Xīngbākè, 星巴克, n., Starbucks, L39, P502
xíngchéng, 形成, v., to form, L14, P176
xīngfèn, 兴奋, adj./adv., excited; excitedly, L1, P1
xìnghuì, 幸会, idm., It's an honor to meet you., L19, P237
xìngsāorǎo, 性骚扰, n., sexual harassment, L25, P318

xīngguānfēiyán, 新冠肺炎, n., novel coronavirus pneumonia; COVID-19, L19, P238
xíngwéi, 行为, n., behavior; conduct, L36, P464
xìngyùn, 幸运, adj., lucky; fortunate, L16, P201
Xīnjiāng, 新疆, p.w., Xinjiang, L32, P413
xīnkǔ, 辛苦, adj./adv., hard; toilsome; painstakingly, L29, P374; L12, P148
xīnlǐ, 心理, n., mentality; psychology, L14, P175
xīnshǎng, 欣赏, v., to appreciate (art, scenery, music, etc.); to admire (someone's qualities), L31, P402
xīnxiān, 新鲜, adj., fresh, L6, P68
xìnyǎng, 信仰, n./v., faith; belief; to believe in, L39, P503
xìnyòngkǎ, 信用卡, n., credit card, L5, P55
xiōng, 胸, n., chest, L19, P237
xǐshǒuyè, 洗手液, n., hand wash; liquid soap, L21, P264
xiū, 修, v., to renovate; to repair, L35, P451
xiū.xi, 休息, v., to rest; to take a break, L9, P110
xiūfù, 修复, v., to repair; to fix (specific damages), L35, P451
Xiūsīdùn, 休斯顿, n., Houston, L30, P387
xīwàng, 希望, v./n., to hope; hope, L21, P265
xīyà, 西亚, p.w., West Asia, L40, P514
xǐyījī, 洗衣机, n., washing machine, L7, P81
xīyīn, 吸引, v., to attract, L24, P305
xǐyīyè, 洗衣液, n., laundry detergent, L7, P82
Xīzàng, 西藏, p.w., Tibet, L32, P413
xuānchuán, 宣传, v./n., to disseminate; dissemination, L17, P213
xuǎnzé, 选择, v./n., to choose; choice, L28, P360
xǔduō, 许多, adj., many; much; a great deal of, L9, P111
Xuěbì, 雪碧, n., Sprite, L39, P502
xuéxí, 学习, v./n., to learn; to study; learning; studying, L2, P15
xuéxiào, 学校, n., school, L1, P2
xùnliàn, 训练, v./n., to train; training, L12, P148
xūqiú, 需求, n., need; demand, L29, P373
xǔxǔduōduō, 许许多多, adj., a great many, L21, P264
xūyào, 需要, v./aux., to need; need, L16, P200
yágāo, 牙膏, n., toothpaste, L5, P54
yālì, 压力, n., pressure, L27, P346
yàn, 砚, n., inkstone, L33, P427
yān, 烟, n., cigarette, L1, P2
yǎnchàng, 演唱, n./v., singing performance; to sing (in a performance), L38, P489
yàng, 样, m.w., kind; type, L6, P69
yǎngchéng, 养成, v., to develop (a habit), L21, P265
yángé, 严格, adj./adv., strict; stringent; strictly, L25, P318
yáng huǒ, 洋火, n., colloquial term for matches, L40, P517
yánglājī, 洋垃圾, n., trash from Western countries, L37, P477
yángqín, 洋琴, n., dulcimer, L40, P517
yáng rén, 洋人, n., colloquial term for foreigners (usu. Westerner), L40, P517
yáng ròu, 羊肉, n., mutton, L34, P438
yángshānyù, 洋山芋, n., potato (now more often known as 土豆 tǔdòu in Mandarin Chinese), L40, P517
yǎnguāng, 眼光, n., one's ability to judge or discern quality, L18, P225
yángwén, 洋文, n., colloquial term for foreign languages (usu. Western language), L40, P517
yánhǎi, 沿海, p.w., coastal area, L40, P517
yǎnjīng, 眼睛, n., eyes, L21, P264
yánjiū, 研究, v./n., to research; research, L11, P135
yánjiūshēng, 研究生, n., graduate student, L11, P135
yánlùn zìyóu, 言论自由, n., freedom of speech, L11, P136
yántú, 沿途, p.w., along the way, L31, P402

yánzhòng, 严重, adj./adv., serious; severe; seriously; severely, L20, P249
yǎnzòu, 演奏, v., to play (a musical instrument), L40, P516
yāo, 腰, n., waist, L7, P82
Yáo Míng, 姚明, n., Yao Ming (NBA basketball player), L30, P388
yào.burán, 要不然, conj., otherwise, L13, P161; L9, P110
yáodòng, 摇动, v.-c., to shake, L19, P237; to sway; to rock, L22, P275
yáohào, 摇号, v.-o., to draw a number (lottery), L26, P332
yàomíng, 要命, adj., (lit.) it's killing me; terrible; awful, L8, P98
yāoqiú, 要求, v./n., to require; requirement, L18, P226
yāosuānbèitēng, 腰酸背痛, idm., to have a sore waist and aching back, L3, P28
yáshuā, 牙刷, n., toothbrush, L5, P54
Yēsūhuì, 耶稣会, n., Jesuits, L39, P504
yì, 亿, num., one hundred million, L20, P249; L28, P359
yí lù.shàng, 一路上, p.w., the entire way, L1, P3
yì.yì, 意义, n., meaning; significance, L12, P149
yǐ.zi, 椅子, n., chair, L3, P27
yībān, 一般, adj./adv., average; so-so; usually, L16, P200; L7, P83
yǐbèi, 椅背, n., back of a chair, L36, P464
yícxìng, 一次性, adj., disposable; single-use, L5, P54
yídàiyìlù, 一带一路, n., Belt and Road Initiative (global development strategy China adopted in 2013), L40, P517
yídìng, 一定, adj./adv., certain; certainly; definitely, L8, P97
yīduìyī, 一对一, adj., one-on-one (noun modifier), L11, P134
yīguì, 衣柜, n., wardrobe, L3, P27
yīhuì'r, 一会儿, adv., momentarily, L12, P147
yījià, 衣架, n., clothes hanger, L7, P83
yìjiàn, 意见, n., opinion; view; idea, L14, P175
yījǔliǎngdé, 一举两得, idm., (lit.) one move, two gains; to kill two birds with one stone, L31, P402
yímín, 移民, v./n., to immigrate; immigrant, L30, P389
yīncǐ, 因此, conj., therefore; for this reason, L16, P199
yìng, 硬, adj., hard; stiff; firm, L3, P28
yīngchǐ, 英尺, m.w., foot (measurement), L19, P237
yìngdàolǐ, 硬道理, n., absolute principle, L17, P214
yíngxiǎng, 影响, v./n., to affect; to influence; influence, L3, P29; L13, P162
yīngyǒujīnyǒu, 应有尽有, idm., everything that should be here is here; to have everything one can wish for, L27, P345
yínháng, 银行, n., bank, L5, P56
yīnhuòdéfú, 因祸得福, idm., to gain blessings from disasters, L20, P251
yīnqǐ, 引起, v., to lead to; to give rise to, L13, P161; L38, P489
yīnshí, 饮食, n., food and drink; diet, L8, P97; diet, L39, P503
yīnsī, 隐私, n., privacy, L32, P414
yīnxiàng, 印象, n., impression, L1, P3
yíqiè, 一切, pron., all; everything, L29, P373
yīshēng, 医生, n., doctor, L9, P110
yìshù, 艺术, n., Art, L24, P303
Yīslánjiào, 伊斯兰教, n., Islam, L39, P503
yīxiàn, 一线, adj., tier one; top tier [noun modifier], L29, P374
yìxiǎng.budào, 意想不到, v.-c., unexpected; unanticipated, L20, P251
yīyuàn, 医院, n., hospital, L9, P110
yízhí, 一直, adv., continuously; all along, L2, P15
yòng.buliǎo, 用不了, v.-c., unable to use, L3, P29
yǒngbào, 拥抱, n./v., hug; to hug; to embrace, L19, P236
yòngdiào, 用掉, v.-c., to consume completely; to use up (掉 is a verb complement indicating depletion or removal.), L28, P361
yòngfǎ, 用法, n., usage; use, L13, P160

yǒnggǎn, 勇敢, adj./adv., brave; courageous; bravely, L14, P175
yǒnghù, 用户, n., user; subscriber, L38, P490
yōngjǐ, 拥挤, adj., crowded; packed, L5, P55
yòngli, 用力, v., to exert oneself (physically), L7, P82
yòngpǐn, 用品, n., articles for use, L5, P54
yóu, 油, adj./n., oily; greasy; oil, L4, P41
yóu, 由, prep., by; via, L18, P226
Yóuguǎn, 油管, n., YouTube, L3, P29
yǒuhài, 有害, adj., harmful, L37, P475
yǒuhào, 友好, adj., friendly; amicable, L39, P503
yōujiǔ, 悠久, adj., (of history, tradition) long, L25, P317
yóukè, 游客, n., tourists, L35, P452
yǒulì, 有利, adj., beneficial, L37, P476
yóuqí, 尤其, adv., especially; particularly, L12, P149
yǒuqù, 有趣, adj., interesting; amusing; fascinating, L14, P176
yǒushuōyǒuxiào, 有说有笑, idm., talk and laugh, L2, P16
yóuxì, 游戏, n., game, L31, P401
yǒuxiào, 有效, adj., effective, L26, P333
yǒuxiē, 有些, adv., somewhat; rather, L5, P56
yōuxiù, 优秀, adj., outstanding; excellent, L11, P135
yóuyǒng, 游泳, v./n., to swim; swimming, L12, P148
yóuyuǎ, 犹豫, v., to hesitate; to waver, L32, P413
yuànyì, 愿意, aux., be willing to, L23, P289
yuánzhūbǐ, 圆珠笔, n., ballpoint pen, L33, P427
yuèqì, 乐器, n., musical instrument, L40, P516
yùjīn, 浴巾, n., bath towel, L3, P28
yúlè, 娱乐, n., entertainment; recreation, L39, P503
yǔmáoqiú, 羽毛球, n., badminton, L12, P148
yǔnxǔ, 允许, v., to allow; to permit, L19, P236
yúshì, 于是, conj., accordingly; so; then, L22, P277
yǔyán, 语言, n., language, L13, P160
yǔyánxué, 语言学, n., linguistics (field of study), L11, P135
zāinàn, 灾难, n., disaster; catastrophe; calamity, L20, P250
zàisān, 再三, adv., over and over again, L15, P188
zán.men, 咱们, pron., we; us (including the speaker and listeners), L16, P199
zāng, 脏, adj., dirty, L7, P82
zánliǎ, 咱俩, pron., we two; the two of us, L16, P200
zāo, 糟, adj., bad; in a wretched state, L20, P249
zàochéng, 造成, v., to cause; to bring about, L5, P56
zǎoliàn, 早恋, v./n., to fall in love in an early age, L18, P225
zàoyīn, 噪音, n., noise, L22, P277
zēngjiā, 增加, v., to increase, L4, P42
zhǎi, 窄, adj., narrow, L3, P28
zháji, 炸鸡, n., fried chicken, L39, P502
zhàng.fu, 丈夫, n., husband, L16, P201
zhǎngdà, 长大, v.-c., to grow up, L18, P226
zhànghào, 账号, n., account, L38, P491; L5, P56
zhànzhēng, 战争, n., war, L39, P504
Zhào, 赵, n., a surname, L9, P110
zhǎo, 找, v., to look for, L2, P14; to give change, L5, P56
zhàogù, 照顾, v., to take care of, L3, P28
zhāopìn, 招聘, v./n., to recruit; recruitment, L29, P373
zhékòu, 折扣, n., discount, L28, P358
zhēn, 真, adv., really, L1, P2
zhěng, 整-, whole (followed by m.w.+N.), L3, P29
zhèngcè, 政策, n., policy, L17, P214
zhèngcháng, 正常, adj., normal; regular, L34, P440
zhèngfǔ, 政府, n., government, L17, P213
zhènghǎo, 正好, adj./adv., just right; just enough; coincidentally, L17, P214
zhěnglǐ, 整理, v., to put in order; to tidy, L3, P28

zhěngqí, 整齐, adj./adv., neat; uniform; neatly; uniformly, L22, P275
 zhèngshì, 正式, adj./adv., formal; official; officially, L37, P475
 zhěngxiū, 整修, v., to renovate (a more extensive and thorough renovation that goes beyond simple repairs), L35, P451
 zhèngzhì, 政治, n., politics, L11, P134
 zhēnshí, 真实, adj., real; authentic, L24, P303
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