



Learn to Speak Chinese

学 说 中 文

Xué Shuō Zhōng Wén



Words Used in Classroom

tīng

shuō

dú

xiě

kàn



Words Used in Classroom

tīng

listen

shuō

say, speak

dú

read

xiě

write

kàn

look, see



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Tīng wǒ shuō

Gēn wǒ dú

Zěn me shuō

Zěn me xiě ?

Zài shuō yí biàn.

Zài dú yí biàn.



Words Used in Classroom

Tīng wǒ shuō

Listen to me

Gēn wǒ dú

Read after me

Zěn me shuō

How to say ?

Zěn me xiě ?

How to write?

Zài shuō yí biàn.

Say it again.

Zài dú yí biàn.

Read again



Words Used in Classroom

Yǒu wèn tí ma?

Tīng xiě

Hěn hǎo

Shàng kè

Xiū xi

Xià kè

Shuō màn diǎnr.



Words Used in Classroom

Yǒu wèn tí ma?

Any question?

Tīng xiě

Dictation

Hěn hǎo

Very good

Shàng kè

Let's begin our class

Xiū xi

Have a break / rest.

Xià kè

Class is over.

Shuō màn diǎnr.

Speak slowly.



Useful Expressions

- China
- NDU
- Name of the district where the CDS locates in.
- Name of the nearest bus stop (east)
- Name of the nearest bus stop (west)
- Name of the nearest subway station



Useful Expressions

- zhōng guó (中国) ---- China
- guó fáng dà xué (国防大学) ---- NDU
- chāng píng (昌平) ---- Name of the district where the CDS locates in.
- chāng píng dōng guān (昌平东关) ---- Name of the nearest bus stop (east)
- Kàng shān (亢山) ---- Name of the nearest bus stop (west)
- Nán Shào (南邵) ---- Name of the nearest subway station



Lecture 2

PHOETICS

<i>Finals</i>	a o e i u ü
<i>Initials</i>	b p m f d t n l



	a	o	e	i	u	ü
b	ba	bo		bi	bu	
p	pa	po		pi	pu	
m	ma	mo	me	mi	mu	
f	fa	fo			fu	
d	da		de	di	du	
t	ta		te	ti	tu	
n	na		ne	ni	nu	nü
l	la		le	li	lu	lü
	a	o	e	yi	wu	yu

When used alone as syllables, “i, u” and “ü” are written as “yi, wu” and “yu” respectively.



<http://english.cri.cn/chinese2007/chinese/english/lesson01/pinyin.html>

<http://english.cri.cn/08chinese/>

<http://english.cntv.cn/learnchinese/>

http://www.china.org.cn/learning_chinese/index.htm



Useful Expressions

Greetings:

Nǐ hǎo ---- Hello! (among the friends)

Nín hǎo --- Hello! (show respect)

Shàng wǔ hǎo ---- Good morning!

Xià wǔ hǎo ---- Good afternoon!

Wǎn shàng hǎo ---- Good evening!

Wǎn ān ---- Good night!



Useful Expressions

Saying Goodbye:

Zài jiàn --- Goodbye!

Míng tiān jiàn --- See you tomorrow!

Duō bǎo zhòng --- Take care.

Thanks:

Xiè xie ----- Thank you!

Duō xiè ----- Thank you very much!

Bú yòng xiè ----- Not at all!



Useful Expressions

Apologies:

Duì bù qǐ---- I'm sorry!

Méi guān xi ---- It doesn't matter!

Duì bù qǐ , wǒ bù dǒng.

Sorry, I can't understand.



Useful Expressions

A: Nǐ hǎo ma?

- How are you?

B: Wǒ hěn hǎo, nǐ ne?

- I'm fine, and you?

A: Bú cuò.

- Not bad.

A photograph of a park during autumn. The trees are covered in bright yellow leaves, and the ground is covered in fallen yellow leaves. The scene is bright and colorful.

Xiè xie
谢 谢!