

The Basics

Level 1 Course 1 Vocabulary List

Note: This list is for quick memorization. To practice writing, it is better for you to use the Chinese Character Tables and the Writing Sheets contained in the Appendices of our Chinese curriculum.

我	wǒ	I, me	关系	guānxi	relation
你	nǐ	you (singular)	有	yǒu	to have
您	nín	you (sing., formal)	是	shì	to be
他	tā	he	没有	méi yǒu	to not have
她	tā	she	不是	bú shì	to not be
它	tā	it			
我们	wǒmen	we	能	néng	can (able and allowed)
你们	nǐmen	you (plural)	会	huì	can (able), will (future)
他们	tāmen	they (masc.)	可以	kě yǐ	can (allowed)
她们	tāmen	they (fem.)	要	yào	to want, to have to
它们	tāmen	they (neuter)	想	xiǎng	to think, to wish
我的	wǒ de	my	想要	xiǎng yào	to feel like
你的	nǐ de	your	一定要	yī dìng yào	absolutely must
你好	nǐ hǎo	hello (singular)	吃	chī	to eat
你们好	nǐ men hǎo	hello (plural)	喝	hē	to drink
好	hǎo	good	睡	shuì	to sleep
好吧!	hǎo ba	All right!	走	zǒu	to walk, to go away
行	xíng	OK	来	lái	to come
再见	zài jiàn	good bye	去	qù	to go
再	zài	again	做	zuò	to do, to make
见	jiàn	to meet	这	zhè	this
请	qǐng	please	那	nà	that
谢谢	xiè xie	thanks	这儿	zhèr	here
不客气	bú kèqi	don't mention it	那儿	nàr	there
对不起	duì bù qǐ	sorry	一会儿	yíhuìr	a moment
没关系	méi guānxi	that's all right	一点儿	yídiǎnr	a little
不	bú	no, not			
客气	kèqi	polite			
没	méi	no, not			