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Real words you'll actually use in China

01 Greetings

01 nǐ hǎo
你好 Hello

02 nín hǎo
您好 Hello (polite)

03 zǎo shang hǎo
早上好 Good morning

04 wǎn shang hǎo
晚上好 Good evening

05 xiè xie
谢谢 Thank you

06 bú kè qi
不客气 You're welcome

07 duì bu qǐ
对不起 Sorry

08 méi guān xi
没关系 It's okay

09 zài jiàn
再见 Goodbye

10 qǐng wèn
请问 Excuse me

02 Must-Have Apps

01 zhī fù bǎo
支付宝 Alipay - pay & scan transit (bus/subway)

02 wēi xìn
微信 WeChat - chat & pay

03 měi tuán
美团 Meituan - food delivery

04 dī dī
滴滴 DiDi - ride-hailing

05 táo bǎo
淘宝 Taobao - online shopping

06 jīng dōng
京东 JD - online shopping

07 xiǎo hóng shū
小红书 RedNote - tips & reviews

08 dòu bāo
豆包 Doubao - AI assistant

09 gāo dé dì tú
高德地图 Amap - maps & navigation

10 dà zhòng diǎn píng
大众点评 Dianping - find good food



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03 Getting Around

01 dì tiě
地铁 Subway

02 gōng jiāo
公交 Bus

03 wǎng yuē chē
网约车 Ride-hailing

04 chū zū chē
出租车 Taxi

05 huǒ chē zhàn
火车站 Train station

06 jī chǎng
机场 Airport

07 qù
去 Go / to

08 nǎ lǐ
哪里 Where

09 zěn me zǒu
怎么走 How to get there

10 yuǎn
远 Far

04 Coffee & Drinks

01 kā fēi
咖啡 Coffee

02 chá
茶 Tea

03 měi shì
美式 Americano

04 ná tiě
拿铁 Latte

05 niú nǎi
牛奶 Milk

06 táng
糖 Sugar

07 bīng
冰 Ice

08 rè
热 Hot

09 yì bēi
一杯 One cup

10 dǎ bāo
打包 To go



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05 Shopping

01 duō shao qián
多少钱
How much

02 tài guì
太贵
Too expensive

03 pián yi
便宜
Cheap

04 kě yǐ
可以
Okay / can

05 shì shi
试试
Try it

06 wǒ yào
我要
I want

07 bú yào
不要
Don't want

08 shuā kǎ
刷卡
Card

09 xiàn jīn
现金
Cash

10 fā piào
发票
Receipt / invoice

06 Restaurant

01 cài dān
菜单
Menu

02 diǎn cài
点菜
Order food

03 kuài zi
筷子
Chopsticks

04 mǐ fàn
米饭
Rice

05 miàn tiáo
面条
Noodles

06 hǎo chī
好吃
Delicious

07 là
辣
Spicy

08 mǎi dān
买单
Check, please

09 fú wù yuán
服务员
Waiter

10 bǎo
饱
I'm full



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07 Food

01 jī dàn
鸡蛋 Egg

02 miàn bāo
面包 Bread

03 shuǐ guǒ
水果 Fruit

04 shū cài
蔬菜 Vegetable

05 ròu
肉 Meat

06 yú
鱼 Fish

07 pí jiǔ
啤酒 Beer

08 jiǎo zi
饺子 Dumpling

09 bāo zi
包子 Bun

10 chǎo fàn
炒饭 Fried rice

08 Don't Understand

01 wǒ bù míng bai
我不明白 I don't understand

02 wǒ tīng bu dǒng
我听不懂 I can't follow

03 qīng shuō màn yì diǎn
请说慢一点 Speak slowly, please

04 nǐ huì shuō Yīng yǔ ma
你会说英语吗 Do you speak English?

05 zài shuō yí cì
再说一次 Say it again

06 yòng Zhōng wén
用中文 In Chinese

07 jiā yóu
加油 You can do it

08 màn man lái
慢慢来 Take your time

09 bié jǐn zhāng
别紧张 Don't worry

10 hěn bàng
很棒 Great / well done



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09 Essentials

01 shuǐ
水 Water

02 xǐ shǒu jiān
洗手间 Toilet / restroom

03 zhè ge
这个 This

04 wǒ yào zhè ge
我要这个 I want this

05 kuài
块 Yuan (money)

06 qǐng
请 Please

07 yǒu
有 Have / there is

08 méi yǒu
没有 Don't have / no

09 shén me
什么 What

10 hǎo
好 Good / okay

10 Numbers 1–10

01 yī
一 One

02 èr
二 Two

03 sān
三 Three

04 sì
四 Four

05 wǔ
五 Five

06 liù
六 Six

07 qī
七 Seven

08 bā
八 Eight

09 jiǔ
九 Nine

10 shí
十 Ten



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11 Big Numbers

01 **bǎi**
百 Hundred

02 **qiān**
千 Thousand

03 **wàn**
万 Ten thousand

04 **shí wàn**
十万 Hundred thousand

05 **qiān wàn**
千万 Ten million

06 **yì**
亿 Hundred million

07 **líng**
零 Zero

08 **dì yī**
第一 First

09 **bàn**
半 Half

10 **bèi**
倍 Times / -fold

12 Daily Life

01 **jīn tiān**
今天 Today

02 **míng tiān**
明天 Tomorrow

03 **xiàn zài**
现在 Now

04 **jǐ diǎn**
几点 What time

05 **qián**
钱 Money

06 **yín háng**
银行 Bank

07 **shǒu jī**
手机 Mobile phone

08 **wǎng luò**
网络 Internet / Wi-Fi

09 **chōng diàn**
充电 Charge (battery)

10 **bāng máng**
帮忙 Give a hand



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