

Mandarin Chinese

Pre Int

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没问题

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- 一些 yī xiē a few, some
 - 那些 nà xiē those
 - 这些 zhè xiē these
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- Xie acts as the measure word here.
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- 那些书是我的
 - Those books are mine

请给我那张桌子

Please give me that table

哪张桌子？ Which table? (张 is the measure word for flat things, such as tables)



Apple-on type of table or books-under sort of table?
苹果上的桌子还是书下的桌子？

In 'chinglish' this would be ...

- I like the *hotel-in sort of* bookshop
- The *hotel-outside sort of* woman is my aunt
- The *he bought sort of things* are expensive
- The *I want to read sort of book* is new
- The *live in China sort of children* are very young
- The *in Shanghai sort of big hotel* is expensive

- He lives in a city.
- 她住在一个城市
- She also lives in a city
- 她也住在一个城市

- The city he lives in is very big
- 他住的城市很大
- The city she lives in is very small
- 她住的城市很小

- China's population is very big
- 中国人口很多
- Countries with big populations have many problems
- 人口多的国家有很多问题
- I don't understand the question.
- 我不懂那个问题
- I don't understand the question that she asked
- 我不懂她问的问题

wáng tiān míng shàng xué

王天明 / 上学

zuò chū zū chē

坐出租车





1

王先生、王太太 / 上班

坐公共汽车

王小姐 / 上班

开车

2

3

张老师 / 上班

走路

4

小方 / 上学

骑自行车



1



xiàn zài sì diǎn
① 现在四点。

xiàn zài liǎng diǎn líng wǔ fēn
② 现在两点零五分。



xiàn zài sì diǎn èr shí wǔ fēn
③ 现在四点二十五分。



xiàn zài shí yī diǎn yí kè
④ 现在十一点一刻。



xiàn zài shí yī diǎn sān kè
⑤ 现在十一点三刻。



xiàn zài qī diǎn bàn
⑥ 现在七点半。


New Words

- ① 早上 zǎo shang early morning
- ② 半 bàn half
七点半 qī diǎn bàn half past seven
- ③ 四点 sì diǎn four o'clock
几点 jǐ diǎn what time
- ④ 零 líng zero
- ⑤ 分 fēn minute
两点零五分 liǎng diǎn líng wǔ fēn five past two
- ⑥ 刻 kè a quarter (of an hour)
十一一点一刻 shí yī diǎn yí kè a quarter past eleven
十一一点三刻 shí yī diǎn sān kè eleven forty-five
- ⑦ 表 (錶) biǎo meter; watch
- ⑧ 快 kuài quick; fast
快车 kuài chē express train or bus
- ⑨ 还是 hái shì or
- ⑩ 慢 màn slow 慢车 màn chē slow train

Pronunciation 发音

- sī Concentrate on the 's' sound. Hiss it.
 - sè Concentrate on the 'e' sound – (as if you don't like the food you've just eaten)
 - rì
 - rè
 - zì
 - zé
 - chī
 - chē
- zhǐ
 - Zhè
 - shì
 - shè
- Now practise saying: This is:
Zhè shì ...
这是我朋友

作业




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qí zì xíng chē
骑自行车



Using the prompts, make sentences, asking questions and then explaining how these people travel.

So for example, in number 1, first ask (in Chinese!) how Mr & Mrs Wang get to work and then reply, saying that they take the bus to work