

Capital:

Beijing



xiǎo shān quán de xīn yuàn
5 小山泉的心愿

yǐ jīng shì chūn tiān le , kě chūn yǔ què chí chí bù lái 。
已 经 是 春 天 了 ， 可 春 雨 却 迟 迟 不 来 。

dà jiā dōu dào shān shàng qǔ shuǐ , yì kǒng xiǎo shān quán měi tiān dōu
大 家 都 到 山 上 取 水 ， 一 孔 小 山 泉 每 天 都
yào bèi rén men yǎo de lù chū quán yǎn 。
要 被 人 们 舀 得 露 出 泉 眼 。

yì tiān yè li , yǒu zhī pǎo lái hē shuǐ de yě tù duì
一 天 夜 里 ， 有 只 跑 来 喝 水 的 野 兔 对
xiǎo shān quán shuō : nǐ zhēn bù xìng a , jìng pèng shàng zhè me duō tān
小 山 泉 说 ： “ 你 真 不 幸 啊 ， 竟 碰 上 这 么 多 贪
xīn de rén ! ”
心 的 人 ！ ”

xiǎo shān quán shuō : yě tù wa , nǐ bù liǎo jiě wǒ de xīn
小 山 泉 说 ： “ 野 兔 哇 ， 你 不 了 解 我 的 心
yuàn wǒ chǔ shuǐ de mù dì jiù shì wèi le ràng rén qǔ yòng wèi
愿 ， 我 储 水 的 目 的 ， 就 是 为 了 让 人 取 用 ， 为

What are the 4 tone marks?

ā

á

ǎ

à

Where to mark the tones:

1. **A** and **e** trump all other vowels and *always* take the tone mark. There are no Mandarin syllables in Pinyin that contain both *a* and *e*.
2. In the combination *ou*, **o** takes the mark.
3. Ong & iong, **o** takes the mark.
4. In all other cases, the **final vowel** takes the mark.

The possible vowel combinations are listed below, with the vowel that receives the tone marked as second tone.

	a	e	i	o	u	ū
a			ái	áo		
e			éi			
i	íá, iáo	ié		ió	iú	
o					óu	
u	uá, uái	ué	uí	uó		
ū		üé				

Task 1: Mark the tones using the rules above.

1. he(2)
2. ba(3)
3. guo(2)
4. zhou(4)
5. yuan(1)
6. xiong(1)
7. xiu(4)
8. ma(2)
9. hua(4)
10. tai(4)

Pin yin and tones:



Quick Reference: Chinese Spelling System

Below is a list of all the initial consonants and vowels, along with their approximate pronunciations:

Initial Consonants

b	boar	p	polar	m	more	f	before
d	decided	t	deter	n	nurse	l	learn
g	girl	k	handkerchief	h	her	j	jitter
q	cheetah	x	she	zh	giraffe	ch	catch
sh	bush	r	interest	z	hands	c	cats
s	sir						

Vowels

		i	if	u	look	ü	---
a	ah	ia	Columbia	ua	---		
o	or			uo	tour		
e	flower	ie	year			üe	---
ai	l			uai	why		
ei	lake			uei	way		
ao	cow	iao	---				
ou	slow	iou	u				
an	plan	ian		uan	one	üan	---
en	kitchen	in	ln	uen	when	üen	---
ang	on	iang		uang	want		
eng	---	ing	trying	ueng	---		
ong	don't	iong					



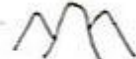





















Period: 。

hello



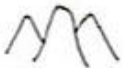





















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Chinese (Language)

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THE TOP 5 LARGEST COUNTRIES

⦿ e lu o si 俄罗斯

⦿ jia na da 加拿大

⦿ zhong guo 中国

⦿ mei guo 美国

⦿ ba xi 巴西

Addressing teachers

Chinese students do not address their teachers as Mr, Mrs, Ms or Miss, instead they use their professional title, **lǎoshī** [老师] (teacher). They either address their teachers as **lǎoshī**, or say the family name followed by **lǎoshī**. For example, if the teacher's family name is **Lín** [林], they address him/her as **Lín lǎoshī** [林老师]; if the teacher's family name is **Bái** [白], they address him/her as **Bái lǎoshī** [白老师].

<http://www.mandarintools.com/chinesename.html>

Chinese names

In Chinese, the family name is placed first followed by the given name. Most names contain three characters: the first character is the family name and the following two are the given name. However, some people may have two characters for their family name or just one character for their given name.

When naming a newborn, most parents would choose Chinese characters that best express their expectations for that child, for example, Jiànxíóng [健雄] (strong and brave), and Fāngfang [芳芳] (fragrant).

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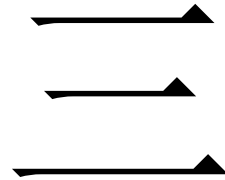
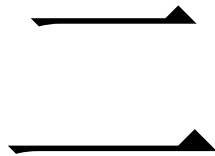
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ba

八

9

jiu

九

10

shi

十

0

ling

零

2-digit numbers

11-19

10 + the second digit

18

10+8

十八

2-digit numbers

20,30,40...90 (if the second digit is 0)

The first digit + 10

80

8+10

八十

2-digit numbers

The rest of the numbers

The first digit + 10 + the second digit

87

8+10+7

八十七

她 ta she

Wo
我 他 ta he

岁 sui Years old

今年 Jin nian This year

Sentence structures for **ages**:

She/he is 1 years old (**this year**).

She/he + (**this year**) + 1 + **YEARS OLD**.

Ta/ta + (jin nian) + yi + sui.

她/他(今年)一岁。

- “This year” is OFTEN added in a sentence when it comes to age.
- “years old” MUST be in the sentence if someone is older than 1.

Task 2: Use one sentence to write about each person’s age by following the structure below:

She/he + (this year) + 1 + YEARS OLD.

1. She,3

2. He, 8

3. She,15

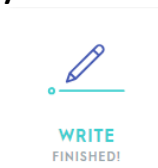
4. He, 40

5. She, 76

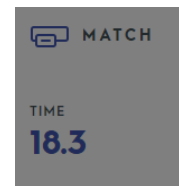
TASK 1 QUIZLET instructions – Numbers & Age each section is 20%

1. Flashcards – Go over the words and GET READY to BE CALLED to say your age and cellphone number to Fenglaoshi without using your notes.

2. Write - Make sure you finish 100%



3. Match- Make sure your time is WITHIN 30 seconds.



4. TEST-100%

QUESTION TYPES

- Written
- Matching
- Multiple choice
- True/False

QUESTION LIMIT

15 of 15 questions

IMAGES

- Show images

STUDY STARRED

All Starred

ANSWER WITH

- Chinese (Simplified)
- English

TASK 3:

Here are five telephone numbers. Rewrite the Chinese numbers in English and the English numbers in Chinese.

1. 六 八 五 二 九 七 二 Tel: _____

2. 四 五 八 九 七 六 三 Tel: _____

3. 三 八 一 七 四 三 六 Tel: _____

4. 1542109 Tel: _____

5. 7810563 Tel: _____

TASK 4:

Draw a line from the Chinese character to the correct match.

1. (a) 五 九 六 一 三

(b) 9 6 3 5 1

2. (a) 八 七 零 一 四

(b) 7 4 1 0 8

3. (a) 二 六 四 八 三

(b) bā sì èr sān liù

4. (a) 十 五 六 零 一

(b) wǔ liù shí líng yī

TASK 5:

G What is the picture? Join the numbered dots to find out, then colour it in.

The puzzle consists of 83 numbered dots scattered across the page. The numbers are: 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83.

Pre-connected images include:

- A frog's face (numbers 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78).
- A pair of eyes (numbers 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89).
- A leaf (numbers 33, 34, 35, 36).