



Appendix 4: Glossary

Chinese to English

| <i>Chinese (pinyin)</i> | <i>(character)</i> | <i>English</i> | <i>Lesson</i> |
|-------------------------|--------------------|------------------------|---------------|
| a | 啊 | [exclamation particle] | 16 |
| ǎi | 矮 | small (stature), short | 16 |
| Ān-ní | 安妮 | Annie [English name] | 2 |
| Ào-dà-lì-yà (ǎ) | 澳大利亚 | Australia | 2 |
| ba | 吧 | let's | 12 |
| bā | 八 | eight | 5 |
| bà-ba | 爸爸 | father | 6 |
| bái(sè) | 白(色) | white | 17 |
| bǎi-huò gōng-sī | 百货公司 | department store | 11,18 |
| bàn | 半 | half | 5 |
| bào-jǐng | 报警 | notify the police | 18 |
| bào-yuàn | 抱怨 | complain | G11 |
| bāo-zi | 包子 | steamed dumplings | 17 |
| bā-yuè | 八月 | August | 5 |
| bèi | 被 | [passive marker] | 18 |
| běi-biān | 北边 | north | 9 |
| bēi-zi | 杯子 | cup | G17 |
| bèn | 笨 | silly | 16 |
| bèn | 笨 | silly | G15 |
| bǐ | 比 | more than | 16 |
| bīng | 冰 (的) | ice (cold) | 17 |
| bǐng-gān | 饼干 | biscuit | 8 |
| bù-cuò | 不错 | good | 10 |
| bù-gāo | 不高 | not tall | 7 |
| bù-guò | 不过 | but | 10 |
| bù-hǎo | 不好 | not good | 10 |
| bù-hǎo-chī | 不好吃 | not tasty | 14 |
| bù-huì | 不会 | can not | 10 |

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|---------------------|-------|----------------------------|-----|
| bù-kè-qì | 不客气 | you are welcome | 11 |
| bù-néng | 不能 | can not | 18 |
| bù-shì | 不是 | no | 2 |
| bù-tài-hǎo | 不太好 | not too bad | 10 |
| bù-xíng | 不行 | I can't; not | 12 |
| cái | 才 | only | 10 |
| cān-guǎn(tīng) | 餐馆(厅) | restaurant | 11 |
| cè-suǒ | 厕所 | toilet | 11 |
| chá | 茶 | tea | 8 |
| chéng-gōng | 成功 | success | G10 |
| chē-zhàn | 车站 | station | 11 |
| chī | 吃 | eat | 8 |
| chī-wǎn-fàn | 吃晚饭 | eat dinner | 13 |
| chī-zǎo-fàn | 吃早饭 | eat breakfast | 13 |
| chǒu | 丑 | ugly | 14 |
| chuān | 穿 | wear | G9 |
| chūn-jià | 春假 | spring vacation | 15 |
| chūn-tiān | 春天 | spring | 16 |
| chú-shī | 厨师 | cook | 6 |
| dà | 大 | big | 16 |
| dā-chuán | 搭船 | take a ship | 15 |
| dà-gài (kě-néng 可能) | 大概 | about | 15 |
| dā-huǒ-chē | 搭火车 | take a train | 15 |
| dài-zǒu | 带走 | take away | 17 |
| dàn-shì | 但是 | but | 14 |
| dào | 到 | coming; arrive | 10 |
| -dào | -到 | to, until | 16 |
| Dà-shān | 大山 | a name [lit: big mountain] | 2 |
| dǎ-suàn (jì-huà 计划) | 打算 | plan | 15 |
| dǎ-wǎng-qiú | 打网球 | play tennis | 12 |
| Dà-wèi | 大卫 | David [English name] | 2 |
| Dé-guó | 德国 | Germany | 2 |
| diǎn | 点 | o'clock | 13 |
| diǎn | 点 | time | 5 |
| diàn-huà | 电话 | telephone | 7 |
| diàn-tī | 电梯 | elevator | 11 |

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|-------------------|---------|------------------------------|-------|
| diàn-yǐng-yuàn | 电影院 | movie theatre | 11 |
| diào | 掉 | lose; drop | 18 |
| dì-dì | 弟弟 | younger brother | 6 |
| Dīng | 丁 | [a surname] | 2 |
| dǒng | 懂 | see; understand | 11 |
| dōng (biān-r) | 东 (边儿) | east | 9 |
| dōng-běi (biān-r) | 东北 (边儿) | north east [lit: east north] | 9 |
| dōng-nán (biān-r) | 东南 (边儿) | south east [lit: east south] | 9 |
| dōng-tiān | 冬天 | winter | 16 |
| dōng-xī | 东西 | food; article | 14 |
| dōu | 都 | always | 10 |
| dòu-jiāng | 豆浆 | bean milk | 17 |
| dù | 度 | temperature | 16 |
| duì-bù-qǐ | 对不起 | sorry | 18 |
| duō | 多 | many | 14 |
| duō-duō | 多多 | very many | 10 |
| duō-gāo | 多高 | how high / tall | 7 |
| duō-jiǔ | 多久 | how long | 15 |
| duō-shǎo | 多少 | how much | 17 |
| èr | 二 | two | 5 |
| èr-yuè | 二月 | February | 5 |
| fā-dǒu | 发抖 | shiver | G16 |
| Fǎ-guó | 法国 | France | 2,17 |
| fēn | 分 | minute | 13 |
| fēn-hóng(sè) | 粉红(色) | pink | 17 |
| fēn-zhōng | 分钟 | minute | 9 |
| fǎ-yǔ | 法语 | French language | 8 |
| gàn | 干 | do | 12 |
| gǎn-kuài | 赶快 | hurry | 18 |
| gàn-shén-me | 干什么 | do something | 12 |
| gāo | 高 | high; tall | 16 |
| gāo-xìng | 高兴 | grateful | 3 |
| gē-ge | 哥哥 | brother | 6 |
| gěi | 给 | give | 17 |
| gēn | 跟 | with; and | 15,16 |
| qǐ-chuáng | 起床 | get up | 13 |

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|----------------|--------|------------------------|----|
| gōng-chéng-shī | 工程师 | engineer | 6 |
| gōng-fēn | 公分 | centimetres | 7 |
| gōng-wù-yuán | 公务员 | civil servant | 6 |
| gōng-zuò | 工作 | work, occupation, job | 6 |
| gǒu | 狗 | dog | 7 |
| guā-fēng | 刮风 | wind | 16 |
| guān-zhào | 关照 | greeting, regard | 10 |
| guì | 贵 | expensive | 14 |
| guì-xìng | 贵 (+姓) | honorable surname | 3 |
| -guò | -过 | [past tense] | 14 |
| hái-méi | 还没 | not yet | 14 |
| hái-shì | 还是 | or | 8 |
| hàn-bǎo | 汉堡 | hamburger | 8 |
| hán-jià | 寒假 | winter vacation | 15 |
| hàn-yǔ | 汉语 | Chinese language | 4 |
| hào | 号 | date | 5 |
| hǎo-chī | 好吃 | delicious | 14 |
| hǎo-kàn | 好看 | good looking | 7 |
| hē | 喝 | drink | 8 |
| hēi(sè) | 黑(色) | black | 17 |
| hěn | 很 | very | 3 |
| hěn-ǎi | 很矮 | short | 7 |
| hěn-chǒu | 很丑 | ugly | 7 |
| hěn-hǎo | 很好 | very good | 10 |
| hěn-lěng | 很冷 | cold | 16 |
| hěn-měi-lì | 很美丽 | beautiful | 7 |
| hěn-nuǎn-huo | 很暖和 | warm | 16 |
| hěn-piào-liàng | 很漂亮 | beautiful | 7 |
| hěn-rè | 很热 | hot | 16 |
| hóng(sè) | 红(色) | red | 17 |
| hóng-chá | 红茶 | English style tea | 8 |
| hóu | 猴 | monkey | 7 |
| hòu-miàn | 后面 | behind | 11 |
| hòu-nián | 后年 | year after next | 13 |
| hòu-tiān | 后天 | the day after tomorrow | 5 |
| hǔ | 虎 | tiger | 7 |

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| | | | |
|-----------------|-------|-------------------------|-------|
| huài | 坏 | break | G15 |
| huáng(sè) | 黄(色) | yellow | 17 |
| huā-qián | 花钱 | spend money | G15 |
| huì | 会 | will; can; can be | 10,16 |
| huí-jia | 回家 | go home | 13 |
| huǒ | 火 | fire | G11 |
| hù-shì | 护士 | nurse | 6 |
| hù-zhào | 护照 | passport | 18 |
| jǐ | 几 | question particle | 5 |
| jǐ | 几 | which, what | 5 |
| jī | 鸡 | rooster | 7 |
| jì ... yòu | 即...又 | and; not only, but also | 14 |
| jiā | 家 | family | 6 |
| jiàn-zhú-shī | 建筑师 | architect | 6 |
| jiào | 叫 | named | 2 |
| jià-ri | 假日 | holiday | 15 |
| jiā-tíng-zhǔ-fù | 家庭主妇 | housewife | 6 |
| jiě-jie | 姐姐 | older sister | 6 |
| jiè-shào | 介绍 | introduce | G17 |
| jìn | 近 | near | 9,16 |
| jǐng-chá-jú | 警察局 | police officer | 18 |
| jīn-nián | 今年 | this year | 13 |
| jīn-tiān | 今天 | today | 5 |
| jìn-tóu | 尽头 | road ending | 11 |
| jī-ròu | 鸡肉 | chicken | 8 |
| jiù | 就 | soon, right | 11 |
| jiǔ | 九 | nine | 5 |
| jiǔ-yuè | 九月 | September | 5 |
| jì-xù | 继续 | continue | 10 |
| kā-fēi | 咖啡 | coffee | 8 |
| kāi-chē | 开车 | by car; drive a car | 15 |
| kàn | 看 | watch, see, look | 12 |
| kàn-bào-zhǐ | 看报纸 | read a newspaper | 12 |
| kàn-diàn-shì | 看电视 | watch TV | 12 |
| kǎo-shì | 考试 | test | 12 |

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| kè | 刻 | quarter | 13 |
| kě-kǒ-kě-lè | 可口可乐 | coca-cola | 8 |
| kě-néng | 可能 | possible | 18 |
| kě-yǐ | 可以 | can; OK | 18 |
| lái | 来 | come | 13 |
| lán(sè) | 篮(色) | blue | 17 |
| lǎo | 老 | old | 16 |
| lǎo-shī | 老师 | teacher | 3,4 |
| lí | 离 | from | 9 |
| liǎng-ge | 两个 | two | 6 |
| lǐ-bài | 礼拜 | week | 15 |
| líng | 零 | zero | 5 |
| liù | 六 | six | 5 |
| liù-yuè | 六月 | June | 5 |
| lǐ-wù | 礼物 | present, gift | 4,18 |
| lóng | 龙 | dragon | 7 |
| lǜ(sè) | 绿(色) | green | 17 |
| lún-dūn | 伦敦 | London | 9,10 |
| lǚ-xíng | 旅行 | visit | 15 |
| ma | 吗 | question marker | 2 |
| mǎ | 马 | horse | 7 |
| mǎi | 买 | buy | 12 |
| mǎi-dōng-xī | 买东西 | shopping | 12 |
| mā-ma | 妈妈 | mother | 6 |
| màn | 慢 | slow | G7 |
| Měi-guó | 美国 | America | 2 |
| mèi-mei | 妹妹 | younger sister | 6 |
| měi-tiān | 每天 | every day | 10 |
| Měi-yuè | 美月 | Meiyue [a name] | 2 |
| mén | 门 | door | G15 |
| miàn-bāo | 面包 | bread | 8 |
| miàn-tiáo | 面条 | noodles | 8 |
| miǎo | 秒 | second | 13 |
| mǐ-fàn | 米饭 | rice | 8 |
| míng-bai | 明白 | see; understand | 11 |
| míng-nián | 明年 | next year | 13 |

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|---------------------|--------|--|-------|
| míng-tiān | 明天 | tomorrow | 5 |
| mù-jiang | 木匠 | carpenter | 6 |
| nà | 那 | that | 4 |
| nà(me) | 那(么) | then, if so | 13 |
| nà-li | 那里 | there | 14 |
| nán (biān-r) | 南 (边儿) | south | 9 |
| nán-rén | 男人 | man | 14 |
| Nán-xī | 南茜 | Nancy [English name] | 2 |
| ná-yī-zhǒng | 哪一种 | what kind of | 8 |
| ne | 呢 | question marker | 3 |
| nǐ | 你 | you | 2 |
| nǐ hǎo | 你好 | how do you do? | 2 |
| nín | 您 | you (honorable) | 3 |
| niú | 牛 | ox | 7 |
| niǔ-nǎi | 牛奶 | milk | 8 |
| niǔ-ròu | 牛肉 | beef | 8 |
| nǚ-lì | 努力 | with a lot of effort | 10 |
| pàng | 胖 | fat | 16 |
| pá-shǒu | 扒手 | pickpocket | 18 |
| pá-zǒu | 扒走 | steal | 18 |
| péng-yǒu | 朋友 | friend | 7 |
| pián-yí | 便宜 | cheap | 14 |
| piào-liang | 漂亮 | beautiful | 14 |
| qī | 七 | seven | 5 |
| qián | 钱 | money | 17 |
| qián-bāo | 钱包 | wallet | 18 |
| qiān-bǐ | 铅笔 | pencil | 4 |
| qián-miàn | 前面 | front | 11 |
| qián-nián | 前年 | year before last | 13 |
| qián-tiān | 前天 | the day before yesterday | 5 |
| qiǎo-kè-lì | 巧克力 | chocolate | 8 |
| qí-chē | 骑车 | ride a bike / motorcycle | 15 |
| qǐng | 请 | please; invite | 10,13 |
| qǐng-duō-guān- zhào | 请多关照 | nice to meet you [lit: please take care of me] | 3 |
| qíng-tiān | 晴天 | fine weather | 16 |

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|------------------|------|---------------------------|-------|
| qǐng-wèn | 请问 | may I ask you / excuse me | 3 |
| qiū-tiān | 秋天 | autumn | 16 |
| qī-yuè | 七月 | July | 5 |
| qù | 去 | go to | 13 |
| qù-nián | 去年 | last year | 13 |
| qù-xué-xiào | 去学校 | go to school | 13 |
| rè | 热 | hot | 16,17 |
| rén | 人 | person, people | 2 |
| rèn-shì | 认识 | meet; know | 3 |
| Rì-běn | 日本 | Japan | 2 |
| ròu | 肉 | meat | 8 |
| sān | 三 | three | 5 |
| sān-míng-zhì | 三明治 | sandwich | 17 |
| sān-yuè | 三月 | March | 5 |
| shàng ge xīng-qī | 上个星期 | last week | 13 |
| shāng-diàn | 商店 | shop, store | 11 |
| shàng-ge yuè | 上个月 | last month | 13 |
| shàng-kè | 上课 | have a class | 13 |
| shàng-wǔ | 上午 | in the morning | 13 |
| shé | 蛇 | snake | 7 |
| shéi | 谁 | who | 4 |
| shēn-fen-zhèng | 身份证 | identification card | 18 |
| shèng-dàn-jié | 圣诞节 | Christmas | 15 |
| shén-me | 什么 | what | 2,12 |
| shēn-yè | 深夜 | midnight | G16 |
| shí | 十 | ten | 5 |
| shì | 是 | is, are, be | 2 |
| shì | 事 | things | 13 |
| shì-a | 是啊 | that's right | 16 |
| shí-èr-yuè | 十二月 | December | 5 |
| shí-yī-yuè | 十一月 | November | 5 |
| shí-yuè | 十月 | October | 5 |
| shòu | 瘦 | slim | 16 |
| shǒu-biǎo | 手表 | watch | 4 |
| shǒu-pà | 手帕 | handkerchief | 4 |
| shǔ | 鼠 | rat | 7 |

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|----------------|------|------------------------|-------|
| shū | 书 | book | 4 |
| shū-bāo | 书包 | bag | 4 |
| shéi | 谁 | how | 15 |
| shuǐ | 水 | water | 8 |
| shuì-jiào | 睡觉 | sleep; go to bed | 12,13 |
| shǔ-jià | 暑假 | summer vacation | 15 |
| shuō-huà | 说话 | talk | G15 |
| sì | 四 | four | 5 |
| sǐ | 死 | die | G15 |
| sì-yuè | 四月 | April | 5 |
| suì | 岁 | year | 7 |
| suǒ-yǐ | 所以 | therefore | 10 |
| tài-hǎo-le | 太好了 | good, wonderful | 16 |
| tài-tai | 太太 | Mrs | 3 |
| Táiwān | 台湾 | Taiwan | 8 |
| tán-gāng-qín | 弹钢琴 | play piano | 12 |
| tǎng-guǒ | 糖果 | candy | G17 |
| Tāng-ní | 汤尼 | Tony [English name] | 2 |
| tiān-qi | 天气 | weather | 16 |
| tíng | 停 | park; stop | G9 |
| tīng | 听 | listening | 16 |
| tīng-shuō | 听说 | I heard | 16 |
| tīng-yīn-yuè | 听音乐 | listening to music | 12 |
| tōng-dào | 通道 | passage | 11 |
| tù | 兔 | rabbit | 7 |
| tǔ | 吐 | vomit | G16 |
| tú-shū-guǎn | 图书馆 | library | 11 |
| wán | 玩 | play; visit | 15 |
| Wáng | 王 | Wang [a surname] | 3 |
| wǎn-shàng | 晚上 | night, evening | 13 |
| wǎn-shàng jiàn | 晚上见 | see you in the evening | 13 |
| wēn-róu | 温柔 | kind, gentle | 14 |
| wǒ | 我 | I, me | 2 |
| wǒ-de-tiān a | 我的天啊 | my god! | 16 |
| wǒ-men | 我们 | our | 4 |

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|-----------------|---------|------------------------------|--------|
| wǔ | 五 | five | 5 |
| wū-lóng-chá | 乌龙茶 | oolong tea | 8 |
| wǔ-yuè | 五月 | May | 5 |
| xī (biān-r) | 西 (边儿) | west | 9 |
| xià-ge xīng-qī | 下个星期 | next week | 13 |
| xià-ge yuè | 下个月 | next month | 13 |
| xiǎng | 想 | want to, plan, think | 7,13 |
| xiān-sheng | 先生 | Mr | 3 |
| xiàn-zài | 现在 | now | 5 |
| xiǎo | 小 | small | 16 |
| xiǎo-hái | 小孩 | children | G12 |
| xiào-huā | 校花 | "school flower" | 7 |
| xiǎo-jǐě | 小姐 | Miss | 3,14 |
| xiǎo-qì | 小气 | stingy, mean | 14 |
| xià-tiān | 夏天 | summer | 16 |
| xià-wǔ | 下午 | afternoon | 13 |
| xià-xuě | 下雪 | snow | 16 |
| xià-yǔ | 下雨 | rain | 16,G10 |
| xī-běi (biān-r) | 西北 (边儿) | north west [lit: west north] | 9 |
| xiě-gōng-kè | 写功课 | writing homework | 12 |
| xiè-xie | 谢谢 | thank you | 11 |
| xié-zi | 鞋子 | shoes | G9 |
| xǐ-huān | 喜欢 | favourite | 8 |
| xī-nán (biān-r) | 西南 (边儿) | south west [lit: west south] | 9 |
| xìng | 姓 | family name | 3 |
| xīng-qī-èr | 星期二 | Tuesday | 5 |
| xīng-qī-jǐ | 星期几 | which day of the week? | 5 |
| xīng-qī-liù | 星期六 | Saturday | 5 |
| xīng-qī-sān | 星期三 | Wednesday | 5 |
| xīng-qī-sì | 星期四 | Thursday | 5 |
| xīng-qī-tiān | 星期天 | Sunday | 5 |
| xīng-qī-wǔ | 星期五 | Friday | 5 |
| xīng-qī-yī | 星期一 | Monday | 5 |
| xìn-yòng-kǎ | 信用卡 | bank card | 18 |

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| xué-shēng | 学生 | student | 3 |
| xué-xiào | 学校 | school | 9 |
| yān | 烟 | smoke | G11 |
| yáng | 羊 | goat | 7 |
| yǎn-jìng | 眼镜 | glasses | 4 |
| yào | 要 | need | 9 |
| yá-yī | 牙医 | dentist | 6 |
| yě | 也 | too | 2 |
| yè-shì | 夜市 | night market | 18 |
| yī | 一 | one | 5 |
| yī-bēi | 一杯 | cup | 17 |
| Yì-dà-lì | 意大利 | Italy | 2 |
| yī-diǎn-diǎn | 一点点 | little | 10 |
| yī-gòng | 一共 | total | 17 |
| Yīng-guó | 英国 | England | 2 |
| Yīng-guó-rén | 英国人 | British person | 2 |
| yīng-jùn | 英俊 | handsome | 7 |
| yín-háng | 银行 | bank | 11 |
| yī-nián-jí | 一年级 | first year | G6 |
| yīn-tiān | 阴天 | cloud | 16 |
| yīn-wèi | 因为 | because, that's why | G11 |
| yī-qǐ | 一起 | with, together | 18 |
| yī-shēng | 医生 | doctor | 6 |
| yī-yàng | 一样 | same | 16 |
| yī-yuè | 一月 | Jan | 5 |
| yǒu | 有 | have | 6 |
| yòu (biān-r) | 右 (边儿) | right | 9 |
| yǒu kòng | 有空 | free (not busy) | 13 |
| yóu-jú | 邮局 | post office | 11 |
| yǒu-qián | 有钱 | rich | 14 |
| yǒu-shì | 有事 | busy | 18 |
| yóu-yǒng | 游泳 | swim | 12,G10 |
| yú | 鱼 | fish | 8 |
| yuán | 元 | [MW for money] | 17 |
| yuǎn | 远 | far | 9 |
| yuán-zhū-bǐ | 圆珠笔 | ball-point pen | 4 |

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| yuè | 月 | month, moon | 5 |
| zài | 在 | -ing | 12 |
| zǎo-cān-diàn | 早餐店 | breakfast shop | 17 |
| zǎo-shang | 早上 | morning | 13 |
| zěn-me | 怎么 | how to | 15 |
| zěn-me-yàng | 怎么样 | how about | 13 |
| zhǎng | 长 | grow | 7 |
| zhǎng-de | 长得 | (it) look(s) | 7 |
| zhǎo | 找 | change | 17 |
| zhè | 这 | this | 4 |
| zhè-biān | 这边 | here | 17 |
| zhè-ge xīng-qī | 这个星期 | this week | 13 |
| zhè-ge yuè | 这个月 | this month | 13 |
| zhēn-de-ò | 真的哦 | is that true? | 16 |
| zhǐ | 只 | only | 9 |
| zhī-dào | 知道 | know | 11 |
| Zhōng-guó-rén | 中国人 | Chinese | 2 |
| zhōng-wǔ | 中午 | lunch time | 13 |
| zhū | 猪 | pig | 7 |
| zhǔ-yì | 主意 | idea | G16 |
| zǐ(sè) | 紫(色) | purple | 17 |
| zì-diǎn | 字典 | dictionary | 4 |
| zì-wǒ-jiè-shào | 自我介绍 | introducing yourself | 10 |
| zì-xíng-chē | 自行车 | bicycle | 18 |
| zuò-fēi-jī | 坐飞机 | take a plane | 15 |
| zuò-gōng-chē | 坐公车 | take a bus | 15 |
| zǒu-lù | 走路 | walking, by foot | 9 |
| zuò | 做 | doing | 6 |
| zuǒ (biān-r) | 左 (边儿) | left | 9 |
| zuò-chē | 坐车 | by car | 9 |
| zuò-fàn | 做饭 | cooking | 12 |
| zuó-tiān | 昨天 | yesterday | 5 |

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