

# Useful words/phrases

Below is a list of words and phrases you may find useful during your visit to China and which are featured in the language powerpoint presentation.

It may be useful to print this out and use it like a phrase book to remind you of what you have learned.

We hope you enjoy trying out your Chinese!

## Words/phrases used on a daily basis

- 你好 nǐ hǎo - hello
- 你们好 nǐ men hǎo - hello (to more than one person)
- 谢谢 xiè xie - thank you
- 不客气 bú kè qì - you are welcome
- 对不起 duì bu qǐ - sorry/excuse
- 没关系 guān méi xi - it is ok
- 再见 zài jiàn - good-bye

## Numbers

1 一 yī	10 十 shí
2 二 èr	11 十一 shí yī
3 三 sān	12 十二 shí èr
4 四 sì	20 二十 shí èr
5 五 wǔ	21 二十一 shí èr yī
6 六 liù	30 三十 sān shí
7 七 qī	35 三十五 sān shí wǔ
8 八 bā	100 一百 yī bǎi
9 九 jiǔ	

## Chinese currency

- 元 yuán or 块 kuài
- 角 jiǎo or 毛 máo
- 分 fēn

## Self and family

我叫 wǒ jiào... - My name is

我十二岁 wǒ shí èr suì - I am 12 years old.

我是英国人 wǒ shì yīng guó rén - I am British

我家有四口人 wǒ jiā yǒu sì kǒu rén - My family have four people.

爸爸/妈妈/哥哥/姐姐/弟弟/妹妹 bà ba/ mā ma/ gē ge/ jiě jie/ dìdì/ mèi mei  
dad/mum/older brother/older sister/younger brother/younger sister

我喜欢... wǒ xǐ huan - I like....

运动/音乐/电脑/电视/看书 yùn dòng / yīnyuè/ diànnǎo/ diànshì/ kànshū  
sports/music/computer/TV/reading

## Useful adjectives

好/很好/太好了 hǎo/ hěn hǎo/ tài hǎo le - good/very good/ great

好吃 hǎo chī - delicious

饿/我很饿 è / wǒ hěn è - hungry/ I am very hungry

渴/我很渴 kě/ wǒ hěn kě - thirsty/ I am very thirsty

热/很热/太热了 rè/ hěnrè/ tài rè le - hot/ very hot/ too hot

漂亮 piào liang - beautiful/pretty

累 / 我累了 lèi / wǒ lèi le - tired/ I am tired

贵/太贵了 guì/ tài guì le - expensive/ too expensive