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| **Mandarin Ladder of Achievement (Year 7)** |
| **Speaking** | **Writing** |
| 1 | In pinyin, can say 3 words on each topic | With pinyin given, can type 3 words on each topic.  |
| 2 | In pinyin, can say 3 short sentences using:* I am …
* I like …
* I have …
 | Without pinyin given, can type 3 words on each topic. |
| 3 | In pinyin, can add negation for 3 short sentences using:* I am not …
* I don’t like …
* I don’t have ….
 | Can write 3 words of each topic in characters and pinyin.  |
| 4 | In pinyin, can change the ‘I’ into other people such as:* He, she, you, we, they
* Mum, Dad, Sister, Brother
* My friend, my friend and me.
 | Can write 3 short sentences in pinyin and characters using:• I am …• I like …• I have … |
| 5 | In pinyin, can ask questions using ‘ma’ such as:* Are you …?
* Do you like …?
* Do you have…?
 | Can add negation for 3 short sentences in pinyin and characters using:• I am not …• I don’t like …• I don’t have …. |
| 6 | In pinyin, can complete a sentence with other verbs such as:* To go
* To eat
* To do
* To take (transport)
* To watch/listen/play/buy
 | In characters can complete a sentence with other verbs such as:* To go
* To eat
* To do
* To take (transport)
* To watch/listen/play/buy
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| 7 | In pinyin, can add tense indicators:* Future: xiangyao (before verb)
* Past: le (after verb)
* Present perfect: guo (after verb)
 | In characters, can add tense indicators:* Future: 想要 (before verb)
* Past: 了 (after verb)
* Present perfect: 过 (after verb)
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| 8 | In pinyin, can add simple opinions, such as:* … is very interesting.
* … is very important.
* … is very useful.
* … is very comfortable.
* … is very helpful.
* … is very convenient.
* … is very pretty.
* … is very convenient.
 | In characters, can add simple opinions, such as:* … is very interesting.
* … is very important.
* … is very useful.
* … is very comfortable.
* … is very helpful.
* … is very convenient.
* … is very pretty.
* … is very convenient.
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| 9 | In pinyin, can include link words such as:* Because, therefore….
* Not only, but also ….
* Although, but…
 | In characters, can include link words such as:* Because, therefore….
* Not only, but also ….
* Although, but…
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