

Mandarin 2020-2021

Year 7 Module One Sentence Builders

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1. 你好吗?

How are you?

| Greetings | Pronoun | adverb | Extension |
|---|---------------------|---|---------------------------------|
| <p>zǎo shàng hǎo 早上好 (Good morning)</p> | <p>wǒ 我 (I)</p> | <p>hěn hǎo 很好 (very well)</p> | <p>xiè xiè 谢谢 (thanks)</p> |
| <p>xià wǔ hǎo 下午好 (Good afternoon)</p> | | <p>bù hǎo 不好 (not well)</p> | <p>nǐ ne 你呢? (And you?)</p> |
| <p>wǎn shàng hǎo 晚上好 (Good evening)</p> | | <p>hěn kuài lè 很快乐 (very happy)</p> | |
| <p>lǎo shī hǎo 老师好 (Hi Miss/Sir)</p> | | <p>mǎ mǎ hǔ hǔ 马马虎虎 (so-so)</p> | |

nǐ jiào shí me míng zì
2. 你叫什么名字?

What's your name?

| Pronoun | verb | Extension |
|---------------|-------------------------------------|-------------------------|
| wǒ 我 (I) | jiào 叫 ... (be called...) | nǐ ne 你呢? (And you?) |
| nǐ 你 (You) | | |
| tā 她 (She) | | |
| tā 他 (he) | | |

3. Numbers

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|-------|------------------|------------------|-------------------|------------------|------------------|-------------------|------------------|------------------|-------------------|---------------|
| 1-10 | yī 一 | èr 二 | sān 三 | sì 四 | wǔ 五 | liù 六 | qī 七 | bā 八 | jiǔ 九 | shí 十 |
| 11-20 | shí yī 十一 | shí èr 十二 | shí sān 十三 | shí sì 十四 | shí wǔ 十五 | shí liù 十六 | shí qī 十七 | shí bā 十八 | shí jiǔ 十九 | èr shí 二十 |
| 21-30 | èr shí yī 二十一 | èr shí èr 二十二 | èr shí sān 二十三 | èr shí sì 二十四 | èr shí wǔ 二十五 | èr shí liù 二十六 | èr shí qī 二十七 | èr shí bā 二十八 | èr shí jiǔ 二十九 | sān shí 三十 |

Extension: hundred ^{bǎi}百, thousand ^{qiān}千

4. 你多大? / 你几岁?

How old are you?

| Pronoun | number | noun |
|---------------|--------------------------------|----------------------|
| wǒ 我 (I) | liǎng 两 (two) | sùì 岁 (years old) |
| nǐ 你 (You) | shí yī 十一 (eleven) | |
| tā 她 (She) | shí èr 十二 (twelve) | |
| tā 他 (he) | sān shí èr 三十二 (thirty-two) | |

The Special Two ^{liǎng} 两

Use ^{liǎng} 两 when you want to the amount of something is two.

5. 今天 是 几 月 几 日 ?

What's the date today ?

| noun | verb | noun |
|------------------------------------|-----------------------|--|
| <p>jīn tiān 今天 (today)</p> | <p>shì 是 (be)</p> | <p>yuè rì ... 月 ... 日 (...month...day)</p> |

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|-------------------|-----------|
| yī yuè 一月 | January |
| èr yuè 二月 | February |
| sān yuè 三月 | March |
| sì yuè 四月 | April |
| wǔ yuè 五月 | May |
| liù yuè 六月 | June |
| qī yuè 七月 | July |
| bā yuè 八月 | August |
| jiǔ yuè 九月 | September |
| shí yuè 十月 | October |
| shí yī yuè 十一月 | November |
| shí èr yuè 十二月 | December |

nǐ de shēng rì shì jǐ yuè jǐ rì
5. 你的生日是几月几日？

When is your birthday?

| Possessive Pronoun | noun | verb | noun |
|--|---------------------------|---------------|--------------------------------|
| wǒ de 我的 (my) nǐ de 你的 (your) tā de 她的 (her) tā de 他的 (his) | shēng rì 生日 (birthday) | shì 是 (be) | yuè rì …月…日 (…month…day) |

shēng rì kuài lè
Extension: 生日快乐 happy birthday

6. 你家有谁? Who is in your family?

| Pronoun | verb | number | Measure word | Noun |
|---------------|----------------------------|------------------|--------------|-------------------------------|
| wǒ 我 (I) | yǒu 有 (to have) | yī 一 (one) | gè 个 | bà bà 爸爸 (dad) |
| nǐ 你 (You) | | liǎng 两 (two) | | mā mā 妈妈 (mum) |
| tā 她 (She) | | sān 三 (three) | | jiě jiě 姐姐 (big sister) |
| tā 他 (he) | méi yǒu 没有 (don't have) | | | mèi mèi 妹妹 (little sister) |
| | | | | gē gē 哥哥 (big brother) |
| | | | | dì dì 弟弟 (little brother) |

Use 两 ^{liǎng} when you want to the amount of something is two.

nǐ jiā yǒu jǐ kǒu rén
7. 你家有几口人? How many people are in your family?

| noun | verb | number | Measure word | noun |
|----------------------------|--------------------|------------------|--------------|-------------------|
| wǒ jiā 我家 (my family) | yǒu 有 (to have) | liǎng 两 (two) | kǒu 口 | rén 人 (people) |
| nǐ jiā 你家 (your family) | | sān 三 (three) | | |
| tā jiā 她家 (her family) | | sì 四 (four) | | |
| tā jiā 他家 (his family) | | | | |

The Special Two ^{liǎng} 两

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8. 他/她怎么样?
tā tā zěn me yàng

How is he/she?

| Pronoun | adverb | adjective |
|--|---|--|
| <small>tā</small> 她 (She) | <small>hěn</small> 很 (very) | <small>gāo</small> 高 (tall) |
| <small>tā</small> 他 (he) | | <small>ǎi</small> 矮 (short) |
| <small>wǒ mā mā</small> 我妈妈 (my mum) | <small>fēi cháng</small> 非常 (extremely) | <small>pàng</small> 胖 (chubby) |
| <small>wǒ gē gē</small> 我哥哥 (my big brother) | | <small>shòu</small> 瘦 (thin) |
| <small>wǒ</small> 我 (I) | <small>bù</small> 不 (not) | <small>piāo liàng</small> 漂亮 (pretty) |
| | | <small>shuài</small> 帅 (handsome) |
| | | <small>cōng míng</small> 聪明 (smart) |
| | | <small>kù</small> 酷 (cool) |

9. 你觉得你的家人怎么样? What do you think of your family?

| Pronoun | verb | Noun | reason | opinion |
|---|---|---|---|--|
| <p>wǒ (I) 我 (I)</p> <p>wǒ mā mā (my mum) 我妈妈 (my mum)</p> <p>wǒ gē gē (my big brother) 我哥哥 (my big brother)</p> <p>tā (She) 她 (She)</p> <p>tā (he) 他 (he)</p> | <p>xǐ huān (to like) 喜欢 (to like)</p> <p>bù xǐ huān (don't like) 不喜欢 (don't like)</p> <p>ài (to love) 爱 (to love)</p> <p>bù ài (don't love) 不爱 (don't love)</p> | <p>bà bà (dad) 爸爸 (dad)</p> <p>mā mā (mum) 妈妈 (mum)</p> <p>jiě jiě (big sister) 姐姐 (big sister)</p> <p>mèi mèi (little sister) 妹妹 (little sister)</p> <p>gē gē (big brother) 哥哥 (big brother)</p> <p>dì dì (little brother) 弟弟 (little brother)</p> | <p>yīn wéi wǒ jué dé (because I think) 因为我我觉得 (because I think)</p> | <p>bà bà hěn shuài (dad is handsome) 爸爸很帅 (dad is handsome)</p> <p>mā mā hěn kù (mum is cool) 妈妈很酷 (mum is cool)</p> <p>jiě jiě hěn piāo liàng (big sister is pretty) 姐姐很漂亮 (big sister is pretty)</p> <p>gē gē bù cōng míng (big brother is not smart) 哥哥不聪明 (big brother is not smart)</p> |