

- ▷ 的 ¹de* s.p. ① (of subordination) | wǒ mǎi ~ shū the book I bought ② (noun-forming, like English -er) | kānmén ~ doorkeeper ◆ cons. (shì) X ~ action emphasizing X | Wǒ shì zuótiān mǎi ~. It was yesterday that I bought it. | Wǒ xiǎng (shì) bù huì xià yǔ ~. I think it's unlikely to rain. ◆ cons. ① <coll.> by | Zhè jiān wūzi shì wǔmǐ ~ liùmǐ, hé sānshí píngfāng mǐ. This room is 5 x 6 meters, or 30 square meters. ② <topo.> plus | Wǔ ge ~ liù ge, yīgòng shíyī ge. Five plus six is eleven. ▷ See also d ▷ See also di ▷ See also ⁴dī ▷ See also ⁸dí ▷ See also ⁶dì
- ▷ 了 ¹le* a.p. ① (indicating a new situation) | Hǎo ~. It's O.K. now. ② (indicating completed action) | Wǒ zhǐ qǐng ~ yī wèi kèrén. I invited only one guest. ▷ See also ³liāo ▷ See also ¹liǎo ▷ See also ³liào ▷ See also ¹²liáo
- ▷ 一 ¹yī* num. ① one ② once | kě ~ bùkě èr. Once is forgivable, not twice. ◆ b.f. ① each; per | ~ zhuō bā rén eight people per table ② whole; all; throughout | Wǒ ~ tiān dōu bù zài jiā. I won't be at home all day. ③ single; alone ④ same | yìjiàn bù ~ opinions differ ◆ adv. ① as soon as | tiānqì ~ lěng as soon as the weather turns cold ② a little | kàn ~ kàn take a look ③ “empty” adverb in four-syllable expressions | wèizhī ~ zhèn be buoyed up by it ④ also; otherwise | ~ míng be also known as ◆ cons. ① ~ A jiù B as soon as A (then) B ② ~ A èr B ③ very AB, where AB is a two-syllable s.v. | ~ qīng èr jìng absolutely quiet ④ one or two AB, where AB is a noun | ~ chà èr cuò one or two mistakes ⑤ ~ A bàn A/B a little of A and of A or B, where A and B are identical or similar in meaning | Zhège gōngchéng kě bù shì ~ tiān bàntiān néng wán de. This project can't be finished in a short time. ⑥ ~ V1 ér V2 V2 immediately after V1 | ~ nù'érqù flare up and leave ⑦ ~ N (yě) bù/méi V not V even one N; without omitting a single N | ~ zìbùlòu without omitting a single character ⑧ V ~ VM V a VM | yǎo ~ kǒu take a bite ⑨ ~ V1 bù V2 inalterably V1 | ~ qùbùfǎn gone never to return ⑩ ~ N1 ~ N2 ⑪ all or the whole of N1N2 | ~ shēng ~ shì all one's life ⑫ each/every N1/N2 | ~ yán ~ xíng every word and deed ⑬ ~ V1 ~ V2 ⑭ do V1/V2 in succession (where V1/V2 are similar in meaning) | ~ bèng ~ tiào skip and jump ⑮ do V1/V2 alternately (where V1/V2 contrast in meaning) | ~ wèn ~ dá one asks and the other answers ⑯ ~ A ~ B one A, one B (where A/B are opposite in meaning) | ~ dōng ~ xī one east, one west ~ V1 ²zài V1 keep on doing V1 | ~ cuòzàicuò keep on making mistakes ◆ n. a note of the scale in gōngchěpú
- ▷ 是 ¹shì* v. ① be ② <wr.> praise; justify ◆ b.f. matter; affair | guó ~ national affairs ◆ pr. this; all ◆ s.v. right; true ◆ adv. certainly; for sure | Tiānqì ~ rè. It sure is hot. ◆ cons. A ~ A it's A all right, but... | Hǎo ~ hǎo, kěshì wǒ bù xǐhuān. It's good all right, but I don't like it.
- ▷ 不 ¹bù* adv. ① not ② no ◆ cons. ① ~ A ~ B (where A B are paired synonyms) not A B | ~ huāng ~ máng unhurried ② ~ A ~ B (where A B are antonymous s.v.) neither A nor B | ~ dà ~ xiǎo neither (too) big nor (too) small ③ ~ A ~ B (where A B are

antonymous verbs) no B without A | \sim pò \sim lì no constructing without destroying ④ \sim A ér B (do B without doing A) | \sim zhàn'érshèng win without fighting ⑤ $\underline{X} \sim \underline{X}$ (the matter/question of) X or not X | bóshì \sim bóshì, wǒ wúsuo \sim wèi. Whether or not I get a Ph.D. makes no difference to me. ⑥ $\underline{V1} \sim \underline{V1V2}$ (variant form of $\underline{V1V2} \sim \underline{V1V2}$, where $\underline{V1V2}$ is a compound verb) whether or not $\underline{V1V2}$ | kě \sim kěnéng? Is it possible that...?

◆ pref. non-; un-

- ▷ 我 ¹wǒ* pr. I ◆ b.f. ① we; our ▷ wǒguó ② self ▷ zìwǒ
- ▷ 在 ¹zài* v. ① be at/in/on | Qíngwèn, Lǎo Wáng \sim ma? Excuse me, is old Wang there/here? ② exist; live | Wǒ bàba yǐjīng bù \sim le. My father has passed away. ③ depend on; rest with ◆ adv. (indicating an action in progress) ◆ cov. in; at; on; etc. | Wǒ \sim Běijīng ¹zhù. I live in Beijing. ◆ cons. ① \sim A (zhī)zhōng in (the midst/process of) A ② \sim A kàn(lái) as A sees it; in A's opinion | \sim wǒ kàn lái as I see it.
- ▷ 有 ¹yǒu* v. ① have; possess ② be; exist ◆ cons. ① \sim A \sim B both A and B | \sim shuō \sim xiào talking and laughing ② \sim A wú B have A but not B | \sim zēng wú jiǎn increase but not decrease ③ \sim N kě V there is N which (one) can/may V | \sim fàn kě chī have food to eat ◆ pref. (before names of dynasties) <wr.> | \sim Xià the Xia dynasty
▷ See also ⁷yòu
- ▷ 他 ¹tā* pr. ① he ② she ③ it ④ they (referring to inanimate things in object position) | Lí dōu làn le, zuìhǎo bǎ \sim rēng le. The pears have all spoiled, better throw them away. ◆ b.f. other; another ▷ qítā ▷ tā rén ▷ tā chù
- ▷ 个[個] ge m. non-specific measure word | dǎ \sim jié tie a knot ◆ cons. (used between verb and complement) | máng \sim bù tíng be non-stop busy | wèn \sim míngbai ask for clarification ▷ See also ⁴gě ▷ See also ¹gè
- ▷ 上 ¹shàng* b.f. ① upper; upward ▷ shàngmian ② higher; superior; better ▷ shàngděng ③ first (part); preceding; previous ▷ shàngbànyè ④ up to (preceding numbers) | \sim yībǎi rén up to a hundred people ⑤ emperor ▷ huángshang <lg.> ⑥ second of the classical tones; third tone in Mandarin ⑦ posterior ◆ n. <mus.> no. 1 note in gōngchěpǔ ◆ v. ① go up; mount; board; get on ② go to; leave for ③ submit; send in; present ④ forge/go ahead ⑤ appear on the stage; enter ⑥ place sth. in position; set; fix; apply ⑦ be put on record; be carried (in a publication) ⑧ wind; screw; tighten ◆ cmp. able/unable | Wǒmen gǎnde \sim fēijī ma? Can we make the plane? cons. (zài) A \sim as far as A is concerned; in the field of A
▷ See also ¹shang ▷ See also ⁴shǎng
- ▷ 这[這] ¹zhè* pr. this ◆ adv. now ▷ See also zhèi
- ▷ 着[著] zhe a.p. ① (indicating continuing progress/state, often paired with final ne) | Tā shuì \sim ne. She's sleeping. ② (used for emphasis) | Nǐ kàn \sim . Just take a look. | Tīng \sim ! Listen to me! ③ (coverb-forming after some verbs) | wèi \sim for; in order to | yán \sim hé along the river ◆ cons. s.v.+ \sim greatly s.v. | Tā zài Zhōngguó de péngyou duō \sim ne! He has lots of friends in China. ▷ See also zháo ▷ See also ¹zhuó ▷ See also ²zhāo ▷ See

also ³zhāo ▷ See also ¹¹zhù

▷ 就 ¹jiù* v. ① move towards ② undertake; engage in ③ accomplish; make ④ accommodate oneself to; suit ⑤ go with ◆ cov. with regard to; concerning | ~ A lái shuō with regard to A | ~ A ér yán with regard to A ◆ adv. ① then ② at once; right away | Wǒ ~ lái. I'm coming. ③ exactly; precisely ④ only; merely; just | ~ zhème yīdiǎnr a? So little? ◆ conj. even if

▷ 你 ¹nǐ* pr. you | ~ gàn ~ de, wǒ gàn wǒ de. You work in your way and I'll work in mine.

▷ 和 ¹hé* b.f. ① gentle; mild; moderate ▷ wēnhé ② harmonious; on friendly terms ▷ ¹tiáohé ◆ cov. (together) with ◆ n. ① sum ② peace ③ <sport> draw; tie | Zhè ¹pán ⁶qí ~ le. This game of chess ended in a draw. ④ Japan ⑤ Surname ◆ v. <sport> tie ◆ conj. and ▷ See also ⁵hē ▷ See also ³hè ▷ See also ¹⁰hú ▷ See also ⁶huō ▷ See also ²huó ▷ See also ⁷huò

▷ 说[說/說] shuō* v. ① speak; talk | Tā zěnmē ~? What did he say? ② explain ③ scold | Wǒ ¹mā ~ wǒ le. My mother scolded me. ④ act as matchmaker ⑤ refer to; indicate | Nǐ de huà shì ~ shuí ne? Whom did your remarks refer to? ◆ b.f. theory; teachings; doctrine ▷ xuéshuō ▷ See also ³shuì

▷ 到 ¹dào* v. ① arrive; reach ② go to ◆ cov. up until ◆ s.v. thoughtful; considerate ◆ cmp. completion of verbal action | Nǐ kàn ~ dì-jǐ yè le? What page have you gotten to? ◆ cons. ~...(wéi)zhǐ reach...as a stopping point; as far as... | ~ xiànzài wéizhǐ, wǒmen zhǐ shōudào 20 piān lǚnwén. Up to now we have received only 20 papers.

▷ 人 ¹rén* n. person; people ◆ b.f. human | Zhè shì ~ gàn de ma? Was this done by a human being? ▷ rénkǒu ▷ réngé

▷ 地 ²dì s.p. (adv.-forming, like English -ly) | hěn kuài ~ very quickly ▷ See also ²dì

▷ 也 ¹yě* adv. ① also; too; as well; either ② even | Wǒ xiǎng ~ méi xiǎngdào. I didn't even think of it. ③ more or less; by and large | Tā de Zhōngwén ~ hái kěyǐ. His Chinese is passable. ◆ cons. ① (suīrán/jíshǐ) v.1 ~ v.2 (even) if v.1 nevertheless v.2 | Wǒ shǎo chī yī dùn ~ wúsùowèi. I don't mind skipping a meal. | Jíshǐ tā méi shuō, wǒ ~ zhīdao. Even if she hadn't mentioned it, I would have known. ② ~ A ~ B be both A and B ◆ m.p. <wr.> (used in classical language at the end of a sentence or clause) | Shì kě rěn ~, ³shú bù kě rěn ~. If this can be tolerated, what cannot? | Rén zhī guò ~, gè yú qí dǎng. People's faults are characteristic of the classes to which they belong.

▷ 里[裡/裏] ¹lǐ* n. lining; inside ◆ b.f. internal; interior; inside ▷ lǐtou ◆ suf. in; inside | Fángzi ~ yǒu rén ma? Is there anybody in the house? ▷ See also ²lǐ

▷ 来[來] ¹lái* v. ① come; arrive | ¹Dào zhèbiān(r) ~. Come over here. ② crop up; take place ③ bring ④ do (specific meaning depending on context) | Ràng wǒ ~. Let me do it. | ~ diǎnr chī de. Bring sth. to eat. ◆ suf. ① ability | zuòbu ~ don't know how to do it ② worthwhile effort/expense | huáde ~ worth the money ③ beginning of an action | tíqǐ bǐ

~ pick up a pen to write ④ hypothetical action | xiǎng~/shuō~ hǎoxiào funny to think/speak of ⑤ direction toward speaker | zǒuguò~ come over here ⑥ -ly (after numerals) | yī~ firstly | èr~ secondly ⑦ time (since) | duōnián~ for many years ◆ b.f.
 ① future; later ▷ jiānglái ▷ hòulái ② coming ▷ láilín ③ since ▷ shēnglái ▷ běnlái ◆ adv.
 over; and more | sānshí ~ suì over 30 years old ◆ conj. (in order) to | chàng ge gē ~
 còu rènào sing a song to liven things ◆ cons. ① V ~ V qù V back and forth |
 zǒu~zǒuqù walk back and forth ② wǒ(men) ~ V let me/us V ③ cóng A ~
 jiǎng/kàn/shuō speaking/viewing/speaking from consideration of A | cóng wǒ ~ shuō, ... in
 my view, ... ▷ See also láizhe

▷ 我们[-們] wǒmen pr. we

▷ 大 dà* s.v. ① big; great; high; tall; vast ② much; very ③ old | Tā duō ~? How old is he?
 ④ eldest ⑤ adult ◆ n. <topo.> father ◆ cons. ① ~ v.1 tè v.1 big/great/etc. v.1 | ~ cuò
 tè cuò gross error ② ~ A ~ B used with two monosyllabic nouns, verbs, or stative
 verbs related in meaning to indicate high degree | ~ yú~ ròu bǎile yī mǎn zhuō. The table
 was filled with lots of meat and fish. ▷ See also ¹²dài

▷ 要 ¹yào* v./aux. ① want/wish (to); ask (for) ◆ aux. ① shall; will; be about to ◆ b.f.
 ① must; should; need to ▷ ²xūyào ② important; essential; vital ▷ zhòngyào ▷ yàojǐn
 ③ <wr.> summarize; outline ▷ gàiyào ◆ conj. if; suppose; in case ◆ cons. gēn A ~ B
 ask A for B | gēn tā ~ qián ask him for money ▷ See also ³yāo

▷ 都 ¹dōu* adv. ① all | Dàjiā ~ lái le . All the people have come. ② even ③ already ▷ See
 also ²dū

▷ 还[還] ¹hái* adv. ① still; yet ② even/still more ③ also; too; as well; in addition; besides
 ④ passably; fairly ⑤ even ◆ cons. zhè/nà ~ yòng v. Is it necessary to v.? | Nà ~ yòng
 shuō. That goes without saying. ▷ See also ¹huán

▷ 去 ¹qù* v. ① go; go to; leave; depart ② get rid of; remove; cast out | ~ nǐ de! Get lost!
 ③ dispatch | Gěi jiàoshòu ~ ge diànhuà wènwen. Give the professor a ring and ask about
 it. ④ be apart | xiāng~bùyuǎn not far from each other ⑤ <opera> play the role of
 ◆ cons. in order to | zhèngqián ~ yǎngjiā earn money to support one's family ◆ suf.
 away | sòng~ send away ◆ b.f. ① past; last ▷ qùnián ② “going” tone; Mandarin fourth
 tone ▷ qùshēng ◆ adv. <topo.> extremely; really; quite | Kě hǎole ~ le! It's really good!

▷ 把 ¹bǎ* v. ① grasp ② hold | ~ zhù chēbà. Hold tight to the handlebar. ③ dominate;
 monopolize ④ guard ⑤ tie up ◆ b.f. ① handle ▷ chēbǎ ② bundle; bunch ▷ bǎzi
 ③ <coll.> close to; about | qiān~ rén about 1,000 people ◆ m. ① (for things with handles)
 ② (for handfuls) ③ (for certain abstract concepts) | Tā yǒu yī ~ niánji le. She's getting on
 in years. | Tā hái yǒu ~ lìqi. He's still quite strong. ◆ v.m. (for movements of the hand) |
 Lā wǒ yī ~ . Give me a hand. ◆ cov. (indicating pre-verbal object as thing dealt with by
 the action) | Tā ~ wǒ xiàsǐ le. He scared me to death. ▷ See also ³bà

▷ 又 ¹yòu adv. again; moreover | ~ guòle yī tiān another day passed | ~ shì tā. It's him

again. (disapprovingly) ◆ conj. ① and; in addition | sān ~ wǔ fēnzhi sì three and four-fifths ② but; on the other hand | Wǒ xiǎng mǎi, ~ pà tài guì. I thought of buying it, but was afraid that it was too expensive. ◆ cons. ~ A ~ B both A and B | ~ piányi ~ hǎo cheap as well as good

▷ 看 ¹kàn* v. ① see; look at; watch ② read ③ think; consider ④ look upon; regard ⑤ treat ⑥ look after ⑦ call on; visit ⑧ depend on ⑨ mind; watch out ⑩ present (tea/wine/etc.) ⑪ ...and see | Wǒ bù zhīdào xiándàn, nǐ chángcháng ~. I don't know whether it's salty enough. Taste it and see. ⑫ Look! (expressing surprise/rebuke) | Nǐ ~ nǐ! Look at yourself! ▷ See also ¹kān

▷ 那 ¹nà* pr. that | ~ wǒmen ¹jiù bùnéng qù le. In that case we just can't go. ◆ conj. then; in that case ▷ See also nǎ ▷ See also ²nèi ▷ See also ⁴nuó ▷ See also ⁶nuò

▷ 好 ¹hǎo* s.v. good ◆ adv. ① easy to | Zhèige wèntí ~ huídá. This question is easy to answer. ② good to | ~ chī good to eat ③ quite; very | ~ jiǔ very long time ◆ conj. so as to; so that ◆ v. <topo.> may; can; should | Wǒ ~ jìnlai ma? May I come in? ◆ pref. (indicating disapproval) | ~ yī ge bù yàoliǎn de dōngxi! What a shameless fellow! ◆ suf. (indicating completion) | Wǒ zuò ~ le I'm done; I've finished (it). | Nòng ~ zài zǒu. Finish (this) before going. ▷ See also ³hǎo ▷ See also ²hào

▷ 她 ²tā pr. she (neologism for ¹tā)

▷ 小 ¹xiǎo* s.v. ① small; little; petty; minor | Xié ~ le yīhào. These shoes are one size too small. ② young | Tā bǐ wǒ ~ sì suì. She's four years younger than I. ◆ pr. <humb.> I; my; our | ~ de bù gǎn I don't dare. ◆ adv. for a little while; for a moment ◆ n. ① the young ② concubine | Yīqián tā gěi rénjiā zuò ~. She was formerly a concubine. ◆ attr. ① the last in order of seniority | wǒ de ~ dìdì my youngest brother ② used before names of persons or animals to indicate the young | ~ Wáng (Young) Wáng | ~ māo kitten; kitty

▷ 能 ²néng aux. can; be able to; be capable of | Zhèi ³liàng chē ~ mài duōshao ²qián? How much can I sell this car for? ◆ b.f. ① ability; capability ▷ ¹nénglì ② skill ▷ jìnéng ③ <phys.> energy ▷ rènéng ◆ cons. ~ A ~ B can do/be/etc. both A and B | ~ shàng ~ xià can take on higher or lower duties

▷ 下 ¹xià* v. ① go downward; descend; alight | ~ shān descend a mountain ② fall (of rain/etc.) ③ go to | ~ guǎnzi go eat in a restaurant ④ exit; leave | ~ yèbān come off night duty ⑤ issue; deliver | ~ dìngyì give a definition ⑥ put sth. into ⑦ take away/off ⑧ form (an opinion/etc.) | ~ jiélùn draw a conclusion ⑨ apply; begin to use | ~ lìqǐ make an effort ⑩ give birth to; lay (of birds/etc.) | ~ dàn lay eggs ⑪ capture ⑫ be less/lower than (used with negative) | bù ~ yībǎi tiān no less than 100 days ⑬ give in ⑭ cook in boiling water | Shuǐ kāi le, kuài ~ miàn ba. The water's boiling, add the noodles. ⑮ be (good as) a chaser/accompaniment | Nǐ kěyǐ yòng huāshēngmǐ ~ jiǔ. You can accompany the wine with peanuts. ◆ b.f. ① below; under; underneath ▷ xiàmiàn

- ▷ dǐxia ② lower; inferior ▷ xiàděng ③ next; latter; second ▷ xiàxīngqī ◆ adv. downward; down ◆ r.v./suf. able/unable to v. down | Wǒ chību ~ nàme duō. I can't eat that much. ◆ v.m. (for frequency of occurrences) | dǎle liǎng ~ mén knocked twice on the door
- ▷ 主义[-義] ¹zhǔyì n. doctrine; -ism
- ▷ 没[沒] ¹méi* adv. not ◆ ab.▷ méiyǒu ◆ cons. ① ~ A ~ B i. not AB (where A,B are similar) ii. neither A nor B (where A,B are opposites) ▷ See méiwánméiliǎo ▷ See méidáméixiǎo ② X ~ Y s.v. X is not as s.v. as Y. | Wǒ ~ tā cōngming. I'm not as clever as he is. ▷ See also ⁵mò
- ▷ 国[國] ¹guó n. ① country; state; nation ◆ b.f. ① of the state; national ▷ guóqí ② of our country; Chinese ▷ guóhuà ◆ n. Surname
- ▷ 很 ¹hěn* adv. very; quite; awfully
- ▷ 年 ¹nián* m. year ◆ b.f. ① age ▷ niánlíng ② New Year ▷ ¹niángāo ③ a period in one's life ▷ ¹zhōngnián ④ a period in history ▷ mònián ⑤ harvest ▷ niáncheng ◆ n. ① age | Tā ~ jìn liùshí. He's close to 60 years old. ② Surname
- ▷ 出 ¹chū* v. ① go/come out; exit ② exceed; go beyond ③ issue; put out; post ④ produce; turn out ⑤ arise; happen ⑥ put forth; vent ⑦ rise well (in cooking) ⑧ pay out; expend ▷ See also ²chū
- ▷ 十 ¹shí num. ten; 10 ◆ b.f. complete ▷ ¹shífēn ▷ ¹shízú
- ▷ 得 ³de inf. (used in r.v.) | kàn ~ jiàn able to see ◆ cmp. ① (potential complement) | Tā hǎo le, xiànzài chī ~ le. He's well again and can eat now. ◆ cons. s.v. ~ so/such s.v. that | dà ~ nábudong so big that it can't be moved ▷ See also ¹dé ▷ See also děi
- ▷ 多 ¹duō* s.v. ① many; much; more ② more than the correct/required number ③ excessive; too much ④ much/far more ◆ adv. to what degree; how... | Gěi wǒ yī zhāng zhǐ, ~ dà dōu xíng. Give me a piece of paper; any size will do. ◆ pref. poly-; multi- | ~ yīnjié polysyllabic
- ▷ 他们[-們] ¹tāmen* pr. ① they ② and the others | Nǐ zěnme xiān dào le, Lǎo Wáng, ~ ne? How come you've arrived first? What about Wang and the others?
- ▷ 什么[-麼] shénme pr. ① what? | Nǐ ¹zài shuō ~? What are you talking about? ② something; anything ◆ cons. ① ~ (A) yě/dōu any/every A | Ta ~ dōu bù yào. He doesn't want anything. ② V1 ~ V2 ~ V2 whatever V1 | Yǒu ~ chī ~. Eat whatever there is.
- ▷ 对[對] ¹duì* v. ① answer; reply ② treat ③ be trained on ④ suit; agree ⑤ compare; check ⑥ set; adjust | Dàjiā ~ yīxiā biǎo. Let's set our watches. ⑦ mix; add ⑧ divide into halves ◆ b.f. ① mutual ▷ xiāngduì ② opposite ▷ duìfāng ◆ s.v. right; correct ◆ m. (for pairs/couples) ◆ cov. by ◆ n. couplet ◆ cons. ① ~...ér yán said in terms of... ② ~...lái shuō as regards...
- ▷ 两[兩] ¹liǎng* num. ① two ② both (sides); either (side) ③ a few; some ◆ m. ① ounce ② tael

- ▷ 想 ¹xiǎng* v. ① think | Wǒ huì ~ chū bànfǎ lái de. I'll be able to think of a way.
② suppose; reckon; consider ③ want to; would like to; feel like (doing sth.) ④ remember with longing; miss
- ▷ 会[會] ¹huì* v. ① get together; assemble ② meet; see ③ understand; grasp | Nǐ ~ ma? Do you know how? ④ pay/foot a bill ◆ aux. ① can; be able to | Wǒ huì yòng kuàizi. I can use chopsticks. ② be good at; be skillful in ③ be likely/sure to | Tā ~ lái de. He will come. ◆ n. ① meeting; gathering; party; get-together; conference ② association; society; union ③ temple fair ④ mutual loan club ◆ b.f. ① chief city; capital ▷ shènghuì
② opportunity; occasion ▷ ¹jīhuì ③ <coll.> a while; a little while ▷ yīhuì ▷ See also ³huǐ
▷ See also ⁴kuài
- ▷ 走 zǒu* v. ① walk; go | Wǒ ~ bù dòng le. I can't walk anymore. ② run; move ③ leave; go away | Tā gāng ~. He is just left. ④ visit; call on ⑤ go through ⑥ leak; escape; let out
⑦ lose flavor/shape/etc.
- ▷ 从[從] ¹cóng* cov. from; since; through ◆ adv. always; at all times (usu. in negative)
◆ b.f. ① follow ▷ gēncóng ② obey; comply with ▷ fúcéng ③ join; be engaged in
▷ cóngshì ④ adopt a certain attitude; follow a certain principle ▷ cóngyán ⑤ secondary;
accessory ▷ zhǔ-cóng ⑥ cousin-level relationship ⑦ follower; attendant ▷ cóngrén ◆ cons.
① ~ A chūfā departing from A ② ~ A dào B from A to B ③ ~ A qǐ starting
from A ④ ~ A kànlái viewed from A ⑤ ~ A lái jiǎng/kàn/shuō
speaking/viewing/speaking /from consideration of A | ~ zhè jiàn shì(r) lái kàn, qíngkuàng
bù ²miào. ◆ n. Surname ▷ See also ¹⁰cōng ▷ See also ¹zòng
- ▷ 三 ¹sān* num. ① three ② more than two; several; many ◆ cons. A ~ B sì do AB
repeatedly/haphazardly | shuō ~ dào sì gossip
- ▷ 中 ¹zhōng* b.f. ① center; middle; interior ▷ ¹zhōngxīn ② China ▷ Zhōngguó ③ middle;
mid ▷ zhōngyāng ④ medium; intermediate ▷ zhōngděng ⑤ mean; halfway between two
extremes ▷ ¹zhōngjiān ⑥ neutral ▷ ¹zhōnglì ⑦ <lg.> neutral ▷ zhōngxìng ⑧ fit for; good
for ▷ zhōngyòng ◆ s.v. <topo.> all right; OK. | Zhèyàng ~ bu ~? Is this OK? ▷ See
also ³zhòng
- ▷ 用 ¹yòng* v. ① use; employ; apply | ~ shǒu chī. Eat with one's hands. ② eat; drink |
Qíng xiān ~ diǎnr chá. Please have some tea first. ③ spend ④ need ◆ b.f. ① expense
▷ fèiyong ② good; use | Shuō yě méi ~. It's no use talking. ◆ cov. with ▷ See also
bùyòng
- ▷ 种[種] ¹zhǒng n. <bio.> species ◆ b.f. ① race ▷ zhǒngzú ② seed; strain; breed
▷ ¹zhǒngzi ▷ pèizhǒng ③ kind ▷ zhǒnglèi ④ <topo.> guts; grit ▷ yǒuzhǒng ◆ m. (for
kinds/sorts/types) ▷ See also ²zhòng
- ▷ 给[給] gěi v. give; give to ◆ cov. ① for; for the benefit of | ~ tā xiěxìn write a letter
for/to him ② by (in passive cons.) | Tā ~ rén dǎ le. He was beaten by people. ◆ suf. to |
Bǎ xìn dì ~ tā. Hand the letter over to him. ◆ cons. ① ~ X yǐ Y give Y to X ② ~

- wǒ V do V (strong, often angry, command) | ~ wǒ zhùzǐ! Shut up! ▷ See also 7jǐ
- ▷ 天 ¹tiān* n. ① sky; heaven | Jīntiān ~ zhēn hǎo. Today is a fine day. ② nature ③ God; Heaven ◆ m. day | Wǒ lái sān ~ le. I have been here for three days. ◆ b.f. ① overhead
▷ tiānqiáo ② season ③ weather ▷ tiānqì
- ▷ 二 ¹èr* num. ① two ② second ③ different ④ binary; di-
- ▷ 自己 ¹zìjǐ* pr. ① oneself | Shì nǐ ~ bù hǎo. It's your own fault. ② closely related; own | ~ de ²shì(r) ~ zuò. Take charge of one's own affairs.
- ▷ 几[幾] ¹jǐ* num. ① how many? ② a few; several; some ▷ See also ²⁰jǐ ▷ See also ²¹jǐ
- ▷ 人民 ¹rénmín n. the people
- ▷ 它 ³tā pr. ① it; they (neologism for ¹tā) ② this; that
- ▷ 起来[-來] qǐlai r.v. ① get up; rise; arise ② start | Lěng ~ le. It's starting to get cold.
◆ suf. up | Ná ~! Pick it up! ◆ cons. v.1 ~ A v.2 ~ B while A still B | Shuō ~ róngyì zuò ~ nán. It's easy to say but hard to do.
- ▷ 呢 ne* a.p. ① (indicating continued state or action) | Tā zài zhèr ~. He's (still) here.
② (marking questions about subject already mentioned) | Wǒ xìn. Nǐ ~? I believe it. What about you? | Wèi shénme ~? Why is that? ◆ m.p. ① (indicating deliberate pause) | Wǒ ~, wǒ bù yào. As for me, I don't want it. ② (indicating strong affirmation) | Guì de hěn, yào yībǎi duō kuài ~. It's awfully expensive, over \$100. ③ (inquiring about location) | Wǒ de shū ~? Where is my book? ▷ See also ²ní
- ▷ 等 ¹děng* v. wait | Qǐng ~ yīhuǐr. Please wait a minute. ◆ b.f. ① class; grade
▷ tóuděng ② be equal ▷ píngděng ③ <lg.> division ◆ suf. and so on
- ▷ 起 ¹qǐ* v. ① rise; get up ② raise; build | Nǐ shuō de huà ~ le zuò yòng. What you have said has taken effect. ③ start | cóng jīntiān ~ starting from today ④ unload; remove | ~ huò unload goods ⑤ buy; obtain ◆ suf. ① (with sense of "up") | jǔ ~ qiāng (lái) miáo zhǔn raise a gun and take aim | shuō ~ zhè jiàn shì mentioned this matter ② (as resultative ending) | Wǒ mǎi bu ~. I can't afford it. ◆ m. case; batch; group | fēn sān ~ chū fā set out in three groups
- ▷ 家 ¹jiā* n. ① family; household; home ② Surname ◆ suf. ① -ist/-er/-ian/etc. | kē xué ~ scientist ② school of thought ③ (forming reflexive pronouns) | zì ~ myself ◆ m. (for families/businesses) ◆ b.f. ① my (referring to family members older than oneself) | ~ fù my father ② domesticated | ~ tù domestic rabbit ③ belonging to a family | ~ pú family servant ▷ See also jia ▷ See also ¹jie
- ▷ 开[開] ¹kāi* v. ① open ② open up; reclaim (land) ③ open out ④ come loose ⑤ start; begin; operate ⑥ drive ⑦ turn on (a light) ⑧ run a (business) ⑨ hold a (meeting/etc.) ⑩ eliminate ⑪ divide into ⑫ reveal ⑬ boil | Shuǐ ~ le, kuài qù chōngchá. The water's boiling. Hurry and make tea. ⑭ <topo./slang> dismiss; fire (an employee) ⑮ pay (wages/fares/etc.) ⑯ <coll.> eat up ◆ adv. ① open ② (indicating the beginning and continuation of an action) ◆ n. ① <print.> size of a book page; -mo ② Surname ③ carat

- ◆ suf. ① (added to verbs to express “away; off; out; etc.”) | Zhèi wū tài xiǎo, wǒmen zuòbu~. The room is not big enough to seat all of us. ② (added to two digits to express a ratio between the two considered as parts of ten) | qī sān ~ 7:3
- ▷ 而 ¹ér conj. and; and yet ◆ pr. <wr.> you ◆ cons. yī v.1 ~ v.2 v.2 right after v.1 | yīzhàn~shèng win victory by a single blow/battle
- ▷ 吧/吧 \ ba m.p. ① (making mild imperative) ② (acknowledgment) ③ (uncertainty) ④ (pause) ▷ See also ⁴bā
- ▷ 向 ¹xiàng v. ① face; turn toward ② side with; be partial to | Shuí duì, wǒ jiù ~ zhe shuí. I'll side with whoever's right. ◆ cov. to; towards ◆ b.f. ① direction ▷ fāngxiàng ② all along; always (in the past) ▷ ¹yīxiàng ▷ xiànglái ◆ n. Surname ▷ See also ⁸xiàng
- ▷ 革命 gé mìng v.o./n. revolt; revolution | gé dìzhǔ de mìng revolt against the landlords
- ▷ 时候[時-] shíhou* n. ① (duration of) time ② (a point in) time; moment | ¹Dào chīfàn de ~ le! It's meal time now!
- ▷ 叫 ¹jiào* v. ① cry; shout ② call; greet ③ hire; order ④ name; call | Wǒ ~ Zhāng Lín. My name is Lin Zhang. ⑤ cause | Fēng néng ~ chuán zǒu. The wind can make the ship go. ◆ attr. <topo.> male (of animals) ◆ cov. by (in passive cons.) | Wǒ ~ tā dǎ le. I was beaten by him. ◆ cons. X ~ ¹rén V X makes one V | Zhǔrén ~ tā qù kāihuì. The director wants him to go to the meeting.
- ▷ 过[過] guò* v. ① pass; cross | ~ mǎlù yào dāngxīn. Be careful when crossing the street. ② transfer (e.g., ownership) ③ undergo a process; go through ④ surpass; exceed ⑤ celebrate; observe | ~ nián celebrate new year ◆ cmp. v. bu/de ~ can't/can v. | dǎbu/deguò tā can't/can beat him ◆ n. fault; mistake | Zhè shì nǐ de ~. This is your fault. ◆ adv. too; excessively ◆ cov. after | ~ jǐ tiān after a few days ◆ b.f. excessive; undue; overly- ▷ guòzhòng ▷ See also guo
- ▷ 回/迴 ¹huí v. ① circle; wind ② answer; reply ③ refuse; decline | Qù ~ le tā. Go and refuse him. ④ return; go back ⑤ turn round ⑥ <trad.> report back ◆ m. ① chapter ② times ◆ n. ① Muslim ② Hui ethnic minority
- ▷ 成 ¹chéng* v. become; turn into ◆ b.f. ① accomplish; succeed ▷ chénggōng | Zhè shìr ~ le. This matter has been accomplished. ② achievement; result ▷ ¹chéngjì ③ fully developed/grown; mature ▷ chéngshú ④ established; ready-made ▷ ¹xiànchéng ⑤ capable; able ⑥ in considerable number/amount ▷ chéngpái ▷ chéngqiānchéngwàn ⑦ whole ▷ chéngtiān ◆ n. Surname ◆ m. one tenth ◆ v. be acceptable/all right | Wǒ bù qù bù ~. It won't do for me not to go. ◆ suf. -ation
- ▷ 只 ¹zhǐ* adv. only; merely | Wǒ ~ qùguò yī cì. I've been there only once. ▷ See also ²zhǐ
- ▷ 可以 kěyǐ* aux. can; may ◆ s.v. ① passable; pretty good; not bad ② <coll.> awful; terrible | Tā nà zhāng zuǐ zhēn ~! What a sharp tongue she has! ③ be worth (doing)
- ▷ 工作 gōngzuò v./n. work; job ◆ suf. -ation M:¹fèn/²jiàn

- ▷ 这样[這樣] zhèyàng* pr. so; such; like this; this way
- ▷ 四 ¹sì* num. four ◆ cons. ~ A ¹bā B used with two similar terms A and B to indicate totality of both | ~ ¹xiāng ¹bā ²zhèn all the towns and villages
- ▷ 头[頭] ¹tóu* n. ① head ② hair (style) ③ top/end of sth. ④ chief; head ⑤ remnant; end; remains ⑥ aspect; side ⑦ bounds ◆ pref. leading; first; previous | Tā ~ liǎngnián zhù zài Shànghǎi. He lived in Shanghai the first two years. ◆ m. (for livestock/garlic) | sì tóu niú four cows | sān tóu suàn three bulbs of garlic ◆ adv. <coll.> before; prior to | Tā ~ sìdiǎn zhōng zǒu. He's leaving before four o'clock. | Tā ~ shínián jiù sǐ le. She died 10 years ago. ◆ cons. num.1 ~ num.2 between num.1 and num.2 | sān ~ wǔqiān between three and five thousand ▷ See also tou
- ▷ 没有[沒-] méiyǒu* v. not have; there is not; be without ◆ adv. less than; not more than | Wǒ ~ nǐ ¹gāo. I'm not as tall as you.
- ▷ 社会[-會] shèhuì n. <loan> society
- ▷ 五 ¹wǔ* num. five; 5 ◆ n. <mus.> no. 6 in gōngchèpǔ
- ▷ 同志 ¹tóngzhì* n. ① comrade ② <TW.> ③ homosexual
- ▷ 象 ⁴xiàng n. elephant M:²zhī/¹tóu ◆ b.f. ① appearance; shape; image ▷ ¹yìxiàng ② imitate ▷ ¹xiàngxíng ▷ See also ²xiàng
- ▷ 做 ¹zuò* v. ① make; produce; manufacture | Tā gěi hǎizi ~ le yī ge wánjù. He made a toy for his child. ② cook; prepare ③ do; act; engage in ④ be; become ⑤ write; compose ⑥ celebrate ⑦ be used as ⑧ form/contract a relationship ⑨ pretend; feign ⑩ <slang> make love ⑪ play tricks to punish sb.
- ▷ 水 shuǐ* n. ① water ② Surname ◆ b.f. ① liquid ▷ yàoshuǐ ② river ③ waterways; by water ▷ shuǐyùn ④ extra charges/income | wài ~ extra income ◆ m. washings (of a garment)
- ▷ 第 ¹dì* pref. marker of ordinal numerals | dì-yī first | dì-èr second ◆ b.f. ① sequence; order ▷ cìdì ② rank; grade; degree ▷ pǐndì ③ mansion; residence ▷ ¹zháidì
- ▷ 话[話] ¹huà* n. ① speech; talk; conversation; words; sayings; story M:¹jù ② language; parole ③ dialect ◆ suf. supposition | bùrán de ~ if not ◆ v. <wr.> talk; narrate
- ▷ 点[點] ¹diǎn* n. ① a drop (of liquid) ② a spot ③ dot stroke (in Chinese characters) ④ dot; decimal point; point | sānshíqī ~ wǔ 37.5 ⑤ place ⑥ aspect; feature ⑦ appointed time ⑧ refreshments ⑨ <lg.> node; peak; point ◆ m. ① (for small amounts) | Gěi wǒ ~ qián. Give me a little money. ② (of time) | sān ~ zhōng three o'clock ③ (for items/matters) | Wǒ yào shuō de yǒu liǎng ~. There are two points I want to talk about. ④ (printer's point size) | Sì hào zì děngyú shí sì ~. No. 4 type is equivalent to 14 points. ◆ v. ① put (a dot) ② drip ③ sow in holes ④ check one by one ⑤ select; choose ⑥ hint; point out; mention | Zhǐyào yī ~, tā jiù míngbai le. You only have to mention it, and she'll understand. ⑦ light; burn; kindle ⑧ touch on briefly; skim | Lǎoshī ~ le zhè shì. The teacher touched on the matter. ◆ cons. v. zhe ~ polite command/reminder to v. | Guò

mǎlù ²shí kànzhe ~. Watch out when you cross the street.

▷ 老 ¹lǎo* s.v. ① old; aged ② of long standing ③ outdated ④ tough; overgrown | Ròu zuò ~ le. Yǎobudòng. The meat's overdone. It's too tough. ⑤ dark (of colors) ◆ n. ① old people ② parents ◆ pref. ① (with numbers to designate order of birth) ② (with man's family name to indicate familiarity/friendship) ◆ adv. ① very ② always (doing sth.) | Wǒ érzi ~ duì wǒ sāhuǎng. My son constantly lies to me. ③ for a long time

▷ 手 ¹shǒu* n. hand ◆ b.f. ① person skilled in sth. ▷ lǎoshǒu ② hold; have in hand ▷ shǒushang ◆ adv. personally

▷ 可 ²kě v. ① can; may ② need ③ be worth; be worthy of ④ approve ⑤ fit; suit ⑥ be estimated at ◆ conj. but; yet ◆ pref. able ◆ adv. ① in contrast to before | Zhè huí nǐ ~ cāizhòng le. This time you've guessed right. ② actually; on the contrary | Wǒ ~ méi qù. Actually, I didn't go. | Zhè ~ bù shì nàozhe wánr de. This is no joke. ③ <coll.> all; entire; full; throughout | ~ yī jiē the entire street ◆ cons. ~ A ~ B sometimes A, sometimes B; either A or B (where AB forms an antithetical expression) | ~ zuǒ ~ yòu either left or right ▷ See also ¹⁰kè

▷ 才[-/纔] ¹cái* adv. ① then and only then ② just now ③ only (before a number) ◆ cons. ~ s.v. ne actually very/more s.v. | Tā chàng de ~ hǎo ne. Actually she sang better (than sb. else). ▷ See also ⁴cái

▷ 们[們] men suf. plural for pronouns and human nouns

▷ 次 ¹cì* v.m. time; occurrence ◆ b.f. ① order; sequence ▷ ¹cìxù ② second; next ▷ cìrì ③ half ◆ s.v. ① second-rate; inferior; secondary | Zhèi rén zhēn ~. This man is shady. ② odious ◆ pref. <chem.> hypo-

▷ 全 ¹quán* s.v. complete; whole; full; total; perfect ◆ adv. completely; entirely; totally | Zhè ~ guài nǐ. It's entirely your fault. ◆ b.f. make perfect/complete; keep whole/intact ▷ chéngquán ◆ n. Surname

▷ 使 ¹shǐ v. ① send (as envoy) ② have sb. do sth. ③ use; employ; apply | Nǐ ¹xiān ~ ba. You may use it first. ④ make; cause; enable | Kāfēi huì ~ wǒ shīmián. Coffee can make me unable to sleep. ◆ b.f. envoy ▷ dàshǐ ◆ conj. if

▷ 知道 zhīdao* v. know; realize; be aware of | Wǒ ~ nǐ yīdìng huì lái. I knew you would come.

▷ 声[聲] ¹shēng* n. sound; voice ◆ v. <wr.> make a sound ◆ b.f. ① declare ▷ ¹shēngmíng ② reputation; fame; prestige ▷ shēngwàng ③ tone (in Ch. lg.) ▷ ¹sìshēng ④ initial consonant (of a Chinese syllable) ▷ ²shēngmǔ ◆ m. (for sound) | Wǒ hǎnle tā liǎng ~. I called him twice. ◆ cons. X (de) yī~ with X-like sound | kuāng de yī~ with a crash (Note use of de with monosyllables) | kuānglāng yī~ with a crash

▷ 您 nín pr. <court.> you (polite singular)

▷ 打 dǎ v. ① generalized verb of doing with specific meaning determined by its object ② strike; hit | ~ rén ¹bùduì. It's not right to hit someone. ③ fight ④ construct ⑤ forge

- ⑥ mix ◆ cov. <coll.> from (a certain time/place) | ~ A ¹qǐ beginning from A time/place
 ▷ See also ³dá
- ▷ 时[時] ²shí n. ① time (when) | Lái ~, qǐng gàosu wǒ. Let me know when you come.
 ② <lg.> tense ③ Surname ◆ b.f. ① period; season ▷ ¹shídài ② hour; o'clock
 ③ opportunity; chance ▷ ¹shíjī ④ current; present ▷ ²shíshì ◆ adv. now and then;
 occasionally; from time to time ◆ cons. ~ A ~ B sometimes A, sometimes B | ~ yuǎn
 ~ jìn sometimes far, sometimes near
- ▷ 最 ¹zuì* adv. most; superlatively | Zhègè kǎoshì ~ ²nán. This test is the most difficult.
- ▷ 事 ²shì n. ① matter; affair; thing; event | Zhè ¹shì nǐ de ~. This is your business.
 ② trouble; accident ③ job; work ④ responsibility; involvement ⑤ <lg.> action ◆ v.
 ① <wr.> wait upon ② be engaged in ③ serve
- ▷ 吃 ¹chī* v. ① eat ② eat in/at | ~ fānguǎn eat at a restaurant ③ have one's meals | Nǐ ~
 le ma? Have you eaten? ④ live on | Zhè wǎn fàn kě bù róngyì ~. This is a hard way to
 earn a living. ⑤ annihilate; wipe out | ¹Pào ~ ¹mǎ. The cannon takes the horse (in chess).
 ⑥ absorb; soak up ⑦ suffer; incur ⑧ exhaust; be a strain ▷ See also ¹⁵qī
- ▷ 住 ¹zhù* v. live; reside; stay | Nǐ ~ nǎr? Where do you live? ◆ b.f. stop; cease
 ▷ ³zhùshǒu ▷ zhùkǒu ◆ suf. tightly; firmly | zhuā ~ grasp firmly | zhuābu ~ unable to
 grasp
- ▷ 为[為/爲] ¹wèi* v. <wr.> stand for; support ◆ cov. for; on account of; to | Nǐ zhèiyàng
¹zuò ~ shei? Who are you doing this for? ◆ cons. ~ n. ér v. to v. for or on behalf of
 n. | ~ rénmin ér sǐ die for the people ◆ b.f. for; because of ▷ wèishénme ▷ ¹yīnwèi
 ▷ See also ¹wéi ▷ See also wèicǐ ▷ See also ¹wèizhī
- ▷ 再 ²zài adv. ① again; once more; further(more) | ~ chī yīdiǎnr. Eat some more. ② in a
 higher degree ③ and then; not (do sth.) before | Chīwǎn fàn ~ kàn diànshì. Have your
 dinner before you watch TV. ◆ v. <wr.> come back; return | Qīngchūn bù ~. One's
 youth does not return.
- ▷ 问题[問題] wèntí* n. ① question; problem; issue | ~ bù zài zhèlǐ. That's not the point.
 ② trouble; mishap | Chūle shénme ~? What's the matter?
- ▷ 高 ¹gāo* s.v. ① tall; high ② above average | Zhè diǎnzi zhēn ~! What a brilliant idea!
 ③ loud ◆ n. Surname
- ▷ 这个[這個] zhègè* pr. ① this one; this | ~ rén zhēn hǎo. This person is nice. ② <coll.>
 so; such ◆ intj. hesitation marker (e.g., hem/hum/etc.) ▷ See also zhègè
- ▷ 怎么[-麼] zěnmē adv. how? ◆ pr. what | Nǐ yào ~ jiù ~. Do whatever you like.
- ▷ 出来[-來] chūlai* r.v. come out; emerge | Kuàidiǎnr ~. Come out quickly! ◆ suf. out
 (toward one) | Zhègè zì nǐ néng rèn ~ ma? Can you make out this character?
- ▷ 九 ¹jiǔ num. nine ◆ b.f. many; numerous ▷ sānwānjiǔzhuàn
- ▷ 听[聽] ¹tīng* v. ① listen; hear ② heed; obey | Tā duì wǒ de yìjian ~ bùjīnqù. He turned
 a deaf ear to my suggestions. ③ <wr.> administer ④ allow; let ◆ m. <topo.> tin; can

- ▷ 党[黨] ¹dǎng* n. ① political party ② The Party (CCP/KMT/etc.) ③ clique ◆ v. <wr.> be partial to
- ▷ 被 ¹bèi* b.f. ① quilt ▷ miánbèi ② cover ▷ máojīnbèi ◆ cov. by | Wǒ ~ tā xiàle yītiào. He gave me a start. ◆ aux. (passive signifier) | ~ xuǎnwéi mófàn gōngrén be elected model worker ▷ See also ⁸pī
- ▷ 跟 ¹gēn* v. ① follow | Wǒ dàilù. Nǐ ~ zhe wǒ. I'll lead the way and you follow me. ② marry (of a woman) ◆ cov. with; to; from | Qù ~ tā shuō. Go and talk to him. ◆ conj. and | Wǒ ~ ²tā shì qīnqi. She and I are related. ◆ n. heel | Zhè shuāng xié méi ~. This pair of shoes do not have heels. ◆ cons. ~ A jiè borrow from A
- ▷ 百 ¹bǎi* num. ① hundred ② numerous; all kinds of
- ▷ 新 ¹xīn* s.v. new; fresh; up-to-date | Nǐ kànle nàge ~ diànyǐng le ma. Have you seen that new movie? ◆ b.f. ① renew ▷ fānxīn ② newly married ▷ xīnrén ◆ n. Xin dynasty (9-24 A.D.) ◆ ab. Xīnjiāng
- ▷ 现在[現-] xiànzài* n. ① now; at present; today | ~ jǐ ¹diǎn le?. What time is it now? ② modern times; nowadays ◆ attr. modern
- ▷ 各 ²gè pr. each; every; different ◆ adv. separately; differently ◆ cons. ① ~ V ~ (de) individually | ~ chàng ~ de diào each sings his own tune ② ~ V1 suǒ S.V./V2 each V1's that which S.V./V2 | ~ yǒu suǒ hào each has his likes (and dislikes) | ~ ³bì suǒ duǎn each avoids its shortcomings ▷ See also ⁵gě
- ▷ 真 ¹zhēn* s.v. true; real; genuine | Shì ~ de ma? Is it true? ◆ adv. ① really; truly; indeed | Diànyǐng ~ hǎokàn. The film is really wonderful. ② clearly ◆ n. <Dao.> ① original character of human beings ② newcomer among the immortals
- ▷ 可是 ¹kěshì* conj. but; yet; however ◆ v. ① Is it that...? ② be indeed
- ▷ 已经[-經] yǐjīng* adv. already | Tā ~ zǒu le. He's already left.
- ▷ 吗[嗎] ¹ma* m.p. (calling for agreement or disagreement) | Nǐ xìn tā ~? Do you believe him? ▷ See also ¹má ▷ See also ⁶mǎ
- ▷ 心 ²xīn n. ① heart | ²Tā ~ li zhǐyǒu nǐ. There's only you in her heart. ② mind; feeling ③ fifth of the twenty-eight constellations ◆ b.f. center; core ▷ ¹zhōngxīn ▷ ¹héxīn
- ▷ 前 ¹qián* b.f. front ▷ qiánmian ◆ adv./attr. ① forward; former; preceding; first ② formerly; ago; ahead; before ◆ cons. ① v.1 ~ v.2 hòu v.1 v.2 again and again | sī~xiǎnghòu think over again and again ② ~v.1 hòu v.2 v.1 v.2 again and again | ~sī-hòuxiǎng think over again and again ◆ pref. pre-
- ▷ 生产[-產] shēngchǎn* v. ① produce; manufacture | Yī ge gōngrén yī xiǎoshí néng ~ duōsháo ²jiàn chǎnpǐn? How many units of the product can a worker produce in an hour? ② give birth to a child
- ▷ 进[進] ¹jìn* v. ① advance ② enter; come/go into ③ receive ④ eat; drink; take ⑤ submit; introduce ◆ m. row of rooms separating courtyards ◆ b.f. personal ranking ▷ ¹jìnshì ◆ adv. into; in

- ▷ 所 ¹suǒ* suf. ① place ② office; bureau; institute ◆ b.f. ① that which ▷ suǒyǐ ▷ suǒyǒu
▷ suǒwèi ◆ cons. ① ~ V de that which | wǒ ~ shuō de (huà) what I said ② bèi/wéi
N ~ V be V'd by N | Tā wéi zéi ~ shā. He was killed by bandits. ◆ m. (for houses)
- ▷ 你们[-們] nǐmen pr. you (plural)
- ▷ 道 ²dào n. road; path ◆ m. ① (for rivers/topics/etc.) ② (for a course (of food); a streak
(of light); etc.) ◆ v. ① say; speak; talk (introducing direct quote, novel style) | chángyán ~
as the saying goes | Tā shuō~: "...". He said: "... ② think; suppose ◆ b.f. ① channel
② way; reason; principle ③ doctrine ④ Daoism ⑤ line ⑥ <hist.> ⑦ district; circuit canal;
passage; tube ⑧ say (polite words) ▷ dàoxiè ▷ See also ⁴dāo ▷ See also ⁴dǎo
- ▷ 后[後] ¹hòu* b.f. ① rear; back; behind ▷ hòumiàn ② afterwards; later ▷ hòulái ③ later in
sequence ▷ hòutiān ◆ n. offspring; descendant; posterior ◆ pref. post- ▷ See also ²hòu
- ▷ 每 ¹měi pr. every; each | ~ ge rén dōu yǒu zìjǐ de chángchù. Every person has his/her
own merits. ◆ adv. frequently; often; whenever
- ▷ 问[問] ¹wèn* v. ① ask | Yǒu wèntí jiù ~. If you have a question, just ask. ② inquire
after ③ examine; question; interrogate ④ hold responsible ⑤ ask (sb.) for (sth.) | Méi qián
~ tā yào. If you need money, ask him for it.
- ▷ 过[過] guo suf. (indicating) ① (completion of an action) ② (that an action has taken place,
but does not continue up to the present) ▷ See also guò
- ▷ 见[見] ¹jiàn* v. ① see; catch sight of | Xiǎo niǎo bù ~ le. The little bird has disappeared.
② meet with; be exposed to ③ appear to be ④ refer to; see; vide ⑤ meet; call on | Wǒmen
míngtiān qù ~ shìzhǎng. We'll call on the Mayor tomorrow. ◆ b.f. view; opinion
▷ zhǔjiàn ◆ pref. (indicating passive) | ~ xiào be laughed at
- ▷ 更 gèng* adv. ① more; still/even more ② further; furthermore ▷ See also ¹gēng
- ▷ 山 ¹shān* n. ① hill; mountain ② Surname ◆ b.f. sth. hill/mountain-like ▷ bīngshān
- ▷ 月 ¹yuè* n. month ◆ b.f. ① moon ▷ yuèliang ② monthly ▷ yuèkān ▷ ¹yuèxīn
- ▷ 发展[發-] fāzhǎn* v. ① develop; expand; grow | Nǐ hěn yǒu ~ qiántú. You have good
prospects. ② recruit; admit | fāzhǎn xīn dǎngyuán recruit new party members
- ▷ 拿/拏 ¹ná v. ① hold; take ② seize; capture ◆ cov. (introducing an instrument or target) |
~ shìshí zhèngmíng prove with facts | ~ wǒ kāi wánxiào make fun of me ◆ cons. ①
~ X lái shuō take X as an example ② ~ X dàng Y take/treat X as Y | ~ tā dàng
péngyou treat him as a friend
- ▷ 却[卻] ¹què* adv. ① but; yet ② indeed | Yuánlái ~ shì tā. It's him after all. ③ now (in
storytelling) | ~ shuō Now the story goes... ④ just | ~ gòu just enough ◆ b.f. ① step
back; retreat ▷ quèbù ② drive back; repulse ▷ quèdí ③ reject; refuse ▷ tuīquè ◆ conj.
however; but ◆ suf. (indicating completion/totality)
- ▷ 快 ¹kuài* s.v./adv. ① fast; quick | ~ zǒu a, yào chí dào le. Hurry up, we're late. ② soon
③ quick-witted; ingenious ④ sharp (of knives) ⑤ straightforward ⑥ pleased; elated
- ▷ 阶级[階級] jiējí* n. ① steps; stairs ② <trad.> rank ③ social class

- ▷ 啊 a* m.p. (used as phrase suffix) ① (in enumeration) | Qián ~, shū ~, biǎo ~, wǒ dōu diū le. Money, books, watch, I lost everything. ② (in direct address and exclamation) | Lǎo Wáng ~, zhè kě bùxíng ~! Wang, this won't do! ③ (indicating obviousness/impatience) | Lái ~! Come on! ④ (for confirmation) | Nǐ bù lái ~? So you're not coming? ▷ See also ¹ā ▷ See also á ▷ See also ǎ ▷ See also à
- ▷ 边[邊] ¹biān* n. ① side ② margin; edge; rim ③ limit | Tā de huà tài méi ~ le. What he said is inflated. ④ Surname ◆ b.f. ① border; boundary ▷ biānjiē ② by the side of ▷ pángbiān ◆ cons. ~ v.1 ~ v.2 v.1 and v.2 simultaneously | Tā ~ gàn ~ xué. He's learning on the job.
- ▷ 这些[這-] zhèxiē pr./attr. these
- ▷ 身 ¹shēn* b.f. ① body ▷ shēntǐ ② life; incarnation ▷ shěshēn ③ status ▷ shēnfēn ④ in one's possession ▷ shēnshàng ⑤ pregnant ▷ shēnyùn ⑥ one's moral character and conduct ▷ xiūshēn ⑦ in person; personally ▷ qīnshēn ⑧ body, main part of a vehicle ▷ chēshēn ◆ m. (for suits of clothing)
- ▷ 条[條] ¹tiáo* b.f. ① sth. long and narrow; strip; slip ▷ liǔtiáo ② stripe; streak ▷ xiàntiáo ③ item; article; clause ▷ ¹tiáowén ④ short note ▷ ¹tiáozi ⑤ <lg.> string ⑥ <art> scroll suspension loop made of plain silk ◆ m. (for long, narrow things)
- ▷ 敌人[敵-] dírén n. enemy M:ge/¹míng
- ▷ 并[並] ¹bìng* adv. ① equally; simultaneously ② actually; truly (intensifier before negative) | Zuótiān ~ méi xiàyǔ. It didn't rain yesterday after all. ◆ conj. and ▷ See also ²bìng ▷ See also Bīng
- ▷ 为[為/爲] ¹wéi v. ① do; accomplish ② act/serve as ③ be; become ④ govern | ~ guó govern the country ◆ cov. by ◆ cons. ① ~ n. suǒ v. be v.'d by n. | ~ dísuǒbài was defeated by the enemy ◆ suf. ① (added to s.v. to form adv.) | dà ~ kěguì very valuable/praiseworthy ② (added to adv. as intensifier) | jí ~ kěpà extremely frightening ▷ See also ¹wèi
- ▷ 但是 ¹dànshì* conj. but; however; yet; still | Hǎo shì hǎo, ~ tài guì le. It's good alright, but it's too expensive.
- ▷ 谁[誰] shuí pr. ① who | ~ lái le? Who came? ② someone; anyone | Wǒ liǎ ~ yě shuōbùfú ~. Neither of us could convince the other. | ~ héshì jiù xuǎn ~. Select whoever you think fits. ▷ See also shéi
- ▷ 正 ¹zhèng* s.v. straight; upright ◆ b.f. ① central ▷ zhèngfáng ② exact; due; sharp ▷ zhèngwǔ ③ obverse; recto; right ▷ zhèngmiàn ④ pure; unmixed (of flavors/etc.) ▷ chúnzhèng ⑤ correct; orthodox ▷ zhèngdàng ⑥ main; fundamental ▷ zhèngwén ⑦ <phy.> positive; plus ▷ ²zhèngdiàn ⑧ <math.> positive ⑨ honest; upright ▷ ¹zhèngzhí ⑩ just; unbiased ▷ ¹zhèngyì ⑪ standard; standardized ▷ ²zhèngtǐ ⑫ principal; chief | ~-fù zhǔrèn director and deputy director rectify; correct ▷ jiūzhèng carry out (a sentence) ◆ v. set/put right ◆ adv. ① precisely; punctually ② just; just now See zhèngzài

- ◆ pref. regular | ~ bābiānxíng regular octagon ▷ See also ⁶zhēng
- ▷ 万[萬] ¹wàn* num. ① ten thousand ② myriad; multitudinous ◆ adv. absolutely; extremely; by all means ◆ n. Surname
- ▷ 写[寫] ¹xiě* v. ① write; compose | Wǒ gěi māma ~ le yī ²fēng xìn. I wrote a letter to my mother. ② describe; depict ◆ b.f. paint; draw ▷ xiěshēng ▷ xiězhen ▷ See also ²¹xiè
- ▷ 人们[-們] rénmen n. ① people ② public; humanity
- ▷ 以 ¹yǐ cov. ① using; taking | ~ héchéng xiàngjiāo dàitì tiānrán xiàngjiāo use synthetic rubber in place of natural rubber ② because of | ~ shèngchǎn hóngchá zhùmíng famous for abundantly producing black tea ③ in order to; so as to | ~ yìng jíxū in order to meet an urgent need ◆ suf. ("empty" verb suffix) | jiā~ add | gěi~ give ◆ cons. ① ~ A wéi B take/regard A as B ② ~ A lái shuō as far as A is concerned ◆ b.f. from a point on ▷ yìxià ▷ yǐběi
- ▷ 地 ²dì n. ① the earth ② land; soil ③ fields ④ ground ◆ b.f. ① place ▷ dìfāng ② position ▷ ¹dìwèi ③ background ④ distance | Wǒmen xuéxiào lí zhèr yǒu sān zhàn ~. Our school is three bus stops from here. ▷ See also ²de
- ▷ 孩子 háizi* n. child; children; son; daughter M:ge/¹míng
- ▷ 但 ¹dàn* conj. but; yet; still; nevertheless | Wǒ xiǎng kàn diànyǐng, ~ méi shíjiān. I want to see go to a movie but don't have time. ◆ adv. only; merely
- ▷ 呀 ya m.p. (replacing a when preceding word ends in a, e, i, o, or (y)u) | Kuài lái ~! Come quickly! ▷ See also ¹yā
- ▷ 思想 sīxiǎng* n. thought; thinking; idea; ideology | Tā zǎojiù yǒu zhèzhǒng ~ le. He had this thought long ago.
- ▷ 因为[-為] ¹yīnwèi* conj. because; for; on account of | Tā méi huíjiā shì ~ nǐ. He did not go home because of you. ◆ cons. ① ~ A suǒyǐ B because A therefore B | ~ tiān kuài hēi le, suǒyǐ wǒ yào zǒu le. Because it's about to get dark, I'd better take leave. ② ~ de guānxi because of ③ ~ A ér V to V because of A
- ▷ 六 ¹liù* num. six
- ▷ 八 ¹bā num. eight
- ▷ 研究 yánjiū* v./n. ① study; research | Nǐ zài ¹zuò shénme xuéshù ~? What academic research are you engaged in? ② consider; discuss; deliberate | Zhège wèntí yǒudài ~. This problem needs discussion/consideration.
- ▷ 笑 ¹xiào v. ① smile; laugh ② ridicule; laugh at | Tā gāng xué, bié ~ tā. She's a beginner. Don't laugh at her.
- ▷ 世界 ¹shìjiè* p.w. world
- ▷ 一定 yīdìng* attr. ① fixed; specified; definite; regular ② certainly; surely; necessarily | Zhè ~ shì ge xiànjǐng. This is certainly a trap. ③ given; particular; certain ④ proper
- ▷ 站 ¹zhàn* v. ① (take a) stand ② stop; halt ◆ n. station; stop | Xià ~ xiàchē. We get off at the next stop.

- ▷ 经济[經濟] ¹jīngjì* n. ① economy ② financial condition; income ◆ s.v. ① economical; thrifty ② of economic value
- ▷ 比 ¹bǐ* cov. compared to | Dìqiú ~ yuèqiú dà. The earth is larger than the moon. ◆ v. ① compare; contrast | “Jǐ ~ jǐ?” ... “Jiǔ ~ qī.” “What's the score?” ... “Nine to seven.” ② emulate ③ draw analogy ④ copy ⑤ gesture ◆ b.f. ratio ▷ bǐlǜ ▷ See also ⁴⁵bì ▷ See also ¹⁹pí
- ▷ 坐 ²zuò v. ① sit; take a seat ② travel by (plane/etc.) | Wǒ ~ cuòle chē. I've taken the wrong bus. ③ sink; subside (from pressure) ④ recoil; kick back ⑤ be punished ⑥ have its back toward (of a building) ⑦ put (a pan, pot, kettle, etc.) on a fire ⑧ bear (fruit); form (seed) ◆ n. seat; place ◆ adv. <wr.> ① because; owing to ② for no reason at all
- ▷ 科学[-學] ¹kēxué n. science; scientific knowledge ◆ s.v. ① scientific ② <PRC> rational
- ▷ 些 ¹xiē m. (for indefinite/small amount) | tiān ~ shuǐ add a little water | Qǐng zǎo ~ lái. Would you come a little earlier?
- ▷ 找 ¹zhǎo* v. ① look for; seek | Nǐ ~ shéi? Who are you looking for? ② call on; approach; ask for ③ give change | ~ nǐ wǔ máo. Your change is fifty cents.
- ▷ 带[帶] ¹dài* n. ① belt; band; girdle ② tire ③ zone ◆ v. ① take; bring; bear | Qǐng ~ ge ¹huà gěi tā. Take him a message. | Chūmén ²shí ~ diǎnr shuǐguǒ huí lái. When you go out, bring me back some fruit. ② lead ③ look after; raise | Shuí gěi nǐ ~ háizi? Who looks after your children?
- ▷ 让[讓] ràng* v. ① yield | Tā bù ~ rén. He does not yield to others. ② allow | Māma bù ~ wǒ qù. My mom won't let me go. | Duìbuqǐ, ~ nín jiǔ děng le. Sorry to have kept you waiting. ③ induce sb. to do sth. | Shuí ~ nǐ lái de? Who told you to come? | Tā ~ kèrèn jiùzuò. She invited guests to sit at table. ④ transfer possession of sth. ⑤ offer ◆ cov. (passive signifier) by | Xíngli ~ yǔ gěi línshī le. The luggage was soaked by rain. ◆ cons. X ~ ¹rén V X makes one V | Zhǔrén ~ tā qù kāihuì. The director wants him to go to the meeting.
- ▷ 国家[國-] guójiā* n. country; state; nation
- ▷ 啦 la* m.p. (indicating excitement/doubt) ▷ See also ²lā ▷ See also ²lá
- ▷ 与[與] ¹yǔ* b.f. ① give; offer ▷ zèngyǔ ② commend; support; assist ▷ yǔrénwéishàn ③ get along with ▷ ³yìyǔ ④ wait ◆ cov. with; to ◆ conj. and; together with ▷ See also ¹⁰yú ▷ See also ¹⁰yù
- ▷ 放 fàng* v. ① put; place | fàng zài xīnli attach importance to; take personally ② set free; release ③ let off; give out ④ put out to pasture ⑤ let oneself go; let sb. have his own way ⑥ expand; make longer/larger/etc. ⑦ blossom; bloom ⑧ lend (money) at interest ⑨ put in; add ⑩ leave alone; lay aside ⑪ send away ⑫ readjust | ~ lǎoshi diǎnr! Behave yourself! | ~ míngbai diǎnr! Be sensible! ⑬ show
- ▷ 门[門] ¹mén* n. ① opening; door; gate; doorway; gateway ② <bio.> phylum ③ Surname ◆ b.f. ① valve; switch ▷ fámén ▷ diànmén ② way to do sth.; knack ▷ ménlu ③ family;

- house | Wáng ~ Lǐ ¹³shì Mrs.Wang, née Li ④ (religious) sect; school (of thought)
 ▷ Fómén ⑤ class; category ◆ m. ① (for courses, branches of science, etc.) ② (in artillery, for canon, howitzers, etc.)
- ▷ 别[別] ¹bié* b.f. other; another ▷ bié de ◆ aux. don't | ~ máng! Wait a minute! ◆ v.
 ① leave ② differentiate ③ fasten ④ stick in (one's belt/etc.) ◆ n. Surname ▷ See also biè
- ▷ 许多[許-] xǔduō attr. many; much; a lot of | Wǒ zài ²wǎng shang ¹jiāole ~ péngyou.
 I've made many friends via the internet.
- ▷ 当[當] ¹dāng v. ① undertake; accept | Wǒ kě ~ buqǐ. I really don't deserve that. ② be equal ③ be in sb.'s presence ④ be just as | Jiù ~ wǒ shì tā. Just take me as him.
 ⑤ should ◆ cons. ~ A de shíhou when A | ~ tā lái de shíhou when he comes ▷ See also ²dāng ▷ See also ⁴dǎng ▷ See also ¹dàng
- ▷ 看见[-見] kànjian* r.v. catch sight of; see
- ▷ 东西[東-] dōngxi* n. ① thing ② creature | Zhēn bùshì ~! What a contemptible creature!
 ▷ See also dōng-xī
- ▷ 路 ¹lù* n. ① road; path; way | Zhè tiáo ~ bù ¹dào dòngwùyuán. This road does not lead to the zoo. ② journey; distance ③ way; means ④ sequence; logic; line ⑤ region; district ⑥ route ⑦ sort; grade; class ⑧ Surname
- ▷ 同/全 ¹tóng* b.f. ① same; similar ▷ xiāngtóng ▷ bùtóng ② together; in common ▷ gòngtóng ③ harmony; concord ◆ v. be the same as ◆ cov. with ▷ See also ⁴tòng
- ▷ 七 ¹qī num. seven ◆ b.f. each of seven seventh-day memorials after a death | èr ~ second seventh-day memorial ◆ cons. ~ A bā B higgeldy-piggeldy AB | ~ dàbāxiǎo of unequal size
- ▷ 于[於] ¹yú cov./suf. ① in; at; to; from; out of; by | Tā shēng ~ 1970 nián. She was born in 1970. | Tā jiànxiào ~ dàzhòng. He was scorned by the masses. ② than | Rénmín de lìyì gāo ~ yīqiè. The interests of the people stand higher than anything else. ▷ See also ³wū
 ▷ See also ¹Yú
- ▷ 以后[-後] ¹yǐhòu* adv. after; afterwards; later; hereafter
- ▷ 跑 pǎo* v. ① run | Biè ~, ¹màn màn zǒu. Don't run. Walk slowly. ② run away; escape | Wǒ de xiǎo gǒu ~ le. My little dog has run away. ③ <topo.> walk ④ run about doing sth. ⑤ be away/off ⑥ leak; escape ⑦ evaporate ▷ See also ⁴páo
- ▷ 学[學] ¹xué* v. ① study; learn | ~ wénhuà learn to read and write ② imitate; mimic ◆ b.f. ① learning; knowledge ▷ xuéwen ② subject of study; branch of learning ▷ xuékē ③ school; college ▷ xuéxiào ▷ dàxué ◆ suf. -ics; -ism; -ization; -logy; study ▷ ¹shùxué ▷ shèhuìxué
- ▷ 作 ³zuò v. ① do; make | Wǒmen yòng tā ~ yòu'ěr. We'll use him as bait. ② rise; get up ③ write; compose ④ pretend; affect; feign ⑤ regard as; take sb. or sth. for ⑥ feel; have ⑦ act as; be; become ◆ n. writings; literary/artistic work ▷ See also ²zuō ▷ See also ⁴zuó
- ▷ 群众[-眾] qúnzhòng n. ① the masses; the people | ~ zīfā de zǔzhī qílái le. The masses

- organized spontaneously. ② non-Party members ③ member of the rank and file
- ▷ 进行[進-] jìnxíng* v. ① be in progress; go on ② carry on/out; conduct ③ be on the march; march; advance ◆ attr. <lg.> progressive
- ▷ 斗争[鬥爭] dòuzhēng v./n. ① fight | Wǒmen gēn dírén zuò ~. We fight with the enemy. ② <PRC> accuse and denounce at a meeting ③ strive/fight for
- ▷ 死 sǐ v. die ◆ attr. ① implacable; deadly ② fixed; rigid; inflexible ③ impassable; closed | ¹Lù gēi ¹dǔ ~ le. The road is jammed. ◆ adv. ① to the death; desperately ② extremely | ~ yào miànzi save face at all costs ◆ suf. extremely | ³xiū~ embarrass terribly
- ▷ 往 ¹wǎng* v. go toward ◆ cov. in the direction of; toward | Nǐ ~ dōng zǒu sān lǐ jiù dào le. Go east three miles and you'll be there. ◆ b.f. ① past; previous ▷ wǎngshì ② frequently ▷ ¹wǎngwǎng
- ▷ 者 ¹zhě suf. ① nominalizer; one who; -er | zuò~ author ② <wr.> used with numbers | èr~ these two ③ <wr.> used after a word, phrase, or clause to mark a pause, as in definitions | rén~, rényě benevolence is acting like a human being ④ <topo.> used at the end of a command ◆ pref. <topo.> this | ~biān this side; here
- ▷ 外 wài* b.f. ① outside; exterior ▷ wàitou ▷ wàimian ② other ▷ língwài ▷ yǐwài ③ appearance ▷ wàibiǎo ④ foreign; external ▷ wàiguó ▷ wàishěng ⑤ abroad ▷ guówài ⑥ unofficial; informal ▷ wàichuán ⑦ on one's mother's/sisters'/daughters' side ▷ wàizǔmǔ ▷ wàisūn ⑧ public ▷ duìwài kāifāng ◆ n. <opera> elderly man's role
- ▷ 那么[-麼] nàme adv. ① like that; in that way ② about; or so ③ so; so very much | ~ màn, děi sì ge zhōngtóu cái néng dào. (We are) too slow, it will take about four hours to get there. ◆ conj. then; in that case
- ▷ 将[將] ¹jiāng* v. ① <wr.> take ② <wr.> handle ③ checkmate ◆ cov. (introducing object of main verb) | ~ mén guānshang. Close the door. ◆ adv. ① just; a short time ago | zuótiān ~ dào came only yesterday ② about to ③ partly...partly... | ~xìn-~⁵yí half believing, half doubting ▷ See also ⁴jiàng ▷ See also ⁶qiāng
- ▷ 领导[領導] lǐngdǎo* v. ① lead; exercise leadership ② guide | Dǒngshìzhǎng ~ qǐyè màixiàng chénggōng. The board chairman is guiding the business to rapid success. ◆ n. leadership; leader M:ge/¹míng/²wèi
- ▷ 性 ¹xìng* b.f. ① nature; character; disposition ▷ gèxìng ▷ ¹xìngzi ② property; quality ▷ ¹xìngzhì ③ sex/gender ▷ xìngbié ④ <lg.> grammatical class; part of speech; fender ▷ ²cìxìng ▷ yīnxìng ▷ yángxìng ◆ suf. -ty; -ness; -ism; -ity | kěnéng~ possibility
- ▷ 内[內] ¹nèi* n. inside ◆ b.f. one's wife or her relatives ▷ nèixiōng ◆ attr. private
- ▷ 便 ¹biàn adv. ① then; in that case ② as early/little as | Tā qùnián ~ jìnle dàxué. He actually entered the university last year. ◆ conj. ① even if ② and then ◆ b.f. ① convenient ▷ fāngbiàn ② informal; plain ▷ biànfàn ③ convenience | “Wǒ kěyǐ zǒu le mā?” ... “Suí nǐ de ~.” “May I leave now?” ... “Suit yourself.” ④ relieve oneself ▷ ¹xiǎobiàn ⑤ urine; excrement ▷ ¹xiǎobiàn ▷ See also ²pián

- ▷ 千 ¹qiān num. thousand ◆ cons. ~ A wàn B many/entirely AB ▷ See qiānxīnwànkǔ
- ▷ 一样[-樣] ¹yīyàng* s.v. the same; equally; alike | Zhèi liǎng ¹shuáng ¹xié shì ~ de. The two pairs of shoes are identical. ◆ m. kind; type; class | Lai, wǒ gěi nǐ kàn ~ dōngxī. Come, I'll show you something.
- ▷ 之 ¹zhī <wr.> cons. ① A ~ B in a B relationship to A | sāntiān ~ nèi within three days | huíjiā ~ qián before returning home | zhōnggǔ ~ shēng the sound of bells and drums
② A ~ lèi/liú A and the like | Xītèlè ~ liú Hitler and his like ③ ... ~ s.v. so s.v. that ... | Tiānqì ~ lěng, lián wūzi lǐ de shuǐ dōu jiēbīng le. The weather was so cold that even the water in the room froze. | déyì ~ jí be very pleased with oneself ◆ pr. (used only in object position) it; him; her; this | nuò ~ promise it/her/him ◆ v. go; leave | bù zhī suǒ ~ don't know where (he) went ◆ b.f. this | ~ ¹zǐ this person
- ▷ 工人 ¹gōngrén* n. worker M:ge/¹míng/²wèi
- ▷ 河 ²hé n. river M:¹tiáo ◆ b.f. ① Yellow River ▷ Héxī ② the Milky Way ▷ Yínhé
- ▷ 钱[錢] ²qián n. ① copper coin ② cash; money; fund; sum ③ Surname ◆ m. ① 1/10th of a tael ② five grams | yī ~ jīnzi five grams of gold
- ▷ 如果 rúguǒ* conj. if ◆ cons. ~ A jiù B if A then B | ~ wǒ xūyào bāngmáng jiù lái zhǎo nǐ. If I need help I'll come to you.
- ▷ 脸[臉] ¹liǎn* n. ① face; countenance | Xǐxi ~. Wash your face. | Tā yī shēngqì, ~ jiù hóng. When he gets angry his face gets red. | Tā méi ~ jiànrén la. She feels too ashamed to face anyone. ② <topo.> front
- ▷ 块[塊] ²kuài m. ① piece; lump; chunk ② Ch. "dollar" ◆ b.f. piece ▷ tǔkuài ◆ n. <comp.> block
- ▷ 大家 ¹dàjiā* n. ① all of us ② everyone | ~ dōu zǒu le. Everyone has left. ③ rich and influential family ④ master
- ▷ 讲[講] ¹jiǎng v. ① speak; say; tell ② explain; make clear; interpret ③ discuss; negotiate ④ stress; pay attention to; be particular about ◆ b.f. discourse; lecture ▷ yǎnjiǎng ◆ cov. as far as sth. is concerned; as to/regards | ~ tiàowǔ, tā bǐ shuí dōu xíng. As for dancing, she's the best.
- ▷ 生活 shēnghuó* n. ① life; existence | Tāmen guòzhe jiǎndān de ~. They lead a simple life. ② livelihood; profession ③ <topo.> work (of workers, peasants, or handicraftsmen) ◆ v. live
- ▷ 为了[為-] wèile conj. for; for the sake of; in order to ◆ cons. ① ~ n. ér v. to v. for or on behalf of n. | ~ qiántú ér nǚlì work hard for one's future ② ~ A qǐjiàn for (the purpose/sake of) A
- ▷ 军[軍] ¹jūn* b.f. ① armed forces; troops ▷ jūnduì ② military ▷ lùjūn ▷ jūnrén ◆ n. army (largest organizational unit, consisting of several divisions)
- ▷ 分 ¹fēn* v. ① divide; separate ② distribute; allot ③ distinguish; differentiate; discriminate ◆ m. (for units of length/area/weight/money/time/etc.) ① fraction ② one-tenth ③ percent ④ <slang> ten yuan (RMB) ◆ b.f. ① part ▷ bùfēn ② branch (office, etc.) ▷ fēnjú ▷ See

also ³fèn

▷ 提 ¹tí* v. ① carry; take (in hand with the arm down) ② lift; raise; promote ③ move up a date ④ extract ⑤ mention; refer to; bring up | ~ wèntí ask a question | ~ yìjian express a view/opinion (often contrary) ⑥ bring (a prisoner) to court ⑦ guide; promote ◆ n.

① dipper ② rising stroke (in calligraphy) ▷ See also ⁵dī

▷ 只[隻] ²zhī m. (for animals, vessels, some utensils, one of a pair of things) ◆ b.f. single
▷ zhīzìwèití ▷ See also ¹zhǐ

▷ 受 ¹shòu v. ① receive; accept ② endure; suffer; be subjected to ③ <topo.> be pleasant | ~ tīng pleasant to listen to

▷ 劳动[勞動] láodòng* v. work; labor ◆ n. physical/manual labor ▷ See also láodong

▷ 这么/末[這麼/-] zhème adv. so; such; this way; like this | Nǐ ~ kě bùduì. Your doing this really isn't right.

▷ 一些 ¹yìxiē* n. a number of; certain; some; a few/little

▷ 长[長] ¹cháng* s.v. ① long ② lasting ◆ adv. steadily; regularly ◆ b.f. ① length

▷ ¹chángdù ② strong point ▷ chángchū ◆ v. be strong/good (in/at) | Tā ~ yú xiězuò. He is good at writing. ▷ See also ¹zhǎng

▷ 总[總] ¹zǒng* b.f. ① total; comprehensive; general; overall ▷ zǒngshù ② chief; head

▷ zǒngjīnglǐ ▷ zǒngtǒng ◆ adv. ① always; invariably | Nǐ zěnmē ~ chídào? Why are you always late? ② anyway; after all; inevitably; sooner or later ③ surely; certainly ④ at least ◆ v. ① assemble; put together ② sum up

▷ 妈妈[媽媽] ¹māma n. <coll.> mama; mother

▷ 所以 suǒyǐ* conj. so; therefore; as a result ◆ n. ① that by which ② the reason why; the cause ◆ cons. N ~ V, shì yīnwèi ... the reason why N V is (because) ... | Wǒ ~ méi qù shì yīnwèi ... The reason I didn't go is ...

▷ 口 kǒu* n. ① mouth ② opening; entrance ③ Great Wall gateway ④ hole; cut ⑤ knife edge ⑥ age of draft animal ◆ m. (for mouthfuls/people/wells/etc.) | Wǒmen jiā jiù yǒu liǎng ~ rén. There are only two people in our family. ◆ attr. <lg.> oral; buccal

▷ 主席 zhǔxí* n. ① chair (of a meeting) ② chair/president (of an organization/state) M:²wèi

▷ 眼睛 yǎnjīng* n. eye M:¹duì

▷ 或 ¹huò* adv. perhaps; maybe; probably ◆ conj. or; either or ◆ pr. <wr.> someone; certain person ◆ cons. ~ X ~ Y either X or Y | ~ duō ~ shǎo more or less

▷ 今天 jīntiān n. ① today ② the present; now

▷ 日 rì b.f. ① <topo.> sun ▷ rìtóu ② day ▷ rìzi ③ daytime ▷ rìyè ④ daily ▷ rìyì ◆ ab.

Riběn

▷ 眼 ¹yǎn* n. ① eye ② small hole; aperture ③ salient/weighted point ④ trap (in chess/etc.)

◆ m. (for wells/caves/etc.) ◆ v.m. look; glance | Wǒ yī ~ jiù bǎ tā rèn chūlai le. I recognized him at first glance.

▷ 位 ²wèi b.f. ① place; location ▷ wèizhi ② status; condition ▷ ¹dīwèi ◆ m. <court.> (for

persons)

- ▷ 已²yǐ b.f. ① stop; cease; end ▷bùyǐ ② finish ▷éryǐ ◆adv. ① already <wr.>
② thereafter; afterward ③ too ◆n. <mus.> a note of the scale in gōngchèpú
- ▷ 下来[-來] xiàlai* r.v. ① come down from a higher place | Hóuzi cóng shù shang ~ le.
The monkeys have come down from the tree. ② go among the masses (said of leaders)
③ be harvested (of farm crops) ④ be over (of a period of time); come to an end ◆cmp.
(indicating motion down toward (lit./fig.)) | ²Tā tūrán tíngle ~. She stopped all of a sudden.
- ▷ 船/舫¹chuán* n. boat; ship
- ▷ 车[車]¹chē* n. ① vehicle ② wheeled machine/instrument ③ Surname ◆v. ① turn on a
lathe ② lift water with a water-wheel ▷See also ³jū
- ▷ 学习[學習] xuéxí* v. study; learn; emulate | Tā ~ hěn yònggōng. He studies hard. ◆n.
learning
- ▷ 历史[歷-] lìshǐ* n. history; past records
- ▷ 先¹xiān* adv. ① before; earlier; in advance ② for the time being; for the moment (with
negative) | Nǐ ~ bié zǒu. Don't leave yet. ◆cons. ~ A ²zài B first A and then B ◆b.f.
① elder generation ▷¹xiānbèi ② ancestor ▷zǔxiān ③ late; deceased ▷xiānfù
④ progressive ▷xiānjìn ◆pref. pre-
- ▷ 一切 yīqiè* n. all; every; everything | ~ ¹yóu tā fùzé. He's responsible for everything.
- ▷ 远[遠] yuǎn* s.v. far; distant (lit./fig.) | chà de ~ be far behind | ~ zài shíyī shìjì as far
back as the 11th century ◆b.f. keep away from; keep at a distance ▷jìng'éryuǎnzhī
- ▷ 半¹bàn* num. ① half; semi ② very little; the least bit ◆adv. partly; about half; halfway |
bǎ tā dǎle ge ~ sǐ beat him within an inch of his life ◆cons. ① ~ A bù B neither A nor
B | ~ sǐbùhuó half dead ② ~ A ~ B half A half B | ~ kāi wánxiào ~ zhízé half
joking, half censoring ◆b.f. partial; incomplete
- ▷ 一点[-點] yīdiǎn* n. ① point | Wǒ míngbai zhè ~. I understand this point. ② an hour
◆adv. a little; a bit; a small amount | Wǒ ~ dōu bù lèi. I'm not in the least tired.
- ▷ 早¹zǎo* s.v. early | Nǐ lǎi³de zhēn ~. You came so early. ◆adv. ① early on; some
time ago | Wǒ ~ jiù bù shì cūnzǎng le. I haven't been the village chief for a long time.
② in advance; beforehand ③ prematurely ◆b.f. morning ▷zǎoshang ◆f.e. Good
morning!
- ▷ 买[買] mǎi* v. ① buy; purchase ② hire
- ▷ 而且 érqǐe conj. furthermore; and | Tā bùdàn chàngē hǎo, tiàowǔ yě hǎo. She not only
sings well, but also dances well.
- ▷ 时间[時間] ¹shíjiān* n. ① time; duration | ~ bù zǎo le. It's already late. | ~ dào le.
Time's up. | Xiànzài shì Běijīng ~ bādiǎn zhēng. It's exactly 8:00 A.M. Beijing time.
② <lg.> tense
- ▷ 这里[這裡] zhèlǐ* p.w. here | Qiánbāo zài ~. The purse is here.
- ▷ 化²huà v. ① change; transform; convert ② melt; dissolve; thaw | Xuě ~ le. The snow has

- melted. ③ digest; remove ④ burn up; incinerate ⑤ disguise ⑥ <rel.> die; pass away ◆ suf. -ize ◆ b.f. ① culture ▷¹wénhuà ② chemistry ▷¹huàxué ◆ cons. ~ X wéi Y convert/change/turn X into Y
- ▷ 运动[運動] ¹yùndòng* v. ① move; turn around ② <trad.> arrange things through pull ◆ n. ① sports; athletics; exercise ② movement; campaign; drive ▷ See also yùndong
- ▷ 光 ¹guāng* n. ① light; ray; brightness ② honor; glory; luster ③ scene ◆ s.v. ① smooth; glossy ◆ b.f. <court.> gracious ◆ v. ① be bare/naked ② be used up | chī ~ le eaten up ③ <wr.> glorify ◆ adv. solely; merely; only | ~ shuō bù ¹zuò. All words, no action.
- ▷ 机[機] ¹jī b.f. ① machine ▷ jīqì ② airplane ▷ jīpiào ③ chance ▷ ¹jīhuì ④ occasion ▷ ¹shíjī ⑤ crucial point; key link ▷ zhuǎnjī ⑥ organic ▷ ¹yǒujī
- ▷ 干[幹] ¹gàn* b.f. ① trunk ▷ shùgàn ② main body ▷ gànxiàn ◆ v. ① do; work | Wǒmen ~ qǐlái ba! Let's get started! | Wǒmen yīnggāi bǎ zhègè gōngzuò ~ dàodǐ. We have to carry this job through to completion. ② hold the post of ③ fight | Wǒmen děi gēn dírén ~ dàodǐ. We have to fight the enemy to the bitter end. ◆ ab. gàn bù ▷ See also ¹gān ▷ See also ²gān
- ▷ 送 ¹sòng* v. ① deliver; carry ② give as a present | Bàba ~ wǒ yī "zhī "bǐ. My father gave me a pen as a present. ③ see sb. off/out; accompany; escort | ~ kèrén qù jīchǎng accompany visitors to the airport
- ▷ 先生 xiānsheng* n. ① teacher ② mister; Mr.; gentleman; sir ③ husband ④ <court.> Ms. ⑤ <topo.> doctor ⑥ <trad.> bookkeeper ⑦ fortune-teller
- ▷ 怕 ¹pà* v. fear; dread | Wǒ ~ gǒu yǎo (wǒ). I'm scared the dog will bite me. ◆ adv. I'm afraid; perhaps | ~ nǐ bù rèn lù, wǒ lái ¹jiē nǐ ba. I'll come to pick you up because you may not know the way.
- ▷ 必须[-须] ¹bìxū aux. must; have to | Nǐ ~ yònggōng. You have to study hard.
- ▷ 需要 ¹xūyào aux./n. need; want; require; demand | Wǒmen ~ nǐ de bāngzhù. We need your help.
- ▷ 发[發] fā* v. ① send out; deliver; distribute ② utter; express | Tā jīnnián ~ le. He made a fortune this year. ③ shoot; emit ④ develop; expand ⑤ rise/expand when fermented/soaked (of foodstuffs) ⑥ come/bring into existence ⑦ open up; discover; expose ⑧ become ⑨ show one's feeling ⑩ feel; have a feeling ⑪ start; set out; begin ⑫ <slang> make a fortune; hit the jackpot ◆ m. (for rounds of ammunition, shells/cartridges/etc.) ▷ See also ¹fà
- ▷ 花 ¹huā n. ① flower; blossom M:²duǒ ② pattern; design ③ fireworks ④ essence; cream ⑤ wound | Tā guàle ~. He was wounded in action. ⑥ smallpox ⑦ courtesan; prostitute ⑧ Surname ◆ v. ① spend; expend ② <slang> be horny; womanize ◆ s.v. ① flowery; florid ② profligate ③ blurred ④ false ⑤ randy; lecherous
- ▷ 解放 jiěfàng* v. liberate; emancipate ◆ n. ① liberation ② <PRC> | ~ qián before liberation in 1949

- ▷ 方面 fāngmiàn* n. aspect; side; facet
- ▷ 能够[-夠] nénggòu aux. can; be able to; be capable of | Zhè "zuò fángzi ~ zhù sì ge rén. This house can accommodate four people.
- ▷ 为什么[為-麼] wèishénme v.p. why?; why is it that? | Nǐ ~ bù shuōhuà. Why don't you speak?
- ▷ 树[樹] ¹shù* n. ① tree ② Surname ◆ v. ① plant; cultivate ◆ b.f. set up; establish; uphold
▷ ¹shùlì
- ▷ 政治 ¹zhèngzhì* n. politics; political affairs
- ▷ 无[無] ¹wú v. not have; there is not ◆ n. nothing; nil ◆ b.f. no; not; without ▷ wúxū
▷ wúlùn ▷ See also ¹¹mó
- ▷ 少 shǎo* s.v. ① few; little | Nǐ zhǐ gěile wǒ hēn ~ yīdiǎnr. You just gave a little bit to me. ② less ◆ v. ① lack; be deficient ② lose; be missing | Nǐ shībùshì ~ le dōngxi? Are you missing something? ③ stop; quit | ~ guǎn xiánshì. Mind your own business. ◆ adv. ① seldom ② a little while ▷ See also ²shào
- ▷ 关系[關係] guānxì* v. concern; affect; matter | Xuéxi de hǎo-huài ~ ¹dào jiānglái de gōngzuò. One's academic record affects one's future job. ◆ n. ① relation; relationship M:¹zhǒng ② bearing; impact ③ membership credentials ④ "backdoor connections" | Nǐ zài nàge yīyuàn yǒu ~ méiyǒu? Do you know anyone in that hospital? ⑤ reference ◆ cons. yóuyú/yīnwei A (de) ~ since; because (of) A | Yóuyú shíjiān ~, jiù tándào zhèr ba. Since time is limited, I'll stop here.
- ▷ 满[滿] ¹mǎn* s.v. full; complete ◆ b.f. ① satisfied ▷ mǎnyì ② conceited ▷ zìmǎn ◆ adv. ① entirely; wholly | Tā ~ bù zàihu. He doesn't care at all. ② very | ~ hǎo. Very good. ◆ n. ① Surname ② Manchus ◆ v. ① fill ② reach the limit; expire; be over | Tāmen dōu shì bù ~ qī suì de értóng. All of them are children under seven.
- ▷ 爱[愛] ¹ài* v. ① love | Nǐ ~ tā ma? Do you love her? ② like; be fond of; be keen on | Tā ~ shuōhuà. He likes to talk. | Wǒ bù ~ chī zhūròu. I don't like to eat pork. ③ cherish ④ be apt to ◆ n. love M:¹zhǒng/²chǎng ◆ cons. ① ~ v.1 bù v.1 v.1 or not as you please | Nǐ ~ lái bù lái. I don't care if you come or not. ② ~ A ³shèng B hold A dearer than B | ~ rén shèngjǐ love others more than oneself
- ▷ 太 ¹tài* adv. ① excessively; too ② extremely; very ◆ b.f. ① grand; supreme ▷ tài kōng ② more/most senior ▷ tài fūren
- ▷ 得 děi aux. must ◆ v. <coll.> ① need | Wǒ ~ zǒu le. I must go. ② should be ▷ See also ³dé ▷ See also ¹dé
- ▷ 完 ¹wán v. ① exhaust; use up ② finish; complete | Zhè zhī bǐ nǐ yòng ~ le ma? Have you finished with this pen? ◆ b.f. ① whole; complete ▷ wánzhěng ② <trad.> pay (taxes/levies) ▷ wánshuì ▷ wánliáng
- ▷ 部 ²bù b.f. ① part; section ▷ bùfen ② unit ③ headquarters; office; board; ministry ▷ wàijiāobù ④ troops; the military ▷ ²bùdù ⑤ <wr.> command ◆ m. (for film, large

books, machines, etc.)

- ▷ 连[連] ¹lián v. join; link; connect ◆ n. <mil.> ① company ② Surname ◆ b.f. endless succession ▷ ¹liánxù ◆ adv. ① in succession; one after another ◆ cons. ① ~ N dōu V even V N | ²Tā ~ mǐfàn dōu bù huì zhǔ. She can't even cook rice. ② ~ A dài B both A and B ◆ conj. including
- ▷ 员[員] ¹yuán suf. member; -er/-ist/etc. ▷ jiàoyuán ▷ fúwùyuán ◆ b.f. personnel
▷ ¹yuángōng
- ▷ 拉 ¹lā v. ① pull; draw; tug; drag | Tā bǎ mén ~ kāi le. He pulled the door open. ② haul ③ move (troops) ④ play (bowed instruments) | Wǒ xǐhuan ~ xiǎotíqín. I like playing the violin. ⑤ drag out ⑥ help ⑦ implicate ⑧ win over ⑨ press-gang ⑩ solicit (business) ⑪ empty the bowels ⑫ <slang> ⑬ seduce; play with ⑭ overcharge; rip off ◆ ab. Lādīng Měizhōu Latin America ▷ See also ¹lá ▷ See also ²lǎ ▷ See also ⁸là
- ▷ 句 ²jù b.f. sentence ▷ ¹jùzi ◆ m. sentence; line of poetry/song
- ▷ 技术[-術] ¹jìshù* n. ① technology ② skill; technique
- ▷ 似/是的 ²shìde adv. as if; seem | Tā fāle fēng ~. He seems to have gone crazy. ◆ cons. xiàng X ~ seems as though X; seems like X | Tā xiàng háizi ~ kū qǐlai le. He cried like a child.
- ▷ 建设[-設] ¹jiànshè* v. build; construct | ~ yǒu Zhōngguó tèse de shèhuìzhǔyì guójiā. Build a socialist country with Chinese characteristics. ◆ n. construction
- ▷ 情况[-况] qíngkuàng* n. circumstances; situation | Tā shúxī ¹quánbù ~. He was thoroughly familiar with all the circumstances.
- ▷ 咱们[-們] zánmen pr. ① we; you and I <topo.> ② I ③ you
- ▷ 应该[應該] yīnggāi* aux. should; ought to; must | Wǒmen ~ jìnkuaì bàojǐng. We should call the police as soon as possible.
- ▷ 红[紅] ¹hóng* s.v. ① red ② popular; in vogue | Tā zài lǎoshī miànqián ¹tè ~. He is the favorite of the teachers. ③ revolutionary; communist ◆ b.f. ① indicative of success, happy occasion, etc. ▷ hóngbǎng ② <Budd.> worldly ▷ hóngchén ◆ attr. women's | ~lóu women's quarters; boudoir ◆ n. ① bonus; dividend ② Surname ▷ See also ¹⁵gōng
- ▷ 离[離] ¹lí v. ① leave; part from; be away from | Wǒ de fūren ~ wǒ ér qù. My wife left me. ② separate ③ defy; go against ◆ cov. distant/apart from | Běi¹jīng ~ Shànghǎi yǒu duō yuǎn? How far is Beijing from Shanghai?
- ▷ 穿 ¹chuān v. ① penetrate; pierce through ② pass through; cross | ~ guò zhè ¹piàn shùlín jiù dào le. We'll reach our destination after passing through the woods. ③ wear; put on; be dressed in | Zhè shuāng xié ~ jiù le. These shoes are showing their age.
- ▷ 它们[-們] ³tāmen pr. they (non-human)
- ▷ 经过[經過] jīngguò* v. ① pass; go through; undergo | Měi tiān yǒu liǎng ¹bān huǒchē ~ zhèlǐ. Two trains stop here every day. ② stop at ◆ n. ① process; course ② sb.'s antecedents

- ▷ 主要 ¹zhǔyào* attr. main; chief; principal; major; fundamental | Xuésheng ~ de rènwù shì xuéxí. The main task of a student is to study.
- ▷ 风[風] ¹fēng* n. ① wind ② ballad section in the Book of Songs ◆ b.f. ① common practice; custom; general mood; style ▷ zuòfēng ② news; information ▷ fēngwén ③ winnow ▷ fēngxuǎn ④ put out to dry/air ▷ fēnggān
- ▷ 还是[還-] háishi* conj. ① still; nevertheless ② after all | ~ jiā hǎo. Home is best after all. ◆ adv. ① had better | Tiān lěng le, nǐ ~ duō chuān diǎnr ba. It's getting cold. You'd better put on more clothes. ② or (expressing realization or discovery) | Qù ~ bù qù? To go or not?
- ▷ 胜利[勝-] shènglì* v. win victory/success ◆ adv. successfully | Dàhuì ~ bìmù. The conference has come to a successful conclusion. ◆ n. victory
- ▷ 觉得[覺-] juéde* v. ① feel ② think | Wǒ ~ zhè zhǒng ²yào fēicháng yǒuxiào. I think this drug is very effective.
- ▷ 书[書] ¹shū n. ① book ◆ b.f. ① style of calligraphy; script ▷ kǎishū ② letter ▷ shūxìn ③ document ▷ ¹zhèngshū ④ write ▷ ¹shūxiě
- ▷ 重要 zhòngyào* s.v. important; significant; major
- ▷ 如 ¹rú* v. ① be like ② measure up to | Tā bù ~ nǐ. He's not as good as you are. ③ <wr.> go to ④ be in accord with ◆ cov. ① according to; in accordance with ② such as; as if; like; for example ◆ conj. if; supposing
- ▷ 共产党[-產黨] Gòngchǎndǎng n. Communist Party
- ▷ 流 ¹liú v. flow ◆ b.f. ① drift; wander ▷ liúlàng ② spread; circulate ▷ ¹liúchuán ③ degenerate ▷ liúyú xíngshì ④ banish ▷ liúfàng ⑤ stream ▷ ¹héliú ⑥ current; flow ▷ diànliú ⑦ class; rate; grade ▷ shàngliú
- ▷ 行 ¹xíng s.v. ① all right; acceptable | Zhèyàng zuò ~ ma? Is it alright to do it this way? ② capable; competent | Nǐ zhēn ~. You are really competent. ◆ b.f. ① go; walk ▷ zìxíngchē ▷ ²bùxíng ② travel ▷ ¹lǚxíng ③ be current; prevail; circulate ▷ ¹liúxíng ④ do; perform; carry out; engage in ▷ ¹shíxíng ⑤ temporary; makeshift ▷ xínggōng ⑥ <wr.> soon ▷ xíngjiāng ⑦ behavior; conduct ▷ xíngwéi ⑧ running script ▷ ¹xíngshū ▷ See also ¹háng ▷ See also ³hàng ▷ See also heng
- ▷ 由于[-於] ¹yóuyú conj. | ~ gōngchǎng ¹dǎobì, dàpī gōngrén shīyè le. Because the factory went bankrupt, a large number of workers lost their job. owing/due/thanks to; because of
- ▷ 告诉[-訴] gàosu* v. ① tell; let know; inform | Bié ~ biéren zhè jiàn shì(r). Don't tell anyone about this matter. ② file a legal complaint; bring a complaint
- ▷ 面 ¹miàn* b.f. ① face ▷ miànkǒng ② "face"; personal esteem ▷ miànzi ③ to face ▷ miànduì ④ surface; top ▷ shàngmian ⑤ cover; outside ▷ biǎomiàn ⑥ side; aspect ▷ fāngmiàn ⑦ superficial ▷ miànyǒu ◆ suf. ① used on terms of localization or direction ▷ qiánmian ▷ wàimian ② extent; range; scale; scope ▷ quánmiàn ▷ piànmiàn ▷ shíyànmiàn ◆ m. (for mirrors/flags/etc.) ▷ See also ²miàn

- ▷ 民族 mínzú n. ① ethnic minority/group ② <PRC> nation; nationality
- ▷ 气[氣] ¹qì n. ① air; gas ② smell ③ spirit; vigor; morale ④ tone; atmosphere; attitude ⑤ anger ⑥ breath; respiration ◆ b.f. ① weather ▷ tiānqì ② <lg.> aspiration ▷ sòngqì ◆ v. ① anger | ~ ³de wǒ shuōbuchū huà. I was too angry to speak. ② get angry ③ bully; insult
- ▷ 白 ¹bái s.v. ① white ② clear ◆ b.f. ① pure; plain ▷ báifàn ② free of charge ▷ báisòng ③ wrongly written/mispronounced ▷ báizì ④ colloquial; vernacular ▷ ¹báihuà ⑤ state ▷ biǎobái ⑥ “white” (anti-communist) ▷ báiqū ◆ adv. in vain; for nothing ◆ n. ① spoken part in opera ② Surname ◆ v. ① turn white prematurely | Tā tóufa quán ~ le. His hair turned completely white. <coll.> look askance at
- ▷ 低 ¹dī s.v. low ◆ v. let droop; hang down; lower
- ▷ 对于[對於] duìyú* cov. (in regard) to; toward; at; for | ~ zhège wèntí, nǐ zěnmē ¹kàn? What is your opinion on this problem?
- ▷ 组织[組織] zǔzhī* v. organize; form | Wǒmen zhǔnbèi ~ yī ge yīliáo ²duì. We are going to organize a medical team. ◆ n. ① organization; organized system ② <phys.> tissue; nerve ③ <txtl.> weave
- ▷ 件 ²jiàn m. (for articles/items/etc.) ◆ b.f. correspondence; paper; document ▷ ¹wénjiàn
- ▷ 可能 kěnéng s.v. possible; probable ◆ aux. probably; maybe | Wǒ ~ gǎnmào le. I may have a cold. ◆ n. ① possibility ② <lg.> contingency
- ▷ 民主 mínmǔ* n. democracy; democratic rights ◆ s.v. democratic
- ▷ 望 ¹wàng v. ① gaze into the distance; observe | Wǒ bàba zài yuǎnchù ~ zhe wǒ. My father is watching me from distance. ② approach | ~ qīshí le approach 70 (in age) ◆ cov. toward; to ◆ b.f. ① hope; expect; look forward to ▷ xīwàng ② hope; expectation ▷ dàxiguòwàng ③ call on; visit ▷ bàiwàng ④ reputation; prestige ▷ míngwàng ⑤ resentment; enmity ▷ ²yuànwàng ◆ n. ① full moon ② 15th day of lunar month
- ▷ 办[辦] ²bàn v. ① do; handle; manage | ~ rùxué shǒuxù go through admission procedures ② set up; run | ~ gōngchǎng run a factory ③ buy a fair amount of ④ punish (by law); beat up | Zhè shìr yīdìng yào ⁴yán ~. This must be dealt with severely.
- ▷ 反 ¹fǎn* v. ① turn over ② return; counter ③ revolt; rebel ④ oppose; combat ◆ b.f./cmp. upside down; inside out; in the reverse direction | zhuāng ~ le installed upside-down ◆ b.f. counterrevolutionaries; reactionaries ▷ fǎngémìng fènzǐ ◆ adv. on the contrary; instead ▷ See also ⁶bǎn
- ▷ 伟大[偉大] wěidà s.v. great; mighty
- ▷ 一会儿[-會兒] yīhuìr ▷ See yīhuì
- ▷ 张[張] ¹zhāng* b.f. ① stretch; spread; expand ▷ zhāngkāi ② set out; display ③ start a business ▷ kāizhāng ④ magnify; exaggerate ▷ kuāzhāng ⑤ <wr.> fix a bowstring; stringed musical instruments ⑥ look ▷ dōngzhāngxīwàng ⑦ give free rein to; indulge ◆ m. ① (for flat objects) ② <slang> ③ (for ten-yuan notes) | Wǒ huāle sān ~ mǎi zhè běn shū. I spent

- thirty yuan for this book. ◎ (for units of ten, usu. referring to age) | Wǒ yǐ shì kuài bēn sì ~ de rén le. I'm going to be forty soon. ◆ n. ① <trad.> 26th of the 28 constellations
 ② Surname
- ▷ 妈[媽] ¹mā n. ma; mom; mother ◆ suf. (forming part of address for aunt or female servants) | gū ~ father's sister | nǎi ~ wet nurse | Wáng ~ female servant Wang
- ▷ 片 ¹piàn* n. ① slice; flake | Bǎ ròu qiēchéng ~. Cut the meat into slices. ② part ◆ m. (for paper, tile, tablets, stretches of land/scenery, etc.) | Zhè ~ ²dì zhēn féi. This piece of land is really fertile/rich. ◆ v. ① slice | Bǎ zhūpí ~ xiàlai. Take the pork skin off. ② pare
 ◆ b.f. ① incomplete; partial ▷ piànmiàn ② small; brief ▷ piànzhǐzhì ③ photo; film
 ▷ zhàopiàn ▷ yǐngpiàn ▷ See also ³piān
- ▷ 长[長] ¹zhǎng v. grow; grow up; increase | Zhè háizi ~ ²de zhēn kuài. This kid has grown so fast. ◆ s.v. ① older; elder | Wǒ bǐ tā ¹nián ~ yīxiē. I'm a bit older than he is.
 ② eldest ③ senior ◆ b.f. chief; head ▷ ¹shǒuzhǎng ▷ xiàozhǎng ▷ See also ¹cháng
- ▷ 战争[戰爭] zhànzhēng n. war; warfare M:²chǎng
- ▷ 本 ¹běn* n. ① root/stem of plant ② foundation ③ capital ④ book ⑤ edition ◆ attr./b.f.
 ① this ▷ běnxiào ② original ▷ běnlái ③ (one's) native place ④ current ◆ cov. according to ◆ m. (for books/periodicals/files/etc.)
- ▷ 就是 ¹jiùshì* v.p. be | Zhè bù ~ nǐ yào de shū ma? Isn't this the book you want?
 ◆ adv. ① quite right; exactly; precisely ② only; merely; just; simply ◆ conj. even if; even
 ◆ cons. ~ A yě B even if/though A still/nevertheless B
- ▷ 实际[實際] ¹shíjì* n. reality; practice; praxis ◆ s.v. ① practical; realistic ② real; actual; concrete | Nǐ liǎojiě zhè ²kuài ¹biǎo de ~ jiàzhí ma? Do you realize the real value of the watch?
- ▷ 完全 wánquán* v.p. complete; whole ◆ adv. completely; fully; wholly; absolutely | Nǐ ~ bèi tā de huāyán-qiǎoyǔ piàn le. You are completely taken in by his blandishments.
- ▷ 米 ¹mǐ* n. ① rice ② Surname ◆ b.f. ① shelled/husked grain, etc. ▷ gāoliangmǐ
 ▷ huāshēngmǐ ◆ m. <loan> meter
- ▷ 变[變] ²biàn v. ① change | Tā de tàidu ~ le. He's changed his attitude now. ② become; change into ③ transform ④ perform (magic/etc.) ◆ b.f. ① changeable; adaptable ▷ ³jìbiàn
 ② incident; disturbance ▷ shìbiàn
- ▷ 方法 fāngfǎ n. method; way; means; device; manner; mode; principle
- ▷ 下去 xiàqu* r.v. ① go down; descend ② go on; continue | Nǐ zhèyàng ~ huì lèikuǎ de. You will crack up if you go on like this. ◆ suf. (indicating motion down and away from (lit./fig.))
- ▷ 信 ¹xìn n. letter; mail ◆ v. believe; give credence to | Wǒ bù ~ nǐ de ¹huà. I don't believe you. ◆ b.f. ① message; word; information ▷ xìn r ▷ xìn xī ② confidence; trust; faith
 ▷ xìn yòng ③ sign; evidence ▷ xìn hào ④ at will/random; without a plan ▷ xìn kǒu ▷ xìn bù
 ⑤ true ▷ ²xìn shǐ ⑥ fuse ▷ xìn guǎn ▷ yǐn xìn

- ▷ 力 ¹lì n. ① <phy.> force ② Surname ◆ b.f. ① power; strength; ability ▷ ¹nénglì
② physical strength ▷ lìliang ③ energy ▷ lìqì ④ do all one can; make every effort ▷ nǔlì
⑤ vigorously; earnestly ▷ lìzhēng
- ▷ 不同 bùtóng* s.v. not alike; different ◆ n. difference
- ▷ 请[請] ¹qǐng* v. ① request; ask (a favor) | ~ tā jùnlái. Ask him in. ② engage; hire
(teacher/etc.) ③ Please...
- ▷ 海 ¹hǎi n. ① sea ② big lake ◆ b.f. ① huge group of people/things ▷ rénshānrénhǎi
② great capacity ▷ hǎiliàng ◆ n. Surname <coll.> ◆ attr. plenty; extremely large ◆ v.
magnify; balloon | Tā de ²qián ~ le qùle. He's made a pile of money.
- ▷ 声音[聲] ¹shēngyīn* n. sound; voice
- ▷ 开始[開] ¹kāishǐ* v. begin; start | Zánmen ~ gàn ba. Let's get down to work. ◆ n.
initial stage; beginning
- ▷ 区[區] ¹qū n. district; administrative division | Nǐ zhù nǎige ~? Which district do you live
in? ◆ b.f. ① region; area ▷ shānqū ② discriminate; classify ▷ qūbié ③ subdivide ▷ qūfēn
④ little; unimportant ▷ ¹qūqū ▷ See also ²ōu
- ▷ 南 ¹nán* n. ① south ② Surname ▷ See also nā
- ▷ 无产阶级[無產階級] wúchǎn jiējí n. <pol.> proletariat
- ▷ 事情 shìqing* n. affair; matter; thing; business | Tā ~ hěn duō. She's up to her ears in
work. ▷ See also ¹shìqing
- ▷ 不过[-過] bùguò* conj. but; however; only ◆ adv. only; merely; no more than | Tā cānjūn
shí ~ shíqī suì. She was only seventeen when she joined the army. ◆ cons. ① s.v. ~
extremely s.v. | Zài hǎo ~ le! It couldn't be better! ② v. ~ unable to out-v. | Wǒ
gàn ~ tā. I can't outdo him.
- ▷ 过来[過來] guòlai v. come over/up; come here | Nǐ ~ yīxià. Come over here for a
moment. ◆ cmp. ① (indicating action toward one) | Tā zǒu ~ le. He's coming over here.
| Qǐng zhuǎn ~. Please turn around (toward me). ② (initiating a new condition) | Tā
zhōngyú juéwù ~ le. He finally saw the light. ③ (with de/bu, indicating ability/inability) |
Háizi duōle zhàogu bu ~. If you have too many children, you won't be able to take good
care of them.
- ▷ 一般 ¹yībān* s.v. ① general; ordinary; common | Zhège shèjì hěn ~. This design is fairly
ordinary. ② same as ③ just like ◆ n. sort; kind
- ▷ 特别[-別] tèbié s.v./adv. special; particular | Tā ~ xúnwènle wǒ de jiànkāng qíngkuàng.
He particularly inquired about my health.
- ▷ 厂[廠] ¹chǎng n. ① factory; mill; plant; works ② yard; depot
- ▷ 得 ¹dé v. ① get ② result in ③ be fit/proper ④ be satisfied ⑤ be finished | ~ le, bié shuō
le. OK! OK! That's enough. ▷ See also ³de ▷ See also děi
- ▷ 认识[認識] rènshi v. know; recognize | Wǒ bù ~ nèi ge zì. I don't know that character.
◆ n. knowledge; understanding

- ▷ 工业[-業] ¹gōngyè* n. industry
- ▷ 一下 ¹yíxià n. ① one time; once ② in a short while; all at once; all of a sudden | Wǒ xiànzài ~ xiǎng bu qilai tā de míngzi. For the moment I can't recall his name. | xiūxi ~ rest a while | shuì ~ jiào nap a while
- ▷ 好像/象 hǎoxiàng adv. seem; be like | Shuǐ ~ ¹kāi le. The water seems boiling. ◆ cons. ① ~ A, kěshi it seems as if A, but ② ~ A (shìde) seem to be A | Tā ~ bìngle shìde. She seems to have fallen ill.
- ▷ 解决[-决] jiějué* v. ① solve; resolve; settle | Wèntí ~ le. The problem is resolved. ② dispose of; finish off
- ▷ 睡 ¹shuì v. sleep | Ràng tā ~ ge gòu ba. Let him have his sleep..
- ▷ 帝国[-國] dìguó* n. empire
- ▷ 动[動] ¹dòng* v. ① move | Wǒ nábù~. I can't carry it. ② act; get moving ③ change | Zhíyào ~ yī ge zì zhè jù huà jiù tōng le. Just change one word and the sentence will read smoothly. ④ use ⑤ arouse
- ▷ 脚[腳] ¹jiǎo n. ① foot ② leg ③ base ④ <topo.> dregs; residue ◆ m. kick ▷ See also ⁵jué
- ▷ 北 běi n. north ◆ v. <wr.> be defeated
- ▷ 屋 ¹wū b.f. ① house ▷ fángwū ② room ▷ wūzi
- ▷ 青年 qīngnián n. youth; young people M:²wèi
- ▷ 饭[飯] ¹fàn n. ① cooked rice or other cereals ② meal
- ▷ 要求 yāoqiú* v./n. demand; request
- ▷ 字 ¹zì* n. ① character; script; writing; graph; style | Wǒ bù rènshi zhège ~. I don't know this character. ② word ③ courtesy name ◆ b.f. ① receipt; contract ▷ ²zìjù ◆ v. <trad.> be betrothed (of a girl)
- ▷ 反对[-對] fǎnduì v. oppose; be against; combat; dispute | Yǒu ~ yìjian ma? Any objections?
- ▷ 哪/那 nǎ pr. which?; what?; how? ▷ See also na ▷ See also ¹nà ▷ See also Né ▷ See also ¹něi ▷ See also ²nèi ▷ See also ⁴nuó ▷ See also ⁶nuò
- ▷ 该[該] ¹gāi* aux. ought to; should ◆ v. ① be sb.'s turn to do sth. ② deserve | ~! Shéi ràng nǐ bù tīnghuà. It serves you right, you shouldn't have been disobedient. ③ owe ◆ pr. this; that; the said/given
- ▷ 岁[歲] ¹sui* b.f. ① year ▷ niánsuì ▷ ²suìmò ② year (of crops) | qiàn~ lean year ◆ m. year (of age)
- ▷ 么/末[麼/-] me suf. (for interrogatives and adverbs) ◆ m.p. (separates topical first clause from conclusive second clause in a sentence) | Yào qù me, jiù gǎnkuài qù. Well if we're going, let's go right away. ▷ See also ¹má ▷ See also ¹⁰mó ▷ See also ¹mò ▷ See also ⁶yāo
- ▷ 谈[談] ¹tán* v. talk; chat | Wǒmen ~le yī ge xiǎoshí. We talked for an hour. ◆ b.f. what is said ▷ kōngtán ▷ ¹qítán ◆ n. Surname

- ▷ 提高 *tígāo** r.v. raise; heighten; enhance; increase; improve | *Wǒmen xūyào ~ chǎnpǐn zhìliàng*. We need to improve the quality of the product.
- ▷ 代表 ¹*dàibiǎo* n. representative; delegate; proxy | *Nǐ ~ wǒ qù*. You go and represent me. *M:ge/1 míng/2 wèi* ◆ v. represent; stand for
- ▷ 马[馬] ¹*mǎ* n. ① horse ② horse chess piece ③ Surname
- ▷ 派 ¹*pài** n. ① group; school; faction; clique ② style; manner; air | *Lǐ Jiàoshòu 1 zhēn yǒu ~*. Prof. Li has a grand manner. ③ tributary; river branch ④ <loan> pie ◆ m. (for cliques/scenery/etc.) ◆ v. send; dispatch; assign; appoint | *Zhèi shìr ~ Xiǎo Lǐ qù 2 bàn*. Let's send Xiao Li to handle this matter. ◆ s.v. <slang> chic; hip ▷ See also ⁴*pā*
- ▷ 鱼[魚] ²*yú* n. ① fish ② Surname
- ▷ 部分 *bùfen** n. part; section
- ▷ 干部[幹-] *gàn bù** n. cadre *M:ge/2 wèi*
- ▷ 跳 ¹*tiào* v. ① jump ② palpitate ③ skip (over) | *~ guò liǎng duàn* skip over two paragraphs
- ▷ 发现/见[發現/見] *fāxiàn** v./n. ① find; discover | *Wǒ méi ~ shénme*. I didn't see anything. ② realize; perceive; notice
- ▷ 有的 *yǒude** pr. some ◆ cons. *~ V* have or there is sth. to V | *Jiālǐ ~ chī méiyǒu?* ...~. Is there anything to eat in the house? ...Yes, there is.
- ▷ 嘴/嘴 *zuǐ* n. mouth; snout; bill ◆ v. talk; speak | *Bié duō ~*. Shut up!
- ▷ 作用 *zuòyòng** n. ① action; function | *Zhèzhǒng 2 yào yǒu shénme ~?* What's the function of this medicine? ② effect | *Wǒ de huà duì 2 tā qǐ bù liǎo ~*. My words have no effect on her. ③ intention; motive ◆ v. act on; affect ◆ cons. ¹*qǐ X ~* play the role of X; produce an X effect ◆ suf. <lg.> -ation; -ing; -ization
- ▷ 掉 ¹*diào** v. ① drop; fall; come off ② lose; be missing | *Wǒ de kèběn ~ le yī yè*. One page is missing from my textbook. ③ fall behind ④ change ⑤ turn ◆ cmp. away; down; out; etc. | *diū ~* i. lose; ii. cast away | *wàng ~* forget | *wā ~* dig up
- ▷ 步 ³*bù* m. step | *Méiyǒu jǐ ~ lù*. It's a short distance. ◆ b.f. condition; state ▷ *dìbù* ◆ n. Surname ◆ v. <wr.> ① tread ② pace off ◆ cons. *~ A de hòuchén* follow in A's footsteps
- ▷ 办法[辦-] *bànfǎ** n. way; means; measure | *Yuánzé méi cuò, kěshì ~ bùduì*. There's nothing wrong with the theory, but the practical method is wrong.
- ▷ 虽然[雖-] *suīrán* conj. though; although ◆ cons. *~ A kěshì B* although A (nevertheless) B
- ▷ 朋友 *péngyou* n. ① friend ② boy/girl friend *M:2 wèi*
- ▷ 错误[錯誤] *cuòwù* n. error; blunder | *Shéi néng bù 2 fàn ~?* Who doesn't make mistakes?
- ▷ 倒 ³*dào* v. ① invert; move backward; place upside down | *Wǎng hòu ~*. Back up a bit. ② pour | *Bǎ lājī ~ le*. Please throw out the garbage. ◆ adv. ① back; in reverse order ② actually; contrary to what was said/thought ◆ conj. but; still; nevertheless ▷ See also ²*dào*
- ▷ See also ¹*dǎo*

- ▷ 紧[緊] ¹jǐn s.v. ① tight; taut | Xiézi tài ~ le. The shoes are too tight. ② close at hand
③ urgent; tense ④ strict; stringent ⑤ hard up ◆ v. tighten
- ▷ 抗 ¹kàng* b.f. ① resist; fight ▷ dǐkàng ② defy ▷ kàngmìng ③ contend with; be a match
for ▷ kànghéng
- ▷ 爸爸 bàba* n. papa; dad; father
- ▷ 这儿[這兒] zhèr* p.w. <coll.> ① here ② now
- ▷ 母亲[-親] mǔqīn* n. mother
- ▷ 资本[資-] zīběn* n. <econ.> ① capital ② sth. capitalized on
- ▷ 顶[頂] ¹dǐng* v. ① carry on the head | ~zhe yuèliang gànhuór work in the moonlight
② gore; butt ③ go against ④ push from below/behind ⑤ retort; turn down | bǎ pīping ~
huíqu reject criticism ⑥ cope with; stand up to | Fàngxīn ba, wǒmen néng ~xiàlai. Don't
worry, we can handle it. ⑦ replace ⑧ be equivalent to | Yī ge ~ liǎng ge. One is as good
as two. ◆ m. (for hats, sedan chairs, etc.) ◆ adv. very; most; extremely ◆ cov. <topo.>
until; till
- ▷ 学生[學-] xuéshēng* n. ① student; pupil ② disciple; follower ③ <topo.> boy; lad
M:ge/¹míng/²wèi
- ▷ 造 ¹zào v. ① make; build; create; establish | Wǒmen zài ²hé shang ~le yī ⁴zuò qiáo. We
built a bridge over the river. ② concoct; fabricate ③ <wr.> go to; arrive at ④ achieve;
attain ⑤ <coll.> spend lavishly; run wild; mess things up ◆ n. ① parties in a lawsuit
② <topo.> crop ③ epoch; period
- ▷ 知识[-識] zhīshi* n. knowledge
- ▷ 汽车[-車] qìchē* n. motor vehicle; auto M:³liàng
- ▷ 村 ¹cūn* n. village; hamlet ◆ attr. rustic; boorish
- ▷ 同时[-時] tóngshí* adv./n. ① (at) the same time; meanwhile ② synchronically ◆ conj.
moreover; besides; furthermore ◆ cons. zài A de ~ simultaneously with A
- ▷ 忽然 hūrán adv. suddenly | Tiān ~ yīnle qǐlai. The sky suddenly clouded over.
- ▷ 雨 ²yǔ n. rain
- ▷ 怎样[-樣] zěnyàng adv. how?
- ▷ 比较[-較] bǐjiào* v. ① compare; contrast ② confer ◆ adv. relatively; fairly | Zhège
fāng'àn ~ héli. This plan is more reasonable. ◆ n. comparison ▷ See also bǐjiào
- ▷ 活 ¹huó v. ① live ② save (sb.'s life) ◆ s.v. ① live; alive; living ② movable ③ moving
④ vivid; lively ◆ adv. exactly; simply ◆ n. ① work; task ② product ③ livelihood
M:¹fèn/²jiàn ④ <slang> sexual prowess
- ▷ 桥[橋] ¹qiáo* n. bridge
- ▷ 书记[書記] shūjì n. ① secretary ② clerk M:²wèi
- ▷ 算 ¹suàn* v. ① calculate; compute; figure | Wǒ ~ bù zhǔn zhè liǎng ge chéngshì de
shíchā. I can't figure out the time difference between the two cities. ② include; count | ~
wǒ yī ge. Count me in. ③ plan ④ think; suppose ⑤ consider; regard/count as | ~ wǒ

- dǎoméi. It's my bad luck. ⑥ carry weight; count | Tā shuōle ~. Whatever he says counts.
 ⑦ let it be/pass ◆ adv. at long last; in the end; finally
- ▷ 搞¹gǎo v. ① do/work/manage/etc. | Qǐng bǎ nà jiàn shì ~ qīngchū. Please get a clear understanding of the matter. ② <slang> have sex with
- ▷ 间[間]¹jiān m. (for rooms) ◆ b.f. ① room ▷ fángjiān ② locality; space ▷ kōngjiān
 ③ time (duration) ▷ ¹shíjiān ④ among; inter- ▷ zhījiān ⑤ space ▷ kōngjiān ▷ See also
¹⁶gān ▷ See also ¹⁷jiàn
- ▷ 生²shēng v. ① give birth to; bear | Nǐ tàitai nǎ tiān ~? When is the baby due? ② grow
 ③ get; have; cause to happen ④ make (a fire) ⑤ exist; live ⑥ be born ◆ s.v. ① living; alive
 ② unripe; green ③ raw; uncooked ④ unprocessed; crude ⑤ unfamiliar; strange ⑥ stiff;
 mechanical ◆ adv. very; keenly ◆ b.f. ① existence; life ▷ shēnghuó ② livelihood
 ▷ móushēng ③ pupil; student; scholar ▷ xuéshēng ④ <thea.> male character ▷ lǎoshēng
 ◆ suf. used in names of occupations | yī~ doctor
- ▷ 资产[資產] zīchǎn n. ① property ② capital ③ <econ.> assets
- ▷ 黑¹hēi s.v. ① black ② dark | Tiān ~ le. It's dark. ③ wicked; sinister; vicious ◆ b.f.
 ① secret; shady; covert ▷ ¹hēishì ◆ v. ① blacken ② hide ③ <slang> be greedy | Zhège
 shāngrén tài ~ le. This merchant is very greedy. ④ extort ◆ n. Surname
- ▷ 卖[賣]¹mài v. ① sell | Nà běn shū ~ duōshǎo qián? How much is that book? | Zhè běn
 shū bù ~. This book isn't for sale. ② betray; sell out ③ exert to the utmost; not spare
 ④ show off; parade ⑤ make living by/at
- ▷ 直¹zhí s.v. ① straight | ~ zǒu, ¹jiàndào jiāotōng dēng xiàng ²yòu guǎi. Go straight and
 turn right at the traffic light. ② vertical ③ just; righteous; honest ④ frank; forthright | ²Tā
 zhège rén tài ~ le. She is too forthright. ⑤ stiff; numb ◆ v. straighten ◆ n. vertical stroke
 (in characters) ◆ adv. ① directly; straight ② continuously ③ just; simply
- ▷ 赶[趕]⁵gǎn v. ① run after; pursue ② make a dash for; rush for | ~ qián bù ~ hòu.
 Better a big push at the start than a mad rush at the end. ③ drive ④ drive away; expel
 ⑤ encounter; meet with ◆ cov. till; until
- ▷ 极[極]¹jí adv. extremely | ~ zhòngyào extremely important ◆ b.f. ① extremity
 ▷ ²zhōngjí ② utmost point ▷ jíduān ③ earth's pole ▷ Běijí ④ electrical/magnetic pole
 ▷ ¹zhèngjí ▷ ¹fùjí ⑤ throne ▷ dēngjí ⑥ primary ▷ jíqiángyīn
- ▷ 那样[-樣] nà yàng* pr. that kind of; like that ◆ adv. such; so; in that case ▷ See also
 nèiyàng
- ▷ 夜¹yè n. night; evening | ~ shēn le. The evening has gotten late.
- ▷ 有些 yǒuxiē* pr. some | Kǎoshì ²tí ²nán ma? ... ~ ²nán, ~ bù ²nán. Were the exam
 questions difficult? ... Some were; others weren't. ◆ adv. somewhat; rather | wǒ ~ ¹dānxīn.
 I'm rather concerned.
- ▷ 现代[現-] xiàndài n./attr. modern (times); contemporary age
- ▷ 响[響]²xiǎng v. make a sound | Nǐ wèishénme yī shēng bù ~? Why don't you say

- something? ◆ s.v. noisy; loud ◆ b.f. ① sound; noise ▷ shēngxiǎng ② echo; response; effect
▷ xiǎngyìng ▷ yǐngxiǎng
- ▷ 处[處] ¹chù b.f. ① place ▷ gèchù ② part; point ▷ chángchū ③ department; office
▷ jiàowùchù ◆ m. (for homesteads) ▷ See also ¹chǔ
- ▷ 基础[-礎] ¹jīchǔ* n. base; foundation; basis ◆ attr. basic; fundamental
- ▷ 人家 rénjia pr. ① sb. else | Bié dòng ~ de dōngxi. Don't touch other people's things.
② I (used by females) ③ fiancé's family | Tā yǐjīng ²yǒule rénjiā le. She's engaged to be married.
- ▷ 其他/它 qítā* pr. others; the rest
- ▷ 或者 huòzhě* adv. perhaps; maybe ◆ conj. or; either...or...
- ▷ 根 ²gēn n. ① roots of plants ② base/foot (of mountains) ◆ b.f. cause; origin; source
▷ gēnyóu ◆ m. (for long slender objects)
- ▷ 政府 zhèngfǔ* p.w. government
- ▷ 东[東] ¹dōng n. ① east ② master; owner ③ host ④ Surname ◆ cons. ① ~ v.1 xī v.2
(where v.1 v.2 is a compound verb) v.1 v.2 east and west or left to right or haphazardly |
~ lā xīchě ramble ② ~ X xī X/Y here X there X/Y | ~ yījù xī yījù talk incoherently |
~ bēn-xīzǒu bustle about
- ▷ 飞[飛] ¹fēi* v. ① fly ② hover/flutter in the air ③ <coll.> volatilize ◆ adv. swiftly ◆ b.f.
① unexpected; accidental ▷ fēizāi ② unfounded; groundless ▷ liúyánfēiyǔ
- ▷ 文化 ¹wénhuà* n. ① culture; civilization ② <PRC> education; literacy | ~ jiàoyù basic
education | Tā suīrán méi ~, dànshì shífēn cōngmíng. Although he doesn't have an
education, he is very intelligent.
- ▷ 轻[輕] ¹qīng s.v. ① light | Wǒ de xíngli hěn ~. My luggage is very light. ② agile; alert
③ easy; simple ④ rash; reckless ⑤ unimportant ⑥ frivolous ⑦ small in number/degree/etc
⑧ gentle; soft ⑨ <lg.> neutral; soft; unstressed ◆ v. slight; neglect | Wénrén xiāng ~.
Scholars disparage one another.
- ▷ 条件[條-] tiáojiàn* n. ① condition; term; factor | Zhèlǐ de shēnghuó ~ hěn jiānkǔ. Living
conditions are hard here. ② requirement; prerequisite; qualification
- ▷ 层[層] ¹céng* m. layer; story; floor; stratum | dì-yī ~ in the first place | Tāmen de huà
háiyǒu yī ~ yìsi. What they said has further implications.
- ▷ 成为[-為] chéngwéi* v. become; turn into | Mèngxiǎng zhōngyú ~ xiànshí. The dream
finally came true.
- ▷ 热[熱] rè* s.v. ① hot | ~ sǐ wǒ le. I feel extremely hot. ② warm | Shuǐ ~ ma? Is the
water warm? ◆ b.f. ① thermal ▷ rènéng ② ardent; warmhearted ▷ rèxīn ③ fever;
temperature ▷ fārè ④ craze; fad ▷ rèmén ◆ n. <phy.> heat ◆ v. heat up; warm up; warm
| Fàn liánge, nàqù ~ yī ~. The food is getting cold. Go and warm it up.
- ▷ 父亲[-親] fùqīn* n. father
- ▷ 决定[決-] juéding* v. ① decide; resolve; make up one's mind | Xuéxiào ~ qǔxiāo zhège

- zhuānyè. The school authorities decided to cancel this major. ② determine; decide; govern
 ◆ n. decision; resolution | Zhè shì shuí² zuò de ~? Who made the decision?
- ▷ 啊¹ ā intj. (indicating elation) | ~! Wǒ¹ yòu yíng le! Ha! I've won again! ▷ See also a
 ▷ See also á ▷ See also ǎ ▷ See also à
- ▷ 地区[-區] dìqū* p.w. ① area; district; region ② prefecture
- ▷ 基本 jīběn* s.v./n. basic; fundamental; elementary; essential; main | Zhège shìyànshì de ~
 tiáojiàn bùcuò. The basic lab facilities are not bad. ◆ adv. in the main; on the whole
- ▷ 之间[-間] zhījiān* suf. among; between
- ▷ 抓¹ zhuā* v. ① grab; seize ② scratch | Shēn shang⁴ yǎng jiù ~ yī ~. When you feel
 itchy, scratch a bit. ③ arrest; catch; press-gang | Tā bèi ~ le. He was arrested. ④ stress;
 pay special attention to ⑤ be responsible for; take charge of | Tā shénme dōu xiǎng ~. He
 intends to take charge of everything. ⑥ attract; draw; fascinate
- ▷ 慢¹ màn s.v. slow ◆ b.f. supercilious; rude ▷ àomàn ◆ v. postpone; defer | ~ yīdiǎnr
 gàosu tā. Don't let her know yet. ◆ n. <wr.> variant pattern of ¹cí and ³qǔ
- ▷ 刚[剛] ¹gāng* s.v. firm; strong; indomitable ◆ adv. ① just; exactly | Huǒchē ~ dào. The
 train has just arrived. ② barely; only just ③ only a short while ago; just ◆ cons. ~ A jiù
 B as soon as A then B | Tā ~ kāikǒu jiù¹ kū le. As soon as he starts to talk, tears come
 out.
- ▷ 正确[-確] zhèngquè* s.v. correct; right; proper
- ▷ 制¹ zhì b.f. ① work out; formulate; stipulate ▷ ¹zhìdìng ② restrict; control; govern
 ▷ kòngzhì ▷ guǎnzhì ③ system; institution ▷ zhìdù ④ <wr.> three-year mourning for
 parents ◆ suf. -ism ▷ See also ²zhì
- ▷ 当时[當時] dāngshí* n. at that time; then | Wǒ jìbudé ~ shuōle xiē shénme. I can't
 remember what I said then. ◆ adv. right away; immediately | Wǒ ~ jiù¹ huǒ le. I became
 angry immediately. ▷ See also dāngshí
- ▷ 其¹ qí <wr.> pr. his; her; its; their; he; she; it; that; such ◆ m.p. (marking question,
 emphasis, imperative) ◆ suf. ① (used for reasons of euphony or as an empty suffix in
 expansion of one-syllable component to a two-syllable component) | ¹jí ~ wēixiǎo (jí xiǎo)
 diminutive ② (forming adverbs) | yóu ~ particularly ▷ See also ³²jī
- ▷ 画[畫] ³huà v. ① draw; paint ② draw a line/sign; mark ③ decorate with paintings/pictures
 ◆ n. stroke in Chinese character ① M:ge³xiàng ◆ b.f. plan ▷ jìhuà
- ▷ 加² jiā v. ① increase; augment ② put in; add; append ③ confer ④ plus
- ▷ 任务[-務] rènwu n. assignment; job; task
- ▷ 参加[參-] cānjiā v. ① join; attend; take part in ② give (advice/etc.) | Zhè² shì, qǐng nǐ yě
 ~ diǎnr yìjian. Please give us your opinions about this matter?
- ▷ 非常 fēicháng* adv. ① extraordinary; unusual; special ② very; extremely; highly
- ▷ 原来[-來] yuánlái* n. ① originally; formerly ② as a matter of fact | ~ shì nǐ ya! So it's
 you!

- ▷ 正在 zhèngzài v.p. be in the process/course of; exactly at (a position/etc.) | Nǐ yào zhǎo de rén ~ kàihuì. The person you are looking for is attending a meeting.
- ▷ 深 ²shēn s.v. ① deep | Zhè ²dòng hǎn ~. This hole is very deep. ② penetrating; profound ③ close; intimate (of relations or feelings) ④ dark (color) ⑤ late (at night) ⑥ <lg.> grave
◆ n. depth ◆ adv. deeply (felt)
- ▷ 室 ³shì b.f. ① room ▷ ¹wòshì ▷ ¹jiàoshì ② house; building ▷ ¹shìniè ③ work unit ④ chamber ▷ ²xīnshì ⑤ <wr.> wife ▷ qīshì
- ▷ 经验[經驗] jīngyàn* n. experience | Nǐ yǒu ~, háishi nǐ lái ¹zuò ba. You have experience, and it's better that you do it. ◆ v. go through; experience
- ▷ 力量 lìliang* n. ① physical strength ② power; force ③ ability ④ financial resources
- ▷ 只要 ¹zhǐyào* conj. so long as; provided ◆ cons. ~A jiù B if only A then B | ~ nǚlì jiù néng jìnbù. You'd progress if you'd only work hard. ◆ v.p. want only...
- ▷ 中央 zhōngyāng* p.w. ① center; middle ② central authorities (of a state/party/etc.)
- ▷ 准备[準備] zhǔnbèi v. ① prepare; get ready | Nǐ ~ hǎole ma? Are you ready? ② intend; plan | Tā ~ chūguó shēnzào. He intends to go abroad to further his studies.
- ▷ 喊 ¹hǎn* v. ① cry out; yell | Shìwēi rénrún zhèngzài ~ kǒuhào. The demonstrators are yelling slogans. ② call (sb.) | Qù ~ tā huílái. Go and call him back.
- ▷ 精神 jīngshén* n. ① spirit; mind; consciousness ② essence; gist ▷ See also jīngshen
- ▷ 因此 yīncǐ* conj. therefore; consequently | Wǒ méi xué guò wàiyǔ, ~ bùnéng chūguó liúxué. I've never learned a foreign language; therefore I can't study abroad.
- ▷ 教育 ¹jiàoyù* v. teach; educate; inculcate ◆ n. education
- ▷ 敢 ²gǎn aux. dare; have courage to | Shàngkè nǐ ~ wèn wèntí ma? Do you dare to ask questions in class? ◆ v. have confidence to; be sure
- ▷ 旧[舊] ²jiù s.v. ① past; bygone; old ② used; worn; old ③ former; onetime ◆ n. old friendship/friend
- ▷ 那些 nàxiē* pr./attr. those ▷ See also nèixiē
- ▷ 铁[鐵] ¹tiě* n. ① iron ② arms; weapon ③ Surname ◆ b.f. ① firm; strong as iron ▷ ¹tiěquán ② gray ③ resolved; determined ④ cruel; violent ⑤ <slang> close; tight
- ▷ 人类[-類] rénlèi* n. human beings/species
- ▷ 通过[-過] tōngguò* r.v. ① traverse; get past ② adopt; pass; carry (a motion/legislation) ◆ cov. by (means/way of); through | ~ duìbǐ by way of contrast
- ▷ 根据[-據] ¹gēnjù cov. on the basis of; according to | ~ xuéxiào guīdìng according to school regulations ◆ n. basis; grounds; foundation | Shuōhuà yào yǒu ~. One must have evidence for what one says. ◆ v. lodge/implant/settle oneself
- ▷ 活动[-動] huódòng v. ① move about; exercise ② use personal influence or irregular means | Bāng wǒ ~ ~ ba. Please put in a word for me. ◆ n. ① activity; maneuver | Méiyǒu ~ yúdi le. No room for maneuver. ② flexibility | Tā kǒuqì yǒu diǎnr ~. He sounds less adamant. ③ <psy.> behavior ◆ attr. ① shaky; unsteady ② movable; mobile;

flexible

- ▷ 理论[-論] lǐlùn* n. ① theory ② -ism
- ▷ 那里[-裡] nàlǐ* pr. that place; over there
- ▷ 病³bìng n. disease ◆ v. fall sick | Tā ~ le. He's ill. ◆ b.f. fault; defect | yǔ ~ ill-chosen expression
- ▷ 当然[當-] dāngrán* adv. ① as it should be; only natural ② without doubt; certainly; of course | Wǒ ~ yào shuō. I'll certainly talk. ③ ex officio ◆ attr. <law> of full right; of right
- ▷ 一起 yīqǐ* adv. ① in the same place ② together; in company | Nǐ hé wǒ² zuò zài ~ ba. You sit together with me. ③ <topo.> altogether; in all | ²Jiā zài ~ cái sān ge rén. Altogether there are only three people.
- ▷ 多少 duōshao f.e. how many/much | ~ qián yī gè? How much is it for one? ▷ See also duōshǎo
- ▷ 高兴[-興] gāoxìng* s.v. ① glad; happy | Tā ~ de shuō... He says happily... ② willing
- ▷ 姑娘 gūniang* n. ① girl ② <coll.> daughter ③ prostitute M:ge/¹míng/²wèi ▷ See also gūniáng
- ▷ 不断[-斷] bùduàn* adv. unceasingly; continuously | Zhè zhǒng qíngkuàng ~ fāshēng. This sort of situation occurs constantly.
- ▷ 多么[-麼] duōme adv. how; what | ~ xīnxiān de shuǐguǒ a! How fresh the fruit is! | Bùguǎn tiān ~ lěng, tā dōu jiānchí hùwài duànliàn. However cold it was, she never stopped taking outdoor exercise.
- ▷ 法¹fǎ b.f. ① law ▷ fǎlù ② method; way; mode ▷ fāngfǎ ③ standard; model ▷ fǎzé ④ legalists; Legalist School ▷ Fǎjiā ⑤ Buddhist doctrine; dharma ▷ Fófǎ ⑥ magic arts ▷ fǎshù ⑦ process; -ism ⑧ mood ⑨ follow; model ▷ xiàofǎ
- ▷ 着[著] zháo v. ① touch; come in contact with ② feel; be affected by (cold/etc.) ③ catch fire ④ <topo.> fall asleep ⑤ burn | Huǒ ~ le. The fire starts to burning. ◆ cmp. (indicating) ① (hitting the mark) | Nǐ shuō ~ le. You've made the important point. ② (accomplishment in rv.) | Nǐ cāi ~ le. You've guessed exactly right. | Tā shuì ~ le. She's fallen asleep. | Tā shuìbu ~. She can't fall asleep. ▷ See also ²zhāo ▷ See also ³zhāo ▷ See also zhe ▷ See also ¹¹zhù ▷ See also ¹zhuó
- ▷ 唱¹chàng v. sing ◆ b.f. ① call; cry ▷ chàngmíng ② operatic song or singing part ▷ dúchàng
- ▷ 管¹guǎn* n. tube; pipe ▷ shuǐguǎn ◆ b.f. ① wind musical instrument ② tube-shaped device ◆ v. ① run; manage; administer | Zhè bù yòng nǐ ~. You don't need to take care of this. ② have charge of | Wǒ ~ ¹cáiwù. I'm in charge of financial matters. ③ subject to discipline ④ bother about | Bié ~ wǒ! Don't bother about me. ⑤ furnish; provide ⑥ guarantee ◆ cons. ~ A jiào B designate A as B | Biérén dōu ~ wǒ jiào Xiǎo Lǐzi. Everybody calls me Xiao Lizi. ◆ m. (for tube-shaped objects)

- ▷ 那个[-個] nàgè* pr. ① that (one) ② questionable | Yàoshi nǐ nàme bàn hǎoxiàng yǒu yīdiǎnr ~. If you do it that way it seems a little--what shall I say? ◆ adv. <coll.> terrifically ▷ See also nèige
- ▷ 接¹jiē* v. ① come in contact with; come close to ② connect; join; put together ③ catch; take hold of ④ receive ⑤ meet; welcome ⑥ take over
- ▷ 转[轉] zhuǎn* v. ① turn; shift; change | Bǎ liǎn ~ guòlái. Turn your face towards me. ② convey; pass on; transfer; transmit | Qǐng bǎ zhè²fēng xìn ~ gěi nǐ jiéjie. Please pass this letter on to your sister. ◆ n. <lg.> alternation of rhyme ▷ See also zhuǎi ▷ See also¹zhuàn
- ▷ 较[較] jiào² adv. rather; quite; relatively; more | Jīntiān qǐlai de ~ wǎn. Today he got up quite late. ◆ v. ① compare ② dispute ◆ adv. clearly; obviously
- ▷ 发生[發-] fāshēng v. happen; occur; take place | Zhè shì zěnmē ~ de? How did this come about? ◆ a.t. <topo.> timid; nervous ◆ n. origin
- ▷ 利用 liyòng v. ① use; utilize | Kēxuéjiāmén chōngfèn ~ zìrán zīyuán. The scientists fully utilize the natural resources. ② take advantage of; exploit
- ▷ 批评[-評] pīpíng v. criticize | Tā¹yòu²āi lǎoshī ~ le. He was criticized by the teacher again. ◆ n. criticism M:²fān
- ▷ 太阳[-陽] tàiyáng n. ① sun ② sunshine; sunlight | Jīntiān ~ hěn hǎo. It's a nice sunny day. ③ Surname
- ▷ 自然¹zìrán* n. ① natural world | ~ de lìliàng hěn wěidà. The power of the nature is immense. ② subject/course of study concerning natural sciences (in primary school) ③ natural sciences ◆ s.v. natural; normal; ordinary; spontaneous; in the course of events ◆ adv. of course; naturally | Zhè shìqǐng ~ shì gāi nǐ¹zuò. Of course, you are supposed to do this. ▷ See also zìrán
- ▷ 出现[-現] chūxiàn* v. appear; arise; emerge | Wǒmen jiā ~ le xīn wèntí. A new problem has arisen in our family. ◆ n. emergence
- ▷ 双[雙] shuāng* attr. ① two; twin; both; dual ② even (number) ③ double; twofold ◆ m. pair | Wǒ mǎile yī ~¹xié. I bought a pair of shoes. ◆ n. Surname
- ▷ 得到¹dédào r.v. succeed in obtaining; gain; receive
- ▷ 计划/画[計劃/畫] jìhuà* n./v. plan; project; program
- ▷ 近²jìn s.v. ① near; close | Wǒmen liǎng¹jiā¹zhù de hěn ~. Our two families live near each other. ② similar/close to ③ intimate; closely related | Tāmen liǎ de guānxi hěn ~. The two of them are close to each other. ④ easy to understand ⑤ recent ◆ v. approach
- ▷ 越²yuè b.f. ① get/jump over ▷¹yuèqiáng ② exceed; overstep ▷yuèjiè ③ at a high pitch (of one's voice/emotions) ▷¹jīyuè ◆ n. ① <hist.> Viet (state in SE China) ② Surname ③ one of the Warring States ④ a name for eastern Zhejiang ◆ cons. ~ A ~ B the more A the more B | ~ duō ~ hǎo the more the better ◆ ab.▷ Yuèán
- ▷ 制度 zhìdù* n. system; institution; rules
- ▷ 困难[-難] kùnnan n. ① difficulty; problem ② straitened circumstances; dire straits

- ③ <slang> ugly (in appearance)
- ▷ 西 ¹xī* n. west ◆ b.f. Occidental; Western ▷ ¹xīzhuāng ▷ ¹xīshì
- ▷ 灯[燈] ¹dēng n. ① lamp; lantern; light ② valve; tube ③ burner
- ▷ 哭 ¹kū* v. cry; weep
- ▷ 论[論] lùn* v. ① discuss; talk about; discourse ② decide on; determine ③ mention; regard; consider | Nà ¹yòu língdāngbié~. That's a different story. ◆ cov. by; in terms of ◆ b.f. ① view; statement; opinion ▷ lùndiǎn ② dissertation; essay ▷ lùnwén ③ theory ▷ lǐlùn
▷ See also ⁴lún
- ▷ 省 ¹shěng v. ① save; economize | Wǒ jīntiān wèi nǐ ~le hěn duō ²qián. I saved a lot of money for you today. ② omit; leave | Zhè jǐ ge zì kěyǐ ~qù. These words can be omitted. ◆ n. ① province ② provincial capital ③ <wr.> abbreviation (of words) ▷ See also ³xǐng
- ▷ 钟[鐘] ³zhōng n. ① bell ② clock ③ <archeo.> náo musical instrument hung upside down to produce a clearer sound when struck ◆ b.f. time ▷ diǎnzhōng ▷ fēnzhōng ▷ See also ⁴zhōng ▷ See also ⁵zhōng
- ▷ 变成[變-] biànchéng* r.v. change into
- ▷ 火 ¹huǒ n. ① fire M:¹bǎ ② firearms; ammunition ③ <Ch. med.> internal heat ④ anger; temper ◆ s.v. ① fiery; flaming ② urgent; pressing ③ <slang> hot; popular; prosperous; flourishing ◆ v. get angry | Tā zhēnde ~ le. He really flared up.
- ▷ 喝 ¹hē v. ① drink | Tā xǐhuan ~ kāfēi. He likes drinking coffee. ② shout (a command)
▷ See also ¹hè
- ▷ 坏[壞] huài* s.v. ① bad ② evil; harmful ③ spoiled ◆ adv. awfully; very | Tā xià~ le. She had a bad scare. ◆ v. go bad; spoil | Ròu ~le, rēngle ba. The meat's gone bad. Throw it away. ◆ n. evil idea; dirty trick ▷ See also ⁴pī
- ▷ 最后[-後] zuìhòu v.p. ① last; final; ultimate | Shéi ~ zǒu? Who leaves last? ② finally; ultimately
- ▷ 后来[後來] hòulái n. ① afterward; later | ~ zěnmeyàng? What happened afterwards? ② latecomers
- ▷ 然后[-後] ránhòu conj. and then; after that | Xiān ¹kǎo bǐshì, ~ ¹kǎo kǒushì. The written test goes before the oral test.
- ▷ 社 ¹shè* b.f. ① organized body; agency; society; club ▷ shètúán ② people's commune
▷ rénmín gōngshè ③ god of the land ▷ ²shèjì ④ sacrifices to the god of the land ▷ sàishè
- ▷ 事业[-業] ¹shìyè* n. ① cause; undertaking ② enterprise; facilities ③ career; pursuit | Tā yībèizi cóngshì jiàoyù ~. He's worked in the field of education all his life. ④ service
- ▷ 继续[繼續] ¹jìxù* v./adv. continue; go on | Shíyàn yào ~ dào míngtiān. The experiment will carry over till tomorrow.
- ▷ 建立 ¹jiànli* v. establish; set up; found | Zhè jiā yīyuàn yě ~le yī ge shùjùkù. The hospital also set up a database.
- ▷ 路线[-線] lùxiàn n. ① route; itinerary | Nǐ zhīdao sān ¹lù chē de ~ ma? Do you know

- the route of the No. 3 bus? ② line
- ▷ 容易 ¹róngyì* s.v. ① easy ② likely; liable; apt | Zhè ~ yīnqǐ wùhuì. This is likely to cause misunderstanding.
- ▷ 意见[-見] yìjian* n. ① idea; view; opinion; suggestion | Zhè zhǐ shì wǒ de yīdiǎnr ~. It's just my suggestion. ② objection; complaint | hěn yǒu ~ strongly object
- ▷ 队[隊] ²duì n./m. ① a row of people; line ② team; group ③ detachment; contingent (of soldiers/policemen/etc.)
- ▷ 靠 ¹kào* v. ① lean against ② keep to; get near; come up to ③ near; by ④ depend/rely on | Chénggōng yào ~ zìjǐ. One must rely on oneself to succeed. ◆ n. make-believe armor
- ▷ 装[裝] ¹zhuāng* v. ① play the part/role of; act ② dress up ③ pretend; feign | Bié ~ hǎorén. Don't pretend to be nice. ④ install; fit; assemble | Wǒ bù huì ~ diànnǎo. I knew nothing about how to install a computer. ⑤ load; pack; hold | Hézi ~ bù xià le. The box is full. ◆ b.f. ① outfit; dress; clothing; costume ▷ fúhuāng ② stage makeup/costume ▷ xìzhuāng ③ binding (of books) ▷ ²píngzhuāng ▷ jīngzhuāng
- ▷ 老师[-師] lǎoshī* n. teacher | Zhāng ~ Teacher Zhang M:ge/¹míng/²wèi
- ▷ 雪 ¹xuě n. snow | ~ xià ³de zhēn dà. It's snowing heavily. ◆ b.f. ① snow-white ▷ xuěbái ② wipe out (a humiliation); avenge (a wrong) ▷ xuěchǐ ▷ xuěhèn
- ▷ 认为[認為] ¹rènwéi* v. think/believe that | Nǐ ~ zěnyàng? What do you think about it?
- ▷ 分之 ²fēnzī cons. X ~ Y Y/X | sān ~ èr two-thirds
- ▷ 明白 míngbai v. ① understand; realize; know ② bribe sb; satisfy sb.'s personal demand ◆ s.v. ① clear; obvious; plain | Zhè shì dàjiā dōu ~ de. This is plain to everybody. ② sensible; reasonable | Nǐ shì ge ~ rén. You're a sensible person. ③ frank; unequivocal; explicit ④ clever and bright ◆ n. <Dao.> illumination
- ▷ 指 ²zhǐ b.f. ① finger ▷ ¹shǒuzhǐ ▷ zhǐtóu ② toe ▷ jiǎozhǐtóu ◆ m. fingerbreadth; digit | liǎng ~ kuān de zhǐtiáo a strip of paper two fingers wide ◆ v. ① point at/to/out | ~ chūlai point out ② refer to ③ rely/depend/count on | ~ zhe wǒ yǎngjiā. I'm the support of the family.
- ▷ 够[夠] ¹gòu* s.v. be/have enough; be sufficient/adequate | Wǒ zhēn ~ le! I've had enough! ◆ v. ① reach (a certain point/degree); be up to (a certain standard/etc.) | Zhè chányè ~ deshàng yījí. Actually, this tea is first grade. ② reach (sth. with one's hand/etc.) ◆ adv. quite | Wǒ ~ mǎnzú de le. I am quite content. ◆ cons. A zhēn ~ S.V. de A is really S.V. | Tā zhēn ~ gāo de. He's really tall.
- ▷ 计算[計-] jìsuàn v. count; calculate; compute ◆ n. consideration; planning
- ▷ 要是 ²yàoshi conj. if; suppose; in case- | ~ xiàyǔ wǒmen jiù bù qù yóuyǒng le. If it rains, we won't go swimming. ◆ cons. ~ A jiù B if A then B
- ▷ 城 ²chéng n. ① wall ② city wall ③ city; town
- ▷ 另 ¹lìng* pr./adv. ① other; another; separate; extra ② in addition; besides
- ▷ 战士[戰-] ¹zhànshì n. ① soldier; combatant; warrior ② champion M:¹míng

- ▷ 一直 yīzhí* adv. ① straight ② continuously; always; all along | Wǒ ~ dōu xiǎng qù kànkàn chángchéng, I've always wanted to see the Great Wall.
- ▷ 留 ²liú v. ① remain; stay ② ask sb. to stay ③ reserve; keep; save | Zhè shì ~ gěi nǐ de. This is kept for you. ④ (let) grow ⑤ accept; take ⑥ leave (sth.)
- ▷ 呀/啞[-/啞] ¹yā* intj. (expressing surprise) ah; oh ◆ on. creak; squeek; squawk ▷ See also ya ▷ See also ¹yǎ
- ▷ 晚上 wǎnshang* n. evening
- ▷ 知 ³zhī v. know; realize; sense ◆ b.f. ① inform; notify ▷ tōngzhī ② <trad.> administer ▷ ²zhīxiàn ③ be expert in ④ knowledge; information ▷ qiúzhī ▷ See also ¹²zhì
- ▷ 实现[實現] ¹shíxiàn* v. realize; achieve; bring about | Kēxuéjiā yǐjīng ~ le dòngwù de fùzhì. Scientists have already succeeded in cloning animals.
- ▷ 忙 ¹máng* s.v. busy; fully occupied ◆ v. hurry; hasten; make haste
- ▷ 会议[會議] ¹huìyì* n. meeting; conference; council; congress | Tā méiyǒu cānjiā ~. He didn't attend the meeting. M:¹cì
- ▷ 随[隨] ¹suí v. ① follow | Qǐng ~ wǒ lái. Follow me, please. ② comply with; adapt to ③ let (sb. do as he likes) | ~ nǐ de ¹biàn. Do as you please. ④ (go) along with (some action) ⑤ <topo.> look like; resemble ◆ adv. as soon as ◆ cons. ~ ū ~ ú ú right after ū | ~ shuō ~ zuò no sooner said than done | ~ xué ~ wàng no sooner learned than forgotten | Tā ~ jiào ~ dào. As soon as you call, he comes.
- ▷ 希望 xīwàng* v./n. hope; wish | dà yǒu chénggōng de ~ have high hopes of success
- ▷ 左 ¹zuǒ b.f. ① left side ▷ zuǒbian ② the Left; left-leaning; progressive; inclined toward the revolution ▷ zuǒpài ▷ zuǒqīng ③ east ▷ Shānzuo ④ queer; odd; unorthodox; heretical ▷ zuǒpíqi ⑤ different; contrary; opposite ▷ xiāngzuǒ ◆ s.v. ① <coll.> wrong; incorrect | Bié ~ le. Don't be stupid. | Bié xiǎng ~ le. Don't get me wrong. ② false; counterfeit; bogus ◆ v. <wr.> assist ◆ cons. ~ V yòu V do sth. repeatedly | ~ xiǎng yòu xiǎng mull over sth. ◆ n. Surname
- ▷ 弄 nòng* v. ① play with ② make; do; handle; engage in | Nǐ ~ zhèige, wǒ ~ nèige. You see to this and I'll see to that. | Tā bǎ háizi ~ kū le. He made the baby cry. ③ obtain; get; fetch | Gěi wǒ ~ zhāng piào, hǎo ma? Would you get me a ticket? ④ play tricks ▷ See also lòng
- ▷ 农业[農業] ¹nóngyè n. agriculture; farming | ~ zhèngcè zhíjiē yǐngxiǎngzhe ~ de fāzhǎn. Agricultural policy directly affects agricultural production.
- ▷ 台[臺] ¹tái n. ① platform; stage; terrace ② stand; support ③ station ④ short for Taiwan ◆ m. (for performances/engines/etc.) ▷ See also ²tái ▷ See also ³tái ▷ See also ⁴tái ▷ See also ³tāi
- ▷ 各种[-種] gèzhǒng* n. various kinds/categories/etc.
- ▷ 入 ¹rù b.f. ① enter ▷ ¹jìnrù ② receive; take in; income ▷ shōurù ③ conform with ▷ rùwèi ④ join ▷ rùdǎng ⑤ descend; set (of sun) ⑥ <lg.> “entering” tone ▷ rùshēng

- ▷ 停 ¹tíng v. ① stop; pause | Yǔ ~ le. The rain has stopped. ② stop over ③ park; berth
◆ b.f. ready; settled ▷ tíngtuǒ ◆ m. <coll.> part; portion | Wǔ ~ guǒzi zhōng ³dào yǒu
sān ~ shì làn de. Three out of five of the fruits are rotten.
- ▷ 文艺[-藝] ¹wényì* n. literature and art
- ▷ 增加 zēngjiā* v. increase; raise; add | Xuésheng rénsù ~ le yī ²bèi. The number of
students has doubled.
- ▷ 草 ¹cǎo* n. grass; straw ◆ s.v. careless; hasty; rough ◆ b.f. ① draft ▷ cǎogǎo ② <coll.>
female (of animals)
- ▷ 实践[實踐] ¹shíjiàn n./v. practice
- ▷ 组[組] ¹zǔ* n./m. section; group | Cānjiā wǒmen ~ ba. Join our group, please. ◆ b.f.
consist; construct; form ▷ zǔchéng
- ▷ 战斗[戰鬥] ¹zhàndòu* n./v. fight; combat M:²chǎng ◆ attr. militant; fighting
- ▷ 只有 zhǐyǒu* v.p. only; alone ◆ cons. ~ A cái B B only if A | ~ hǎohao xuéxí cái néng
dé hǎo fēnr. The only way to get good grades is to study hard. ◆ adv. have to; be forced
to
- ▷ 衣服 yīfu* n. clothing; clothes M:²jiàn
- ▷ 女 ¹nǚ* b.f. ① woman; female ▷ nǚrén ② daughter; girl ▷ nǚ'ér
- ▷ 布 ⁴bù n. ① cloth ② ancient copper coin ▷ See also ⁵bù
- ▷ 不要 bù yào* v./aux. ① don't want ② don't (do sth.) | ~ dàyi. Don't be careless./Don't
overlook it.
- ▷ 感到 ¹gǎndào* r.v. feel; sense | Tā ~ hěn nánguò. He feels sad.
- ▷ 座 ⁴zuò n. ① seat; place | Jiàoshì li háiyǒu ¹kòng ~ r ma? Are there any empty seats in
the classroom? ② stand; pedestal; base ③ fare (in a hired vehicle) ④ customer (in a
restaurant) ◆ b.f. ① constellation ▷ ¹xīngzuò ◆ m. (for mountains/bridges/etc.)
- ▷ 任何 rènhe* attr. any; whatever ◆ cons. ~ A dōu every A | Wèile yǎngjiā, tā ~
gōngzuò dōu ¹zuò. In order to support his family, he takes every job available.
- ▷ 时期[時-] ¹shíqī* n. period (of time)
- ▷ 于是[於-] ¹yúshì* v.p. thereupon; hence; consequently; as a result
- ▷ 并且[並-] bìngqiě conj. and; besides; moreover
- ▷ 纸[紙] ³zhǐ n. paper ◆ m. (for pieces/sheets of paper) | yī ~ gōngwén a document
- ▷ 帮助[幫-] bāngzhù* v./n. help; assist
- ▷ 爬 ¹pá v. ① crawl; creep ② climb; scramble | Kuài ~ qǐlai! Hurry and get up! ▷ See
also ⁵pā
- ▷ 团[團] ¹tuán* v. roll sth. into a ball ◆ b.f. ① unite; assemble ▷ tuánjié ▷ tuánjù
② roundish mass; lump ▷ tuánzi ③ group; society; organization ▷ shètúán ④ <topo.>
dumpling ▷ tāngtuán ⑤ round; circular ◆ n. regiment ◆ ab. Gòngqīngtuán ◆ m. ball (of
wool); lump (of dough)
- ▷ 线[線/綫] ¹xiàn n. ① thread; string; wire ② route; line ③ demarcation line; boundary

- ④ (political) line ◆ b.f. ① brink; verge ▷ shēngmìngxìàn ② clue; thread ▷ xiànsuǒ
 ③ made of cotton thread ▷ xiàntǎn ◆ m. (for abstractions such as hope/etc.)
- ▷ 反动[-動] fǎndòng* s.v. ① reactionary ② <slang> bad; mean (said jocularly) ◆ n. reaction
- ▷ 飞机[飛機] fēijī* n. aircraft; airplane M: ¹jià/²zhī
- ▷ 文章 ¹wénzhāng* n. ① essay; article | Nǐ de ~ fābiǎo le ma? Has your article been published? ② literary works; writings M: ¹piān ③ hidden/implied meaning | Tā huàlǐ yǒu ~. There is a hidden meaning in his remark.
- ▷ 化学[-學] ¹huàxué* n. chemistry
- ▷ 年轻/青[-輕/青] niánqīng s.v. young | Tā bǐ nǐ ~. He's younger than you.
- ▷ 江 ²jiāng n. ① river ② Yangtze ③ Surname
- ▷ 相 ¹xiāng adv. each other; mutually ◆ v. size up by appearance ◆ n. ① Surname ② mode; phase ◆ cons. V to V sb. (especially in four-syllable phrases) | kǔkǔ ~ qiú urge persistently ▷ See also ⁶xiàng
- ▷ 岸 ¹àn* n. bank; shore; coast
- ▷ 突然 tūrán* adv. suddenly; abruptly | Tiān ~ ¹yīnle xiàlai. The sky suddenly became overcast.
- ▷ 抬 ⁵tái v. ① lift; raise (with both palms up) ② carry (together) ③ argue for the sake of arguing ④ <slang> ⑤ betray ⑥ drop names (of sb. influential) in order to achieve one's aims
- ▷ 回答 huídá n./v. answer; reply | Qǐng ~ wǒ de wèntí. Please answer my question.
- ▷ 冷 lěng* s.v. ① cold | Zuówǎn tiānqì hěn ~. It was bitterly cold last night. ② frosty (in manner) ③ <topo.> cool ◆ b.f. ① unfrequented; deserted; out-of-the-way ▷ lěngpì ② strange; rare ③ shot from hiding ▷ lěngqiāng ◆ n. Surname
- ▷ 学校[學-] xuéxiào p.w. school; educational institution | ~ míngtiān fāngjià. There will be no school tomorrow. M: ¹jiā/¹suǒ
- ▷ 影响[-響] yǐngxiǎng* n. ① influence | ¹Zhuāngjiā shòudào qìhòu de ~. The crops have been influenced by the weather. ② false appearance; shadow (fig.); illusion ◆ v. influence
- ▷ 此 cǐ pr. <wr.> this
- ▷ 市 ⁴shì b.f. ① market ▷ ¹shìchǎng ② city; municipality ▷ ¹chéngshì ③ Chinese system of weights and measures | ~ chǐ Chinese market foot (1/3 meter) ◆ v. <wr.> buy; sell; deal in
- ▷ 十分 ¹shífēn* adv. very; fully; utterly; extremely | Wǒ ~ pèifú nǐ de yǒngqì. I greatly respect you for your courage. ◆ n. ten points
- ▷ 变化[變-] biànhuà* v. change; vary ◆ n. change; transformation | Qíngkuàng yǒu ~ ma? Are there any changes of the situation?
- ▷ 使用 shǐyòng* v. use; employ; apply | Nǐ ¹bìxū xuéhuì rúhé ~ zhèzhǒng gōngjù. You must learn how to use this tool.
- ▷ 听见[聽見] tīngjiàn* r.v. hear | tīngbujīàn de dīyǔ (in) a scarcely audible whisper | Wǒ zīxì ~ le, kě shénme dōu méi ~. I listened carefully but heard nothing.

- ▷ 了解 liǎojiě* v. ① understand; comprehend ② find out; acquaint oneself with | Nǐ ~ tā ma? Do you know him well? ◆ n. understanding; comprehension; conception
- ▷ 注意 zhùyì* v./n. pay attention to; take note of | ~ bié chūcuò. Be careful not to make a mistake.
- ▷ 皮 pí* n. ① skin | Méi guānxi, zhǐshì pòle diǎnr ~. It doesn't matter. It only bruised the skin. ② leather; hide | Zhèi shì ~ de! This is made of leather! ③ wrapper ④ surface ⑤ thin/flat pieces/sheets ⑥ rubber ⑦ Surname ◆ s.v. ① soft and soggy ② case-hardened; indifferent | Tā ràng māma mà ~ le. He's been scolded by his mother so much that he is indifferent to it now. ③ naughty | Zhèi hái zi tài ~ le. This child is too naughty.
- ▷ 人员[-員] rényuán n. personnel; staff
- ▷ 名 míng* b.f. ① name; personal name ▷ míngzi ② fame; reputation ▷ míngyù ③ number; order of selection ▷ míngcì ④ famous ▷ míngyī ⑤ name; describe ▷ mòmíngqímào ◆ m. (for persons)
- ▷ 阵[陣] zhèn n. ① battle array ② position; front ③ a period of time ◆ v.m. (for passing phases/spells) ◆ b.f. battle; fight ▷ zhènwáng
- ▷ 农民[農-] nóngmín n. peasant; peasantry
- ▷ 常常 chángcháng* adv. frequently; often; usually | Zhèlǐ ~ xià yǔ. It rains often here.
- ▷ 存在 cúnzài v. exist; be | Zhǒngzú qíshì réngrán ~. Racial discrimination still exists. ◆ n. existence
- ▷ 落 luò* v. ① fall; drop ② go down; set ③ lower ④ decline; come down; sink | Shìqing ~ dào zhèzhǒng dìbù. Things have come to such a pass. ⑤ fall/leave/stay behind ⑥ get; receive; have ⑦ fall onto; rest with ◆ m. pile; heap; stack ◆ b.f. ① settle (in a given place) ▷ luòhù ② whereabouts ▷ xiàluò ▷ See also ²là ▷ See also ²lào ▷ See also ²luō
- ▷ 身体[-體] shēntǐ n. ① body ② health | Nǐ ~ hǎo ma? How are you?
- ▷ 速度 sùdù* n. ① <phy.> speed; velocity | Tā kāichē de ~ zhēn ¹xià rén. He was driving at a frightening speed. ② <mus.> tempo ③ speed; rate; pace; tempo
- ▷ 自动[-動] zìdòng adv. voluntarily; of one's own accord | Wǒ de péngyǒu ~ lái bāng wǒ bānjiā. My friends voluntarily came to help me move home. ◆ attr. ① automatic | Wǒ de chē shì ~ de. I have an automatic car. ② spontaneous
- ▷ 钢[鋼] gāng n. steel ▷ See also ¹gàng
- ▷ 照 zhào v. ① shine; illuminate ② reflect; mirror ③ take a picture/photograph ④ take care of; look after ⑤ notify ⑥ contrast ◆ b.f. ① illumination; glow ② photograph; picture ▷ zhàopiàn ③ license; permit ▷ zhízhào ◆ cov. ① towards ② according to; in accordance with | ~ wǒ kànlái... It seems to me that...
- ▷ 部队[-隊] bùduì n. ① army ② troops M: zhī
- ▷ 产生[產-] chǎnshēng* v. ① produce; engender ② emerge; come into being ③ generate
- ▷ 根本 gēnběn n. essence; foundation ◆ attr. basic; essential; fundamental ◆ adv. at all; simply; utterly | Zhè ~ bù xíng! This simply won't do!

- ▷ 过去[過-] guòqu cmp. (indicating action away from one) | Yànzi fēi ~ le. Swallows flew past. ◆ v. ① go over; pass by | ~ kànkàn zěnme yīhuìshì(r). Go and have a look at what's happened. ② die ▷ See also guòqù
- ▷ 伸³ shēn v. stretch; extend ◆ b.f. express; proclaim ▷¹ shēnyuān
- ▷ 创造[創-] chuàngzào v. create; produce; bring about | Shuí ~ le zhège shìjiè? Who brought about this world?
- ▷ 里面[裡-] lǐmiàn n. inside; interior | ~ yǒu shénme ya? What's inside?
- ▷ 面前 miànqián n. in the face of; in front of; before; facing | ¹Zài fùmǔ ~, wǒ yǒngyuǎn ¹shì háizi. To my parents, I am always a child.
- ▷ 哪儿[-兒] nǎr pr. <coll.> ① where | Nín shì ~? Where are you calling from? (on telephone) | ~ hǎo ~ huài, wǒ bù zhīdào. I don't know which is good and which is bad. ② wherever; anywhere | Wǒ ~ dōu zhǎo le. I looked everywhere. ③ (used in rhetorical questions to express negation) | Nà ~ xíng a! That won't do!
- ▷ 祖国[-國] zǔguó* p.w. ① motherland, homeland; native land ② China (used only by Chinese)
- ▷ 朝¹ cháo* b.f. ① court; government ▷ cháotíng ② dynasty ▷¹ cháodài ③ an emperor's reign ④ have audience with (the king) ⑤ make a pilgrimage to ◆ cov. facing; toward | Tiān hēi le, tā ~ jiā zǒu qù. It got dark and he set out for home. ◆ ab.▷ Cháoxiǎn ▷ See also ⁴zhāo
- ▷ 矛盾 máodùn* s.v. contradictory ◆ n. contradiction | Nǐmen zhījiān ¹yǒu shénme ~? What's the matter between the two of you? M:ge/¹zhǒng
- ▷ 清楚 qīngchū* s.v. clear; distinct; without ambiguity | Wǒ bù ~. I'm not sure. | Wǒ tīngbu~. I can't hear clearly.
- ▷ 所有 suǒyǒu* v. own; possess ◆ attr. all; every; all there are ◆ n. possession
- ▷ 段¹ duàn* m. ① section; part ② paragraph | Dú ¹dī-yī ~. Read paragraph one. ◆ n. ① group ② Surname
- ▷ 出去 chūqu* r.v. go/get out; exit
- ▷ 包¹ bāo* v. ① wrap ② surround; encircle; envelop ③ undertake the whole thing ④ assure; guarantee ◆ n. ① bundle; package ② bag; sack ③ protuberance; swelling ④ Surname ◆ b.f. include; contain ▷ bāokuò ◆ m. (for objects in bundles/packages/etc.)
- ▷ 冲[衝/沖] ¹chōng* v. ① charge; rush; dash ② clash; collide ▷ See also ²chōng ▷ See also ⁵chōng ▷ See also ⁶chōng ▷ See also ¹chòng
- ▷ 现象[現-] ¹xiàxiàng* n. phenomenon; appearance | guāng ²píng ~ zuò pànduàn judge according to appearance only
- ▷ 及² jí conj. and ◆ suf. in; on; to | Tā láixìn wèn ~ nǐ de jiànkāng. He wrote asking about your health. ◆ b.f. ① reach; come up to ▷ jígé ◆ cmp. be in time for
- ▷ 副¹ fù* pref. ① deputy; assistant; vice- ② auxiliary; subsidiary ◆ m. (for sets of things or facial expressions) ◆ b.f. tally with; conform to; fit ▷ míngfùqíshí

- ▷ 接着[-著] jiēzhe* v. ① catch ② follow; carry on ◆ adv. next; immediately after
- ▷ 清² qīng v. ① clear up; settle ② clean up; purge ③ count | ~ yī ~ xíngli de jiànshu count the pieces of luggage and see how many there are ◆ n. Manchu dynasty (1644-1911) ◆ s.v. ① pure; clean ② fresh; cool ③ lonely; poor ④ distinct; clarified ⑤ quiet ⑥ just and honest ⑦ <lg.> voiceless ◆ suf. fully; clearly | suàn ~ settle (an account) | shuōbu ~ can't say clearly
- ▷ 过程[過-] guòchéng* n. course; process; history | Gàn shénme dōu yào yǒu yī ge ~. The process of learning is a part of any work.
- ▷ 某 mǒu* pr. ① certain; some | Lǐ ~ a certain person called Li | zài ~ zhǒng chéngdù shàng to some extent ② I (self-address after one's surname)
- ▷ 县[縣]² xiàn n. county
- ▷ 方向 fāngxiàng* n. ① direction; orientation ② <topo.> situation; circumstances; trend of events
- ▷ 愿意[願-] yuànyì* aux. ① be willing ② wish; want | Nǐ ~ jiù lái ba. You may come if you wish.
- ▷ 常² cháng b.f. ① ordinary; common; normal ▷ píngcháng ② constant; invariable
▷² chángnián ◆ adv. often; usually; frequently | Wǒ ~ dǎ wǎngqiú. I often play tennis.
◆ n. Surname
- ▷ 哪里[-裡] nǎli pr. ① where? ② how could it be possible? | ~ yǒu zhèyàng de shì? How could this have happened? ③ wherever; where ◆ f.e. polite rejection of compliment | A: Nín chàng de zhēn hǎo. B: ~, ~. A: You sing very well. B: You flatter me.
- ▷ 床¹ chuáng* n. bed ◆ m. bedding
- ▷ 底¹ dǐ n. ① underside; bottom; base | Shuǐ² shēn de kàn bù dào ~. The water is so deep that one can't see the bottom. ② ins and outs ③ rough draft ④ copy kept as a record | Liú ge ~. Keep a copy. ⑤ end ⑥ ground ◆ v. <wr.> end up with ◆ attr. basic
- ▷ 机器[機-] jīqì* n. machine; machinery; apparatus M:¹tái/¹jià/²bù
- ▷ 枪[槍]¹ qiāng* n. rifle; gun ◆ m. (for rifle shots) ▷ See also⁸ chēng
- ▷ 样子[樣-] yàngzi* n. ① appearance; shape ② manner; air | Wǒ bù xǐhuan tā nà ~. I don't like his manner. ③ sample; model; pattern ④ <coll.> tendency; likelihood | Kàn ~ tiān yào xià yǔ. It looks like rain. ⑤ proof sheet
- ▷ 摇[搖]¹ yáo v. ① shake; wave | Chuán ~³ de hěn lihai. The boat is tossing violently. ② scull; row ③ agitate
- ▷ 抱/抱¹ bào v. ① hold/carry in arms ② have first child ③ adopt ④ <topo.> handle together ⑤ cherish ⑥ hatch; brood ◆ m. (for armfuls)
- ▷ 形成¹ xíngchéng r.v. take shape; form | Yī ge jìhuà zài wǒ nǎozi li ~ le. A plan is beginning to form in my mind. ◆ n. formation
- ▷ 只是¹ zhǐshì v.p. merely/only/just/simply be | Wǒ ~ shuōshuō² bà le. I merely mentioned it. ◆ conj. however; but then | Wǒ yě xiǎng qù, ~ méi shíjiān. I'd also like to go, but I

don't have time.

- ▷ 前进[-进] ¹qiánjìn* v. advance; go forward; proceed; progress
- ▷ 动物[動-] dòngwù* n. animal
- ▷ 结果[結-] jiéguǒ* n. result; outcome; consequence | ~ zěnmeyàng? How did it turn out?
| Tā shuō lái, ~ méi lái. He said he'd come but it turned out that he didn't. ◆ v.o. ① bear fruit; fructify ② <trad.> kill; finish off
- ▷ 哪/呐[-/呐] nā m.p. (formed by linking syllable ending in n with the particle a) | xièxie nín ~. Thank you. ▷ See also nǎ ▷ See also Né ▷ See also ¹něi
- ▷ 以及 ¹yǐjí* conj. as well as; along with; and | Qǐng ¹tù wǒ wèn hòu nǐ de tàitai ~ nǐ de háizi. Please give my regards to your wife and children.
- ▷ 意思 yìsi* n. ① meaning; idea | Wǒ de ~ shì shuō... I mean to say... ② opinion; wish; desire | Nǐ de ~ ne? What's your opinion? ③ <court.> a token of affection/appreciation/etc. ④ suggestion; hint; trace ⑤ interest; fun | Wǒ juéde zhège huàtí méiyǒu ~. I don't think this is an interesting topic.
- ▷ 文学[-學] wénxué n. literature
- ▷ 错[錯] ¹cuò* v. ① be interlocked ② rub ③ miss; let slip ④ evade; dodge ⑤ alternate; stagger ◆ s.v. ① wrong; mistaken | Wǒ nòng ~ le. I've got it wrong. ② bad; poor ③ confused; complex ◆ n. ① mistake; error; blunder | Zhè shì shéi de ~? Whose mistake is it? ② grindstone
- ▷ 取得 qǔdé* v. ① gain; acquire; obtain | Wǒ ~ le tā de zhīchí. I obtained his support. ② aim at; seek
- ▷ 别人[別-] biéren n. others; other people; another person | Bùyào gào sù ~. Don't tell others.
- ▷ 重 ¹zhòng n. weight ◆ s.v. ① heavy ② weighty; important | Tā huà shuō de tài ~ le. He's putting it too strongly. ◆ b.f. ① considerable in amount/value ▷ zhòngjià ② serious; solemn ▷ ¹yánzhòng ③ discreet ▷ shènzhòng ④ deep ⑤ lay stress on; attach importance to ▷ ¹zhòngshì ▷ See also ²chóng
- ▷ 电影[電-] diànyǐng n. film; movie M:²bù
- ▷ 完成 wánchéng* r.v. accomplish; complete; fulfill | Nǐ ~ zuò yè le ma? Have you finished your homework?
- ▷ 具有 ¹jùyǒu* v. possess; have; be provided with | Zhōngguó ~ yōujiǔ hé cànlan de lìshǐ. China has a long and glorious history.
- ▷ 坚持[堅-] jiānchí* v. persist in; insist on | Tā ~ yào zǒu. He insisted on leaving.
- ▷ 马上[馬-] mǎshàng* adv. ① at once; right away | Bié ¹cuī wǒ, wǒ ~ jiù ¹zuò wán le. Don't rush me, I'll finish it right away. ② in the near future; soon ③ on horse back ④ <trad.> by military force
- ▷ 难[難] ²nán s.v. ① difficult; hard; troublesome | Zuò rén hén ~. It's hard to act as a human being should. ② disagreeable; unpleasant ◆ v. make difficult/difficulties ▷ See also

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- ▷ 国民党[國-黨] Guómíndǎng p.w. Kuomintang (KMT); Nationalist Party
- ▷ 亮 ¹liàng s.v. ① bright; light | Tiānsè ²biàn de yuèlái yuè ~ le. The sky is getting brighter and brighter. ② loud and clear; sonorous ③ enlightened ◆ v. ① shine ② show
- ▷ 有点儿[-點兒] yǒudiǎnr ▷ See yǒudiǎn
- ▷ 有一点点儿[--點兒] yǒu yīdiǎnr ▷ See yǒu yīdiǎn
- ▷ 不但 ¹bùdàn* conj. not only ◆ cons. ~ A yě/érqiě/bìngqiě/hái B not only A but also B
- ▷ 材料 cáiliào* n. ① material ② data ③ stuff; ingredients M:¹xiē/¹pī
- ▷ 刚才[剛-] ¹gāngcái adv. just now; a moment ago | Tā ~ shuō... He said just now...
- ▷ 群/羣 ¹qún* m. group; swarm; flock; etc. ◆ b.f. ① group; crowd ▷ rénqún ② forming a group ▷ qúndǎo
- ▷ 立刻 ¹lìkè* adv. immediately; at once
- ▷ 班 ¹bān n. ① class; team ② shift; duty ③ <mil.> squad ④ Surname ◆ m. (for crowds and scheduled transport vehicles) ◆ b.f. scheduled; regular ▷ bānchē
- ▷ 换[換] ¹huàn* v. ① exchange; trade ② change | Nǐ zuìhǎo chūqù zǒuzou, ~ ~ nǎojīn. You'd better go out for a walk and give your mind a rest.
- ▷ 也许[-許] yěxǔ* aux. perhaps; probably; maybe | Tā ~ huì ¹zǎo lái. He may come early.
- ▷ 整个[-個] zhěnggè* attr. whole; entire
- ▷ 规律[規-] guīlǜ n. law; regular pattern; rule | Shēng hé sǐ shì zìrán ~. Birth and death are the law of nature. M:¹zhǒng
- ▷ 类[類] ¹lèi* n./m. ① kind; type; class; category; genus | Nà shì nǎ yī ~ dòngwù? What species of animal is that? ② <lg.> form class ◆ b.f. resemble; be similar to ▷ lèisì ◆ adv. generally
- ▷ 量 ²liàng n. quantity; amount; volume ◆ b.f./suf. capacity ▷ ¹róngliàng ◆ v. estimate; measure ▷ See also ³liáng
- ▷ 了 ¹liǎo* v. end; finish; settle; dispose of | Gǎnkuài bǎ zhè jiàn shì ~ le. Put an end to this matter quickly. ◆ b.f. know clearly; understand ▷ liǎojiě ◆ cmp. (used with de and bu to indicate possibility) | chīde ~ can eat ◆ adv. <wr.> entirely ▷ See also ¹le ▷ See also ³liǎo ▷ See also ³liào ▷ See also ¹²liáo
- ▷ 毛 ¹máo* n. ① hair; feather; down; wool ② mildew; mold ③ Surname ◆ b.f. ① semifinished (product) ▷ máotiě ② gross (profit) ▷ máoli ③ little; small ▷ máomaoyǔ ④ careless; crude; rash ▷ máoshǒumáojiǎo ⑤ alarmed; scared ◆ s.v. <coll.> depreciated (of currency) ◆ m. dime; 1/10th yuan
- ▷ 统治[統-] ¹tǒngzhì v./n. rule; dominate | Shuí zài ~ zhège guójiā? Who rules the country?
- ▷ 报告[報-] bàogào v. report; make known | xiàng shàngjí ~. report to the boss. ◆ n. ① report; speech ② (student) term paper

- ▷ 收 shōu v. ① receive; accept | Qǐngwèn nǐmen ~ bù ~ sān¹ suì yǐxià de hái zi? May I ask whether you accept children below the age of three? ② take in/back ③ collect ④ harvest; gather in ⑤ conclude; stop ◆ b.f. money received; receipts; income ▷ shōurù
- ▷ 系统[-統] xìtǒng* n./adv. system; device; process | Wēiruǎn yǒu pángdà de¹ xiāoshòu ~. Microsoft has a huge market system.
- ▷ 急³ jí b.f./adv. ① impatient; anxious ② rapid; fast; violent ③ irritated; annoyed ④ urgent ⑤ hard-up ⑥ eager to help ⑦ <coll.> hot-tempered; hot-headed
- ▷ 然而 rán'ér conj. even so; but
- ▷ 表现[-現] biǎoxiàn* v. ① show; display | Tā ~ de hěn hǎo. She's doing very well. ② show off ◆ n. manifestation; expression
- ▷ 仿佛//彷彿 fǎngfú adv. ① seem; as if | Zhè wèi kèrén ~ yǐqián jiànguó. The guest looks familiar. ② be more or less the same; be like
- ▷ 喜欢[-歡] xǐhuan v. ① like; love; be fond of ② be happy/elated/delighted | Jiēdào nǐ de láixìn wǒ hǎobù ~. I was extremely delighted to hear from you.
- ▷ 斤¹ jīn m. (of weight (equal to 1/2 kilogram))
- ▷ 酒² jiǔ n. wine; liquor; spirits
- ▷ 烧[燒] shāo v. ① burn ② cook; heat; roast; stew ③ run a fever ④ over fertilize ◆ n. fever
- ▷ 甚至 shènzhì* conj. even (to the point of); so much so that
- ▷ 水平¹ shuǐpíng n. standard; level; proficiency | Xiànzài rénmen de shēnghuó ~ hěn¹ gāo. People have a high standard of living now. ◆ attr. horizontal; level
- ▷ 洗¹ xǐ v. ① wash; bathe | Zhèxiē shuǐguǒ ~ guo le ma? Has the fruit been washed? ② develop (film) ③ shuffle (cards/etc.) ④ clear (a recording/etc.); erase ⑤ clear away; eliminate ◆ b.f. ① <rel.> baptize ▷ xǐlǐ ② redress; right ▷¹ xǐxuě ③ kill and loot; sack ▷ xǐjié ▷ xǐchéng ◆ n. small vessel containing water for washing writing brushes ▷ bǐxǐ ▷ See also² Xiǎn
- ▷ 中间[-間] zhōngjiān* p.w. ① center; middle ② intermediate; interspace ◆ cov. between; among
- ▷ 腿 tuǐ* n. leg ◆ b.f. ham ▷ huǒtuǐ ▷ yúntuǐ
- ▷ 挂[掛/罨] guà* v. ① hang; put up | Zhè shì ~ yī ~ zài shuō ba. Let's put the matter aside for now. ② <coll.> ring up | Zài gěi tā ~ ge diànhuà. Ring him up again. ③ hitch ④ register; check in ⑤ worry | Bié bǎ zhè jiàn shì ~ zài xīnshang. Don't worry about this matter. ⑥ <slang> shadow; tail ◆ m. (used for sth. string-shaped or for a string of things) ▷ See also⁴ guà
- ▷ 牛 niú* n. ① cow; ox; cattle ② Surname ◆ b.f. <coll.> talk big; boast; brag ▷ chuīniú ◆ s.v. <slang> arrogant ▷ See also³ niū
- ▷ 团结[團結] tuánjié v./n. ① unite; rally ② agglomerate
- ▷ 以前 yǐqián* n. before; formerly; previously | ~ wǒ jiā shēngluó bù tài hǎo. In the past,

life was hard for my family.

- ▷ 支 ⁴zhī v. ① support; sustain; bear | Yòng ²gānzi bǎ zhàngpeng ~ qǐlai. Support the tent with poles. ② dispatch; send away; put sb. off ③ pay/draw (money) ④ protrude; raise
◆ b.f. ① branch; offshoot ▷ ¹zhīliú ② the 12 Earthly Branches ▷ dìzhī ▷ gānzhī ◆ m. (for slender objects, military contingents, songs, wattage, etc.) ◆ n. Surname
- ▷ 广大[廣-] guǎngdà* s.v. ① vast; wide ② large-scale; wide-spread ③ numerous
- ▷ 嘛 ²ma m.p. ① (used to persuade sb. to do sth.) | Lái ~, bù yào tài rèn xìng. Come on, don't be so stubborn. ② (used to emphasize the obvious) | Shì xīngqīrì ~. Bàngōngshì dāngrán guān le. It's Sunday. Of course offices are closed. ▷ See also ¹má
- ▷ 破 ¹pò* s.v. ① broken; damaged; torn | Zhèxiē fángzi ¹tài ~ le. These houses are extremely run-down. ② inferior; poor; lousy ◆ v. ① break; cleave; cut | Méiyǒu nòng ~. No damage/breakage/etc. (to a package). ② get rid of; eradicate; do away with ③ defeat (the enemy); capture (a city/etc.) ④ reveal the truth; expose (a lie/etc.) ◆ suf. through | kàn ~ see through
- ▷ 似乎 ¹sìhū* adv. it seems; as if; seemingly | Tā ~ bù zhīdao zhè ²jiàn ²shì. He doesn't seem to know about this.
- ▷ 歌 ¹gē n. song M:²shǒu/²zhī ◆ b.f. sing ▷ gēchàng
- ▷ 石油 ¹shíyóu* n. petroleum; oil
- ▷ 整 ¹zhěng s.v. entire; whole; full ◆ b.f. ① neat; tidy ▷ zhěngqí ② put in order; arrange; consolidate ▷ zhěnglǐ ③ repair; mend ▷ zhěngxiū ◆ v. ① make sb. suffer; punish ② <topo.> do
- ▷ 种[種] ²zhòng v. plant; cultivate; sow | Wǒ ~ le yīxiē tǔdòu. I've planted some potatoes. ▷ See also ¹zhǒng
- ▷ 关于[關於] guānyú* cov. about; on; with regard to; concerning
- ▷ 右 ²yòu b.f. ① right side; the right ▷ yòubian ② politically on the right; conservative ▷ yòupài ③ west ▷ Jiāngyòu ④ <trad.> right side as the side of precedence ▷ yòuzhí ⑤ <wr.> favor ▷ yòuwén
- ▷ 地球 dìqiú* n. the earth/globe
- ▷ 严重[嚴-] ¹yánzhòng* s.v. serious; grave; critical | Hànrìng ~ ma? Is the drought serious?
- ▷ 屋子 wūzi n. ① room ② house M:¹jiān
- ▷ 上面 shàngmian p.w. ① above; on the top/surface of ② higher authority ③ aspect; regard; respect ④ <slang> the central government
- ▷ 她们[-們] ²tāmen pr. they (female)
- ▷ 样[樣] ¹yàng* b.f. ① appearance; shape; form ▷ yàngzi ▷ yàngr ② sample; model; pattern ▷ ¹shìyàng ◆ m. kind; type; class
- ▷ 永远[-遠] yǒngyuǎn* adv. always; forever
- ▷ 物质[-質] ¹wùzhì* n. matter; substance; material ◆ attr. materialistic

- ▷ 报[報] ²bào v. ① report | ~ xiàozhǎng pīzhǔn report/submit sth. to the school principal for approval ② reply ③ recompense ◆ n. ① newspaper ② periodical ③ bulletin ④ telegram
- ▷ 努力 nǔlì* v.o./s.v. make great effort; try hard | Tā hěn ~ de ²zuòshì. He works extremely hard.
- ▷ 时代[時-] ¹shídài* n. ① times; age; era; epoch; period | Xīnxī ~ yǐjīng láilín. The information era has arrived. ② period in one's life
- ▷ 统一[統-] tǒngyī v. unify; unite; integrate | Wǒmen yào ~ xíngdòng. We must take unified action. ◆ attr. unified; centralized ◆ n. unity
- ▷ 土地 tǔdì* n. ① land; soil ② territory ③ God of Earth ▷ See also tǔdi
- ▷ 总是[總-] zǒngshì* adv. always; invariably | Wǒmen ~ qù nà jiā cānguǎn chīfàn. We always dine in that restaurant.
- ▷ 短 duǎn s.v. short; brief | Dàjiā kāi ge ~ huì. Let's have a brief meeting. ◆ v. lack; owe ◆ b.f. weak point ▷ duǎnchū
- ▷ 改造 gǎizào v. transform; reform; remold; remake; correct
- ▷ 瞧 ²qiáo v. look at
- ▷ 土 ¹tǔ* n. ① soil; earth; clay ② land ③ (crude) opium ④ Surname ◆ s.v. uncouth; crude; unsophisticated | Tā kànshàngqu hěn ~. He looks unsophisticated. ◆ b.f. local; native; indigenous ▷ tǔchǎn
- ▷ 委员[-員] wěiyuán* n. committee member M: ¹míng/¹gè
- ▷ 非 ²fēi adv. ① not ② <coll.> have got to; simply must | Wǒ ~ qù! I simply must go. ◆ b.f. ① mistake; error; wrong; evildoing ② not conform to; run counter to ③ censure; blame ◆ pref. not; no; non-; un- ◆ ab.▷ Fēizhōu Africa ◆ cons. ① ~...bùkě/bùchéng/bùxíng must ...; will inevitably ... | Wǒ ~ qù bùkě. I have to go. ② ~ A ~ B neither A nor B | ~ lú ~ mǎ nondescript ③ ~ A jí B either A or B | ~ hēi jí bái either black or white ④ ~ A cái B B only if A | ~ tā shuō cái xíng. It'll only work if he says.
- ▷ 联系[聯繫] liánxì v. integrate; relate; link; get in touch with | Nǐ gēn tā ~ yīxià. Please get in touch with him. ◆ n. contact; touch; connection; relation
- ▷ 侵略 qīnlüè v. invade ◆ n. aggression; encroachment
- ▷ 工程 ¹gōngchéng* n. ① engineering project | Yīdìng yào bǎozhèng ~ zhìliàng. We must ensure the quality of the engineering project. M: ³xiàng ② engineering
- ▷ 规定[規-] guīdìng v. ① stipulate; provide | Xuéxiào ~ bùxǔ kuàngkè. The school stipulates against truancy. ② fix; set; formulate ◆ n. rule; regulation; stipulation
- ▷ 一边[-邊] yībiān n. one side; either side ◆ conj. ① at the same time; simultaneously ② on the one/other hand ◆ adv. <coll.> equally | ~ dà same size/age ◆ cons. ~ V1 ~ V2 V1 while V2 | Māma ~ zuòfàn ~ chànggē. Mam was singing while cooking.
- ▷ 则[則] ¹zé* b.f. ① rule; regulation ▷ guīzé ② standard; criterion ▷ zhǔnzé ◆ m. (for

- written items) ◆ v. <wr.> ① imitate ② do; make ③ be ◆ adv. then; in that case ◆ cons. s.v.1 ~ s.v.1 It's s.v.1 all right, (but) | Hǎo ~ hǎo, jiùshi tài guì. It's good all right, but it's too expensive. ◆ suf. (added to numbers indicating enumeration) | yī ~ A, ér ~ B for one thing A, for another thing B
- ▷ 鸡[雞] ²jī n. ① chicken ② <slang> prostitute M:²zhī
- ▷ 应当[應當] yīngdāng aux. should; ought to
- ▷ 大量 dàliàng* n. ① large quantity; mass ② heavy drinker ◆ attr. generous; magnanimous; large-minded
- ▷ 倒 ¹dǎo v. ① fall over; topple | Bié yībiānr ~. Don't lean to one side. ② collapse ③ become hoarse ④ exchange; move around; shift | Wǒmen ~ yīxià zuòwèi hǎo ma? Do you mind changing seats with me? ⑤ <coll.> make money doing business ▷ See also ²dào
- ▷ See also ³dào
- ▷ 房子 fángzi* p.w. ① house; building (of less than three stories) ② room/apartment/etc.
- ▷ 摸 mō* v. ① feel; touch; grope for ② feel/sound out | Tā ~ buzáo tóunǎo. He's completely at a loss.
- ▷ 爷爷[爺爺] yéye* n. ① (paternal) grandfather ② <court.> Grandpa ③ father
- ▷ 全部 ¹quánbù n. whole; complete; total; all | Tā zhīdao ~ zhēnxiàng. He knows the whole truth.
- ▷ 政策 ¹zhèngcè n. policy; political tactic
- ▷ 读[讀] ¹dú* v. ① read (aloud) | Zhèpiān wénzhāng zhíde yī ~. This article is worth reading. ② attend school; take a course; study ◆ b.f. <lg.> pronunciation ▷ dúyīn ▷ See also ⁵dòu
- ▷ 角 ²jiǎo n. ① horn ② bugle ③ sth. horn-shaped ④ corner | Fángjiān de yī ~ shì yī ¹zhāng shūzhuō. There's a desk at one corner of the room. ⑤ <math.> angle ⑥ cape; promontory ◆ m. (for money) dime; 1/10th ²yuán | sān ~ qián thirty cents ▷ See also ⁵jué
- ▷ 准 ¹zhǔn* v. allow; grant; permit ▷ See also ²zhǔn
- ▷ 作为[-為] zuòwéi* n. ① conduct; deed; action ② accomplishment; achievement ③ scope for one's abilities or talents ◆ v.p. ① accomplish; do sth. worthwhile ② regard as; look on as; take for; (treat) as | Wǒ bǎ yóuyǒng ~ yī zhǒng duànliàn shēntǐ de ¹fāngshì. I take swimming as physical training. ③ as
- ▷ 按 ²àn v. ① press; push down ② leave aside; shelve | ~ xià cǐ shì bù shuō. Put this matter aside. ③ restrain | Tā ~ bùzhù xīntóu nùhuǒ. He can't control his temper. ④ keep one's hand on ⑤ <wr.> check; refer to ◆ n. note; notation | biānzhě' ~ editor's note ◆ cov. according to; in accordance with | Wǒmen děi ~ tā shuō de ¹zuò. We have to do it the way he says. | ~ zhìdù bànshì act according to the rules ◆ cons. ① ~ ... jiǎng according to what ... says; as far as ... is concerned | ~ zhèlǐ de fēngsú jiǎng, ... According to local customs, ... ② ~ ... (lái) suàn calculate according to ...

- ▷ 回来[-來] huílái* r.v. return; come/be back | Wǒ ~ le. I'm back.
- ▷ 听说[聽說] ¹tīngshuō v. ① hear/understand that... | Wǒ ~ tā kuàiyào lái le. I've heard that he'll be arriving shortly. ② <topo.> heed what an elder/superior says; be obedient/docile
◆ n. hearsay | Zhè zhǐ shì ~ bàle. It's merely hearsay. ▷ See also ²tīng-shuō
- ▷ 推 ¹tuī v. ① push ② cut (with clippers); pare ③ decline; refuse; reject ④ put off; postpone; delay ⑤ turn a grindstone ⑥ shirk; shift ⑦ hold in esteem; praise highly ⑧ push forward; promote; advance ⑨ elect; select choose ◆ b.f. infer; deduce; investigate ▷ tuīsuàn
▷ tuīduàn
- ▷ 烟[煙/菸] ¹yān n. ① smoke ② mist; vapor ③ tobacco; cigarette ④ opium ◆ v. be irritated by smoke ▷ See also ⁵yū
- ▷ 级[級] ⁴jí n. ① level; rank; grade ② school grade/class/form ◆ v.m. ① (for steps/stages) ② <lg.> degree
- ▷ 石 ³shí b.f. ① stone; rock ▷ shítou ② stone inscription ▷ ²shíkè ◆ n. Surname ▷ See also ⁷dàn
- ▷ 碗 ¹wǎn n./m. bowl | Tā chīle sān dà ~ fàn. He ate three big bowls of rice.
- ▷ 大会[-會] dàhuì* n. ① plenary meeting; mass rally; conference ② plenary session; general membership
- ▷ 空气[-氣] kōngqì* n. ① air ② atmosphere
- ▷ 女人 nǚrén* n. woman; womenfolk ▷ See also nǚren
- ▷ 认真[認-] ¹rènzhēn v.o. take for real | Wǒ ¹zhǐ shì suǐbiàn shuōshuō, bié ~. I'm just kidding. Don't take it seriously. ◆ s.v. serious; earnest
- ▷ 数学[數學] ¹shùxué* n. mathematics
- ▷ 真正 zhēnzhèng attr. genuine; true; real
- ▷ 发动[發動] fādòng r.v. ① start; launch | ~ zhànzhēng start a war ② mobilize; arouse
- ▷ 哩 li a.p. (for continued state or action) <topo.> (used in enumeration) | Yīngwén ~, Déwén ~, Fàwén ~, tā dōu huì shuō. He can speak English, German, and French. ◆ b.f. (inserted in two-syllable compound between first syllable and its repetition, to the effect of '-ish' or 'good and...:') | hú~hútu good and muddled ▷ See also ⁹lǐ
- ▷ 油 ²yóu n. oil; fat; grease ◆ v. ① apply paint/oil/varnish ② be stained with oil/grease
◆ s.v. ① oily; greasy | Zhè cài tài ~ le. This dish is too greasy. ② glib; slick | Zhè rén tè ~. This person is very glib. ◆ b.f. ① petroleum; petroleum products ▷ ¹shíyóu ▷ ¹qìyóu
▷ méiyóu ② spontaneously ▷ yóurán ▷ See also ⁸yōu
- ▷ 原则[-則] yuánzé n. principle (of handling/doing something) | Zhè shì ~ wèntí. This is a matter of principle.
- ▷ 窗 ¹chuāng n. window
- ▷ 首先 shǒuxiān* adv. first ◆ conj. in the first place; first of all
- ▷ 吹 ¹chuī* v. ① blow; puff ② play (a wind instrument) | Nǐ huì ~ dízi ma? Do you play flute? ③ <coll.> ④ boast; brag | Nǐ zhēn néng ~! Gosh, you can brag! ⑤ break up (a

- relationship) | Tāmen liǎ ~ le. The two of them are no longer boyfriend-girlfriend. ④ fall through (of plans) | Nà bǐ shēngyì ~ le. That business deal has fallen through.
- ▷ 太太 tàitai n. ① <trad.> Mrs.; madame ② wife <topo.> ③ (paternal) great-grandmother or great-grandfather
- ▷ 道路 dàolù n. road; way; path M:¹tiáo
- ▷ 湖 hú* n. lake ◆ ab. Húnán, Húběi
- ▷ 总理[總-] zǒnglǐ* n. ① premier; prime minister ② president (of a political party, etc.) ③ Sun Yat-sen
- ▷ 倍 bèi m. times; -fold ◆ b.f. twice as much; double ▷¹jiābèi
- ▷ 公里 gōnglǐ* m. kilometer
- ▷ 平原 píngyuán n. plain; flatlands
- ▷ 相信 xiāngxìn* v. believe in; be convinced of | Wǒ bù ~ yǒu guǐ. I don't believe in ghosts.
- ▷ 应[應] yīng* v. ① promise/agree (to do sth.) ② answer; respond ◆ aux. should; ought to | Zhègè wèntí ~ shòudào zhòngshì. The problem should receive our attention. ◆ n. Surname ▷ See also ³yìng
- ▷ 表示 biǎoshì* v. show; express; indicate | Tā yīngdāng ~ tā de tàidu. He should make his attitude clear.
- ▷ 定 dìng v. ① decide ② subscribe to (a publication); book (tickets/etc.); order (merchandise/etc.) ◆ b.f. ① calm; stable ▷ wěndìng ② fixed; settled ▷ gùdìng ◆ adv. surely; certainly
- ▷ 懂 dǒng v. understand; know | Wǒ ~ le. I see.
- ▷ 哥哥 gēge* n. elder brother M:ge/²wèi
- ▷ 共产主义[-產-義] gòngchǎnzhǔyì n. communism
- ▷ 哲学[-學] zhéxué n. philosophy
- ▷ 不仅[-僅] bùjǐn* adv./conj. ① not only ② not the only one | Zhè ~ shì tā yī gè rén de kànfǎ. He's not the only one who holds this view.
- ▷ 分子 fēnzǐ* n. ① <math.> numerator (in fractions) ② <chem.> molecule ▷ See also fēnzǐ
- ▷ 记[記] jì v. ① remember; bear in mind; commit to memory ② write down; record ◆ b.f. ① notes; records ▷ jìlù ② classical works recording events ▷ Shǐjì ③ mark; sign ▷ biāoji ④ seal ▷¹tújì ◆ n. birthmark ◆ m. <topo.> (for slaps)
- ▷ 乱[亂] luàn* s.v. ① in disorder/confusion | Nǐ de fángjiān tài ~ le. Your room is too messy. ② confused; in a turmoil ③ indiscriminate; random; arbitrary ◆ v. confuse; mix up; jumble | Zhàng ~ le. The accounts are messed up. ◆ adv. rashly; carelessly ◆ n. disorder; upheaval; chaos ◆ b.f. promiscuous sexual behavior ▷ yínluàn
- ▷ 排 pái v. ① arrange; put in order; sequence | Qǐng ²gèwèi ~ hǎo. Please stand in queue. ② remove with force; discharge; exclude ③ push open ④ rehearse a play/etc. ◆ n. ① <loan> pie ② <mil.> platoon ◆ m. row; line ◆ b.f. anti- | ~ Měi anti-American ▷ See

also ³pái ▷ See also ¹pǎi

▷ 前面 qiánmian* p.w. in front; ahead; above; preceding | Chēzhàn jiù zài ~. The bus stop is right ahead. | Wǒ ~ hái yǒu sān ge rén. There are three people in front of me.

▷ 态度[態-] tàidu* n. ① manner; bearing ② attitude; approach | Tā ~ chéngkěn. His attitude is honest and sincere.

▷ 菜 ¹cài n. ① vegetables; greens ② (non-staple) food ③ dish; course

▷ 电[電] ¹diàn n. ① electricity ② telegram ◆ v. ① give/get an electric shock ② <wr.> send telegram

▷ 队伍[隊-] duìwu n. ① troops; army ② ranks; contingent ③ team M:⁴zhī

▷ 几乎[幾-] jīhū* adv. almost; nearly

▷ 个人[個-] ¹gèrén* n. ① individual (person) ◆ pr. I; me | ~ kànlái as I see it ◆ attr. personal

▷ 黄[黃] ¹huáng* s.v. ① yellow ② spoiled; withered ◆ v. <coll.> fizzle out; fall through ◆ n. Surname

▷ 取 ¹qǔ v. ① take; get; obtain | Wǒ qù ~ xíngli. I'll go and get the luggage. ② select ③ adopt; assume; choose ④ aim at; seek

▷ 生命 shēngmìng* n. life

▷ 强[強] ¹qiáng s.v. ① strong; powerful; vigorous ② better | Nǐmen dōu ¹bǐ wǒ ~. You are all better than me. ③ slightly more than; plus | Nǐ zuòle duōshǎo le?... Sì fēnzhīyī ~. How much have you done?...A bit more than a fourth. ▷ See also ³jiàng ▷ See also ²qiǎng

▷ 仍然 réngrán adv. still; yet | Wǒ ~ xiāngxìn tā shì wúgū de. I still believe he's innocent.

▷ 院 ¹yuàn b.f. ① courtyard; compound ▷ ¹yuànzi ② branch of government

▷ Xíngzhèngyuàn ③ public facility ▷ bówùyuàn ④ institute; college; academy ▷ xuéyuàn ▷ yánjiūyuàn

▷ 之后[-後] ¹zhīhòu* suf. later; after; afterwards | cóng nà ~ since then

▷ 街 ²jiē n. ① street ② <topo.> county fair; market

▷ 巨大 ¹jùdà attr. huge; gigantic | Guǎngchǎng zhōngyāng yǒu yī ge ~ de diāosù. There's a huge sculpture in the center of the square.

▷ 木 ¹mù* b.f. ① tree ▷ ¹shùmù ② timber; wood ▷ mùcái ③ wooden ▷ ¹mùqì ④ stupid; silly ▷ ¹mùrán ◆ s.v. ① numb; insensitive | Nǐ zhēn ~. You are so dumb. ② hard; tough (of fruit)

▷ 玻璃 bōli* n. ① glass ② <coll.> nylon; plastic M:²kuài

▷ 将来[將來] jiānglái n. future ◆ adv. in the future | Nǐ ~ yǒu shénme jìhuà? What's your plan for the future?

▷ 交 ¹jiāo v. ① hand over; give up; deliver ② meet; intersect (of place/time) ③ reach (hour/season) ④ cross; intersect ⑤ associate with ⑥ have sexual intercourse; mate ⑦ fall

◆ n. ① friendship; relationship ② business transaction; deal ◆ adv. ① mutually, reciprocally ② together; simultaneously

- ▷ 师[師] ¹shī b.f. ① teacher ▷ ^{lǎoshī} ② master ▷ ¹shīfu ③ model; example ▷ shīfàn
 ④ person skilled in certain profession ▷ gōngchéngshī ⑤ indicates relationship through a teacher ▷ shīmǔ ▷ ¹shīdì ⑥ master; mother (a term of respect for a monk/nun) ▷ ¹fǎshī
 ⑦ imitate ▷ ²shīgǔ ⑧ troop; army ▷ chūshī ◆ n. ① (army) division ② Surname
- ▷ 建筑[-築] jiànzhù* v. build; construct; erect ◆ n. ① building; structure; edifice
 ② architecture
- ▷ 界 ¹jiè b.f. ① boundary ▷ ¹jièxiàn ② scope; extent ▷ yǎnjiè ③ circles; group; division
 ▷ kēxuéjiè ▷ See also ⁸gā ▷ See also ²gà
- ▷ 竟 ¹jìng* n. <wr.> frontier; limit ◆ adv. ① in the end; eventually ② unexpectedly; actually
 ◆ b.f. ① throughout; whole ▷ jìngrì ② go to the length of ③ finish; complete ▷ ²wèijìng
- ▷ 帮[幫] ¹bāng* v. help; assist | Wǒ ~ tā zuò. I'll help him do it. ◆ b.f. ① gang; clique;
 group ▷ fěibāng ② side (of boat/truck/etc.) ③ upper (of shoe) ▷ xiéband ④ outside
 layers of certain vegetables ▷ càiāng ◆ m. (for groups of people/etc.)
- ▷ 称[稱] ¹chēng v. ① call; name ② say; state ③ commend; praise ④ weigh | ~ yī ~, kàn
 nǐ yǒu duō ¹zhòng. Step on the scale and see how heavy you are. ◆ b.f. name
 ▷ míngchēng ◆ cons. ~ X wéi Y name X as Y; call X Y ▷ See also ³chèn
- ▷ 即 ⁵jí v. ① approach; reach; be near ② assume; undertake ③ <wr.> be; mean ◆ b.f.
 prompted by the occasion ▷ jíjǐngshēngqíng ◆ adv. ① at present; in the immediate future;
 then ② <wr.> promptly; at once ③ namely ◆ conj. even though/if
- ▷ 积极[積極] ¹jījí* s.v. ① positive ② active; energetic; vigorous; dynamic | Dàjiā duì cānjiā
 shèhuì huódòng dōu hěn ~. Everyone is very active in participating in community activities.
- ▷ 目前 mùqián* n. ① in front of one's eyes ② at present; at the moment | Wǒ ~ méiyǒu
 zhège dǎsuàn. I don't have this plan at present.
- ▷ 实在[實-] shízài adv. ① indeed; really; honestly | Wǒ ~ tài ¹máng le. I'm really very
 busy. ② in fact; as a matter of fact ▷ See also shízai
- ▷ 艺术[藝術] ¹yìshù* n. ① art ② skill
- ▷ 哎 ¹āi intj. (of surprise/warning/dissatisfaction) ▷ See also āi
- ▷ 更加 gèngjiā* adv. (even) more
- ▷ 环境[環-] ¹huánjìng* n. ① environment; surroundings; circumstances; situation | Tā xiǎng
 huànhuàn ~. He wanted to have a change of environment. ② context
- ▷ 既 ²jì adv. ① already ② then; later on ◆ b.f. complete; full ◆ cons. ① ~ A jiù B
 since/if A then B | ~ yào shàngxué, jiù děi zuò gōngkè. If you want to attend school, you
 have to do homework. ② ~ A yě/yòu/qiě B both A and B | ~ bù shíyòng, yòu bù
 měiguān neither useful nor attractive
- ▷ 教师[-師] jiàoshī* n. teacher; instructor M:ge/¹míng/²wèi
- ▷ 肯 ¹kěn* v./aux. be willing/ready to | Tā ~ bāngmáng ma? Is he willing to help?
- ▷ 旁边[-邊] pángbiān n. side | Lái, ²zuò wǒ ~. Come and sit next to me.
- ▷ 现/见[現/見] ³xiàn v. show; appear; display ◆ b.f. ① present; current ▷ xiànzài

- ▷ xiànrèn ② on hand; ready ▷¹ xiànjīn ③ <slang> lose face; make a fool of oneself ◆ adv. just; at the time; extempore ◆ cons. v.1 v.2 v.1 and immediately v.2 (or vice versa) | ~ zuò ~ chī; ~ chī ~ zuò cook for immediate consumption
- ▷ 业[業] ²yè b.f. ① line of business; trade; industry ▷¹ hángyè ▷¹ gōngyè ② occupation; profession; employment; job ▷¹ zhíyè ③ school studies ▷ xuéyè ④ enterprise; undertaking ▷¹ shìyè ⑤ property ▷ chǎnyè ⑥ <Budd.> karma; deed; action ▷ yèyīn ◆ v. engage in ◆ adv. already ◆ n. Surname
- ▷ 替 ¹tì v. ① take the place of; replace; substitute | Nǐ ²xiē yīhuìr, wǒ lái ~ nǐ. Have a rest. I'll take your place. ② <wr.> decline ◆ cov. for; on behalf of
- ▷ 场[場] ²chǎng n. ① gathering place; field | Zuótiān kāihuì tā méi dào ~. He didn't show up at the meeting yesterday. ② level open space; threshing ground; yard; stage ③ <topo.> country fair; market ◆ m. (for games/performance/etc.) | Xiàyī ~ qīdiǎn kāishǐ. The next performance starts at 7:00. ▷ See also ³cháng
- ▷ 封建 ¹fēngjiàn* n. ① system of enfeoffment ② feudalism ◆ s.v. feudal; backward
- ▷ 破坏[-壞] pòhuài v. ① destroy; wreck; smash; decompose ② violate (an agreement/etc.)
- ▷ 肉 ròu* n. ① meat; flesh ② pulp; "flesh" of melons/etc. | Zhèi ²táo tài xiǎo, méi ~. This peach is too small to have any "flesh". ◆ s.v. <coll.> ① spongy (of melons/etc.) ② slow-moving | ~ píqi phlegmatic
- ▷ 占/佔 ²zhàn v. ① occupy; take; possess ② constitute; make up; account for | Zhōngfāng ~ gǔfèn de sì ³fēnzhī sǎn. The Chinese side controls three quarters of the shares. ▷ See also ⁴zhān
- ▷ 碰 ¹pèng* v. ① touch; knock against | Bié ~ wǒ ³jiān. Don't touch my shoulder. ② meet; encounter; run into ③ take a chance; explore
- ▷ 堆 duī v. pile/heap up ◆ m. (for heap; pile) ▷ See also zuī
- ▷ 反映 ²fǎnyìng v. ① reflect; mirror ② report; make known | ~ dàjiā de yìjiàn report everyone's opinions
- ▷ 利益 ¹lìyì* n. interest; benefit; profit
- ▷ 明天 míngtiān n. ① tomorrow ② the near future
- ▷ 制造[製-] zhìzào* v. ① make; manufacture | Zhè shì Zhōngguó ~ de. This was made in China. ② engineer; create; fabricate
- ▷ 女儿[-兒] nǚ'ér n. daughter; girl
- ▷ 未 ³wèi adv. ① have not yet ② <wr.> or not (at end of sentence) ◆ n. 8th of the 12 Earthly Branches
- ▷ 唯/惟物 ¹wéiwù attr. materialistic
- ▷ 枝 ⁵zhī n. branch ◆ m. (for slender items) ▷ See also ⁹qí
- ▷ 儿子[兒-] érzi* n. ① son ② <trad.> new-born son
- ▷ 翻[-/繙] ¹fān v. ① turn over | Qǐng bǎ shū ~ dào dì-wǔ yè. Please turn to page five. ② cross; get over ③ rummage; search ④ translate ⑤ reverse ⑥ multiply ⑦ <coll.> fall out;

break up | ²Tā gēn nán péng yǒu ~ le. She broke up with her boy friend.

- ▷ 篇 ¹piān n. ① piece of writing ② sheet (of paper/etc.) ◆ m. (for articles/chapters/etc.)
- ▷ 事实[-實] ¹shìshí* n. ① fact | ¹jiù ~ ér yán in point of fact ② <lg.> pragmata
- ▷ 指挥[-揮] zhǐhuī v. command; direct; conduct ◆ n. ① commander; director ② <mus.> conductor
- ▷ 城市 ¹chéngshì* p.w. town; city M:⁴zuò
- ▷ 能力 ¹nénglì n. ability; capacity; competence | Tā yǒu hěn dà de ~. He's a person of great ability.
- ▷ 药[藥] ²yào n. medicine; drug; remedy ◆ n./v. poison ◆ v. <wr.> cure ◆ b.f. certain chemicals ▷ huǒyào
- ▷ 含 ¹hán v. ① keep in the mouth | ~ yī huìr ²zài ¹yàn. Keep it in the mouth for a while before swallowing. ② contain | Shuǐ zhōng ~ yǎng. Water contains oxygen. ③ nurse; cherish; harbor
- ▷ 叫做/作 ¹jiàozuò v. be called; be known as | Wǒmen bǎ kēxué de réngōng fánzhí ~ “kēlóng.” We call the artificial duplication of organisms “cloning.”
- ▷ 结合[結-] ¹jiéhé* v. ① combine; unite; integrate; link | Qǐng bǎ zhè liǎng bùfēn ~ qǐlai. Please link these two parts. ② be joined in wedlock ③ associate ◆ n. fusion
- ▷ 母 ¹mǔ b.f. ① mother ▷ mǔqīn ② one's female elders ▷ bómǔ ③ nut (to hold bolt/screw) ④ female (of animals) ▷ ¹mǔjī ⑤ letter of the alphabet ▷ zìmǔ ⑥ <lg.> matrix
- ▷ 气候[氣-] qìhòu* n. climate (lit./fig.) | Nǐ xíguàn zhè de ~ ma? Are you used to the climate here?
- ▷ 其中 qízhōng* p.w. in/among (it/them/which/etc.) | Zhè ~ yǒu hěn duō mìmì. There's a lot of secret in it.
- ▷ 数[數] ²shù n. ① number; figure ② fate ③ talent; skill ④ plan; project ◆ num. several ▷ See also ¹shǔ ▷ See also ³shuò
- ▷ 终于[終於] ¹zhōngyú* adv. at (long) last; in the end; finally | Wǒmen ~ jiànmiàn le. At last we meet each other.
- ▷ 师傅[師-] ¹shīfu* n. ① master worker ② tutor of a king/emperor ③ <PRC> general term of address in late 70s and 80s | ~, qù Tiān'ānmén zěnmē zǒu? Excuse me, how do I get to Tiananmen? ④ <court.> address for service workers | mùjiàng ~ carpenter M:²wèi
- ▷ 摆[擺] ²bǎi v. ① place; put; arrange | ~ zhànchǎng put in battlefield order ② state clearly | ~ ¹shìshí state the facts clearly ③ assume; put on ④ sway; swing; wave ◆ n. ① pendulum ② bottom part (of Chinese gown)
- ▷ 细[細] ¹xì s.v. ① thin; slender ② fine; in small particles ③ thin and soft ④ exquisite; delicate ⑤ careful; meticulous; detailed ⑥ minute; trifling
- ▷ 鞋/鞣 ¹xié n. shoes
- ▷ 自 ²zì pr. self; oneself; one's own ◆ adv. ① personally ② certainly; of course ◆ cov. from; since

- ▷ 部门[-門] bùmén n. ① department; branch | Nǐ zài nǎ ge ~ gōngzuò? Which department are you from? ② classification
- ▷ 传[傳] ²chuán v. ① pass (on); hand down | Bǎ jīngyàn ~ gěi xiàyīdài. Pass on the experience to the next generation. ② impart; teach ③ spread ④ infect; be contagious ◆ b.f. ① transmit; conduct | Jīnshǔ ~ rè bǐ sùliào kuài. Metal conducts heat faster than plastic does. ▷ chuándiàn ② summon ③ convey; express ▷ chuánqíng ▷ See also ³zhuàn
- ▷ 除了 chùle cov. ① except | ~ diànnǎo, tā duì shénme dōu bù gǎn xìngqū. Apart from computer, he's not interested in anything. ② besides ◆ cons. ① ~ A yǐwài apart from A; except for A ② ~ A yǐwài, hái B in addition to A, also B
- ▷ 日子 rìzi n. ① day; days ② life; livelihood | Tā nòng de wǒ ~ bù hǎoguò. He's making life hard for me. ③ time; duration
- ▷ 如何 rúhé* adv. how ◆ v.p. how about it | Wǒmen míngtiān qù ~? How about going tomorrow?
- ▷ 杀[殺] ¹shā* v. ① kill ② fight ③ smart; burn (of medicine) ④ weaken; reduce; abate ⑤ take off; counteract ◆ suf. exceedingly
- ▷ 说明[說-] shuōmíng v. explain; illustrate; show | Nǐ néng ~ nǐ quēxí de lǐyǒu ma? Can you explain the reason for your absence? ◆ n. explanation; account
- ▷ 元 ³yuán b.f. ① first; primary ▷ Yuándàn ② basic; fundamental ▷ ¹yuánsù ▷ ²yuányīn ③ chief; principal ▷ ¹yuánshǒu ④ old; eminent ▷ yuánlǎo ⑤ vital state; vitality ▷ ¹yuánqì ⑥ <phil.> origin ◆ n. ① Yuan dynasty ② Surname ▷ See also ²yuán
- ▷ 妇女[婦-] ¹fùnǚ n. women
- ▷ 门口[門-] ménkǒu p.w. entrance; doorway
- ▷ 棉 ¹mián n. cotton ◆ b.f. cotton-padded ▷ mián'ǎo
- ▷ 躺 ¹tǎng* v. lie; recline | Nǐ ~ zhe biédòng. Lie down and don't move.
- ▷ 项[項] ³xiàng m. ① (for items/clauses/etc.) ② <lg.> entry ◆ b.f. ① nape (of the neck) ▷ ²jǐngxiàng ② sum (of money) ▷ kuǎnxiàng ③ a project/program ▷ ¹xiàngmù ◆ n. ① <math.> term ② Surname
- ▷ 纤维[纖維] xiānwéi* n. fiber; staple
- ▷ 服务[-務] ¹fúwù v. be in the service of; serve ◆ n. service
- ▷ 集中 jízhōng* v. ① concentrate; assemble ② centralize ③ focus | Huìyì ~ tāolùnle sān ge wèntí. The conference focused on three issues. ④ put together; gather
- ▷ 修 ¹xiū* v. ① embellish; decorate ② repair; mend; overhaul ③ write; compile ④ study; cultivate ⑤ build; construct ⑥ trim; prune ◆ s.v. <wr.> long; tall and slender ◆ ab. xiūzhèngzhǔyì
- ▷ 旁 ¹páng* b.f. ① side ▷ liǎngpáng ② lateral part of a Chinese character ▷ piānpáng ③ other; else ▷ pángrén ▷ See also ⁷bàng
- ▷ 俩[倆] liǎ pr. <coll.> ① two ② some; several | zhí ~ qiánr. (it's) worth some money. ▷ See also ²liǎng

- ▷ 哦 ò intj. (of newly gained understanding) | ~, wǒ dǒng le. Oh, I get it now. ▷ See also ³é ▷ See also ¹o ▷ See also ó
- ▷ 以为[-為] yǐwéi* v. think/believe/consider erroneously | Rénmen ~ wǒ mílù le. People thought I had lost my way.
- ▷ 挺 ¹tǐng v. ① stick/bulge out ② endure | Nǐ néng ~ duōjiǔ? How long can you endure? ③ <slang> deal with; handle ◆ b.f. ① erect; firm ▷ bǐtǐng ② ditinguished; standing out ▷ yǐngtǐng ◆ adv. very; rather; quite ◆ m. (for machine guns)
- ▷ 圆[圓] ⁴yuán s.v. round ◆ b.f. ① satisfactory; comprehensive ▷ yuánmǎn ② make plausible; justify ▷ yuánchǎng ▷ zìyuánqíshuō ③ circle ▷ yuánzhōu ▷ See also ²yuán
- ▷ 产品[產-] chǎnpǐn n. product; produce M:²jiàn
- ▷ 丰富[豐-] fēngfù* s.v. rich; abundant; plentiful | Wǎnhuì de jiémù hěn ~. The evening program was rich and diverse. ◆ v. enrich
- ▷ 古 ¹gǔ* s.v. ① ancient; age-old ② not following current customs/practice
- ▷ 机关[機關] ¹jīguān* p.w. office; organ; body ◆ n. ① mechanism ② stratagem; scheme; intrigue ◆ attr. machine-operated
- ▷ 消息 xiāoxi* n. ① news; information; tidings | jù Xīnhuáshè ~ according to a Xinhua dispatch ② fluctuations; vicissitudes M:¹tiáo
- ▷ 压[壓] ²yā v. ① press; push/hold down | Bǎ júzhī ~ chūlai. Press out the orange juice. ② control; quell ③ pigeonhole; shelve | Zhègè ànzì ~ le ¹wǔ ¹nián. This case has been shelved for five years. ④ approach; be getting near ⑤ risk (money/etc.) on sth.; stake ◆ b.f. ① pressure ▷ yālì ② rhyme ▷ ²yāyùn ▷ See also ⁴yà
- ▷ 后面[後-] hòumian p.w. ① at the back; in the rear; behind ② later | Zhè shì wǒ ~ háiyào tán. I'll come back to this matter later.
- ▷ 军队[軍隊] jūnduì n. armed forces; army; troops M:⁴zhī
- ▷ 大概 dàgài* n. general idea | Nà jiàn shì(r) wǒ zhǐ zhīdao ge ~. I've only a rough idea about that matter. ◆ attr. approximate ◆ adv. probably
- ▷ 答应[-應] dāying* v. ① answer; reply ② agree; promise | Nǐ ~ tā le ma? Have you said 'yes' to him?
- ▷ 举[舉] ¹jǔ v. ① lift; raise; hold up | Bǎ shǒu ~ jǐlai. Raise your hands. ② nominate; choose ③ cite ◆ b.f. ① act; move; deed ▷ yǐjǔ-liǎngdé ② start; initiate ▷ jǔbàn ③ praise ▷ táijū ④ propose ▷ jǔbēi ⑤ give birth to ▷ jǔfā ⑥ whole; entire; all ▷ jǔguó
- ▷ 生物 shēngwù n. living thing; organism ◆ attr. bio-
- ▷ 实行[實-] ¹shíxíng* v. put into practice/effect; practice; implement | Míngnián kāishǐ ~ xiàshízhì. Daylight saving time will be implemented next year.
- ▷ 指出 zhǐchū* r.v. ① point out (that) | ~ tā de quēdiǎn lay one's finger on his weak spot ② <lg.> specify
- ▷ 中心 ¹zhōngxīn* p.w. center; heart; hub; focus ◆ n. ① persons holding important positions
- ▷ 周围[-圍] zhōuwéi* p.w. ① vicinity; surroundings; all around ② circumference (of a

- round object) | Dào ~ zǒuzǒu qù. Let's walk around the surroundings. ③ periphery
- ▷ 苦 ¹kǔ s.v. bitter excessive ◆ n. hardship; suffering; pain ◆ v. ① cause sb. suffering
② suffer from; be troubled by ◆ adv. painstakingly
- ▷ 忘 ²wàng v. ① forget | Wǒ ~ le fāxìn. I forgot to mail the letter. ② overlook; neglect
- ▷ 机会[機會] ¹jīhuì* n. chance; opportunity
- ▷ 曾 ²céng adv. once; ever (in the past); before | ²Tā ~ zuòguo yǎnyuán. She was once an actress. ▷ See also ²cēng ▷ See also ⁴zēng
- ▷ 上来[-來] shànglai* v. ① come up | Nǐ ~ kànkàn. Come up and have a look. ② start; begin | Tā de juè píqi yòu ~ le. His stubbornness has again emerged. ◆ cmp.
① (indicating upward movement toward one) | Gěi wǒ ná ~. Bring it up to me.
② (indicating success) | Zhège wèntí wǒ dá ~ le. I got the answer to this question.
③ <topo.> (indicating increase in degree) | Tiānqi liáng ~ le. It's getting cold. ◆ adv. ① at the beginning | Tā ~ jiù ¹tí tiàojiàn. He demanded special conditions as soon as he opened his mouth. ② <wr.> in sum
- ▷ 迅速 xùnsù* s.v. rapid; speedy; prompt | Wǒmen duì ¹qíuyuán ~ zuòchūle ²fǎnyìng. We made a rapid response to the call for help.
- ▷ 引起 yǐnqǐ* r.v. ① give rise to; lead to | Zhège wèntì ~ le hěn duō zhēnglùn. This problem gave rise to much debates. ② draw; attract
- ▷ 有时[-時] ¹yǒushí* v.o. sometimes; at times
- ▷ 只好 zhǐhǎo* adv. have to; be forced to; can only; may as well; have no choice but | Xiàyǔle, wǒmen ~ huíjiā. It was raining, so we had to go home.
- ▷ 洲 ¹zhōu* n. continent ◆ b.f. river islet; sand bar; shoal ▷ shāzhōu (river) delta
▷ sānjiǎozhōu
- ▷ 改 gǎi v. ① change; transform ② amend; revise ③ correct; put right | Tā zài ~ zuòyè. She's correcting students' homework.
- ▷ 建 ³jiàn v. ① build; construct; erect ② establish; set up; found ◆ b.f. ① propose; advocate
▷ jiànyì ② of Fujian province ▷ jiànlán
- ▷ 形式 ¹xíngshì* n. form; shape | Bùnéng ¹zhǐ zhùzhòng ~. One cannot pay attention only to form. ◆ attr. formal
- ▷ 指导[-導] zhǐdǎo v. guide; direct ◆ n. direction; guidance
- ▷ 国际[國際] ¹guójì* attr. international
- ▷ 加强[-強] jiāqiáng v. strengthen; augment; reinforce | ~ guófáng jiànshè strengthen defense capability
- ▷ 内容[內-] nèiróng n. content; substance | Zhèi běn shū ~ hěn fēngfù. The content of this book is very substantial.
- ▷ 晚 ²wǎn s.v. late | Tàì ~ le, chē yǐjīng kāizǒu le. It's too late. The bus has already left.
◆ b.f. ① evening; night ▷ wǎnshang ② younger; junior ▷ wǎnbèi
- ▷ 背 ³bèi n. back of a body/object ◆ v. ① turn one's back; turn away ② hide sth. from |

- Wǒ méiyǒu ~ rén de shì. I have nothing to hide from anyone. ③ learn by heart; recite from memory ④ faint ⑤ <wr.> die ◆ s.v. <slang> unlucky, esp. in gambling ▷ See also ²bēi
- ▷ 长期[長-] chángqī* n./attr. long period of time; long-term | Zhè shì ~ cúnzài de wèntí. This is a long-standing problem.
- ▷ 成立 ¹chénglì* v. ① found; establish ② be tenable; hold water ③ succeed; achieve the result ④ be passed (of a resolution/etc. by an assembly)
- ▷ 方针[-針] fāngzhēn* n. policy; guiding principle M: ²zhī/¹dǐng
- ▷ 洞 ²dòng n. hole; cavity; cave ◆ adv. penetratingly; thoroughly
- ▷ 改变[-變] gǎibiàn* v. change; transform | Wǒ ~ zhǔyì le. I've changed my mind.
- ▷ 小时[-時] ¹xiǎoshí* n. ① hour ② infancy; childhood
- ▷ 达到[達-] ¹dádào* r.v. achieve; reach; attain
- ▷ 关[關] ¹guān v. ① shut; close ② turn off ③ lock up ④ close down ⑤ issue/receive (payment) ⑥ concern; implicate ◆ n. ① pass ② barrier ③ crux; critical juncture; turning/key point ④ key part
- ▷ 管理 guǎnlǐ* v./n. manage; supervise; take care of | Tā de chángchū shì yǒu hǎo de ~ fāngfǎ. His strength is good management style.
- ▷ 坚决[堅決] jiānjué* s.v. firm; determined ◆ adv. firmly; resolutely | Dàibǎomen ~ zhīchí zhège tí'àn. The delegates firmly support this bill.
- ▷ 简直[簡-] ¹jiǎnzhí* adv. simply; really | Bìngrén huīfù de zhèyàng kuài, ~ shì qíjì. It's really a miracle that the patient has recovered so quickly. ◆ attr. ① straightforward ② honest; unaffected
- ▷ 简单[簡單] jiǎndān* s.v. ① simple; uncomplicated | Zhège dàolǐ hěn ~. The reasoning is very simple. ② <derog.> commonplace; ordinary ③ oversimplified; casual | Kàn wèntí bù yào nàme ~. Don't be so simplistic in your view.
- ▷ 闹[鬧] ¹nào* v. ① make a noise | ¹Jiào tāmen bié ~ le. Tell them to stop making so much noise. ② stir up trouble ③ give vent to anger ④ suffer from; be troubled by ⑤ go in for; do; make | Nàr zài ~ shénme? What's going on there? ◆ s.v. noisy
- ▷ 硬 ¹yìng s.v. ① hard; stiff ② firm; tough; obstinate | ~ de bù xíng, tāmen jiù lái ruǎn de. When tough tactics did not work, they tried kid gloves. ③ good (of quality); able (of persons) | páizi ~ a trademark of high standing; a prestigious trademark ◆ adv. ① doggedly ② manage to do sth. with difficulty
- ▷ 亿[億] ¹yì num. hundred million
- ▷ 至 ³zhì cov. to; until; till | Zhège yóuxì shìhé 3 ~ 5 suì de értóng. This game is suitable for children 3 to 5 years old. ◆ adv. extremely; most ◆ v. <wr.> arrive; reach
- ▷ 按照 ¹ànzhào conj. according to; in the light of; on the basis of | Wǒmen děi ~ shíjì qíngkuàng juédìng gōngzuò jìhuà. We have to decide on a work plan in line with the actual situation.

- ▷ 怪 guài* s.v. surprising; strange | Nǐ shuō ~ bù ~? Isn't that odd? ◆ v. ① find sth. strange ② blame | ~ tā méi shuō qīngchū. He's at fault for not making it clear. ◆ adv. <coll.> quite; very ◆ b.f. monster; evil spirit ▷ yāoguài
- ▷ 颗[顆] ¹kē* m. (of things small and roundish) ◆ b.f. grain; small round object ▷ ¹kēli
- ▷ 套 tà* b.f. ① sheath; case; cover; sleeve ▷ tàzi ② bend; curve (of rivers/etc.) ▷ hétào ③ padding; batting ▷ bèitào ④ traces; harness ⑤ knot; noose; trap ⑥ cliché; formula ◆ v. ① encase ② overlap; interlink ③ harness; hitch up ④ model on/after; copy ⑤ pump sb. about sth. ◆ m. (for sets/series/suites/etc.)
- ▷ 特点[-點] tèdiǎn n. characteristic; peculiarity; trait | Zhègè gōngzuò de ~ shì bù yòng zuòbān. The thing about this work is that one doesn't need to keep office hours.
- ▷ 意义[-義] ¹yìyì* n. meaning; sense; significance | Zhè jù huà méi ~. This sentence doesn't make sense.
- ▷ 剥削[剝-] bōxuē* v. exploit
- ▷ 那儿[-兒] nàr* pr. <coll.> that place/time | cóng ~ since then
- ▷ 军事[軍-] ¹jūnshì* n. ① military affairs ② the military
- ▷ 保护[-護] ¹bǎohù v. protect; safeguard
- ▷ 具体[-體] jùtǐ* s.v. concrete; specific; particular | Qǐng ~ shuō shuō shìgù fāshēng de guòchéng. Please give a detailed account of the accident.
- ▷ 起义[-義] ¹qǐyì v./n. revolt
- ▷ 采取[採-] cǎiqǔ* v. take; adopt | ~ jǐnjí cuòshī ba. Let's take emergency measures.
- ▷ 哥 ²gē n. ① (elder) brother ② brothers; boys | Nǐmen jiā ~ jǐ ge? How many brothers are there in your family? | Nǐmen ~ jǐ ge bié dǎ le. You boys stop fighting.
- ▷ 进来[進來] jìnlai r.v. come in; enter
- ▷ 久 ³jiǔ s.v. ① for a long time ② of specified duration
- ▷ 约[約] ¹yuē v. ① make an appointment | Wǒ ~ le ¹yīshēng. I've made an appointment with the doctor. ② ask; invite | Zánmen qù ~ tā chūlái. Let's go and ask him out. ③ reduce a fraction ◆ b.f. ① restrict; restrain ▷ ¹yuēshù ② economical; frugal ▷ ¹jiéyuē ③ simple; brief ▷ ¹jiǎnyuē ④ pact; agreement; contract ▷ ¹héyuē ⑤ indistinct ▷ yǐnyuē ◆ adv. ① about; around; approximately ▷ See also ⁵yāo
- ▷ 墙[牆/墻] ²qiáng n. wall
- ▷ 抽 ¹chōu* v. ① take out (from in between) ② take (a part from the whole) ③ put forth (of certain plants) ④ obtain by drawing, etc. ⑤ shrink ⑥ lash; whip; thrash
- ▷ 地方 dìfang n. ① place; space; room ② territory ▷ See also dìfāng
- ▷ 热情[熱-] rèqíng s.v. enthusiastic; passionate | Liǎngkǒuzi ~ de zhāodài kèrén. The couple received the guests warmly. ◆ n. enthusiasm; zeal; warmth; passion; ardor; fever
- ▷ 试[試] ⁵shì v. try; test | Ràng wǒ ~ yīxià. Let me have a try. ◆ b.f. examination; test ▷ ¹kǎoshì
- ▷ 羊 ¹yáng n. ① sheep ② Surname

▷ 野² yě b.f. ① open country ▷ yěwài ② limit; bounds ▷ fēnyě ③ people not in power
▷ zàiyě ◆ s.v. ① wild; undomesticated ② boorish; rude ③ unruly ◆ suf. <coll.> extremely
| Tiān lěng ~ le. It's getting bitterly cold.