

15. Zàijiàn! Good-bye!
16. Qǐng yòng _____ zàojù! Please make a sentence using _____!



B. SURVIVAL EXPRESSIONS

The following is a list of important expressions that will help you survive in a Chinese language environment. A good language student is constantly learning new words by asking questions. Learn the following expressions well and start to acquire Chinese on your own!

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| 1. Duìbuqǐ! | Sorry! |
| 2. Qǐng wèn... | Excuse me...; May I ask... |
| 3. Xièxie! | Thanks! |
| 4. Zhè shì shénme? | What is this? |
| 5. Wǒ bù dǒng. | I don't understand. |
| 6. Qǐng zài shuō yí biàn. | Please say it one more time. |
| 7. "... Zhōngguóhuà zěnmē shuō? | How do you say "... in Chinese? |
| 8. "... shì shénme yìsi? | What does "... mean? |
| 9. Qǐng nǐ gěi wǒ.... | Please give me.... |
| 10. Qǐng nǐ gàosu wǒ.... | Please tell me.... |
| 11. Duìbuqǐ, nín shì shuō...? | Sorry, do you mean...? |



C. NUMERALS

Having good control of the Chinese numerals will facilitate your dealing with real life situations such as shopping, asking for time and dates, etc. You can get a head start by memorizing 1 to 10 well now.

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| 1. yī | one | 一 | 6. liù | six | 六 |
| 2. èr | two | 二 | 7. qī | seven | 七 |
| 3. sān | three | 三 | 8. bā | eight | 八 |
| 4. sì | four | 四 | 9. jiǔ | nine | 九 |
| 5. wǔ | five | 五 | 10. shí | ten | 十 |