

| USEFUL PHRASES AND EXPRESSIONS |                |                   |                 |
|--------------------------------|----------------|-------------------|-----------------|
| English                        | Chinese pinyin | Pronunciation     |                 |
|                                |                | Mandarin          | Shanghainese    |
| Hello.                         | ni hao         | knee-how          | nong haw        |
| Goodbye.                       | zai jian       | ts'ai ch'ee-en    | tseh way        |
| Thank you.                     | xie xie        | she-eh she-eh     | shya shya       |
| Sorry.                         | dui bu qi      | do-eh boo chee    | tay ver ch'ee   |
| you're welcome.                | bu ke qi       | boo ke chee       | ver k'uk ch'ee  |
| correct/right                  | dui            | do-eh             | tay             |
| telephone                      | dian hua       | dee-an hwa        | dee woo         |
| surf the net                   | shang wang     | shang hwan        | zang mang       |
| toilet                         | ce suo         | tsur swo          | ts'i soo        |
| turn left                      | zuo zhuan      | dzwo joo-an       | tsoo tsoe       |
| turn right                     | you zhuan      | yew joo-an        | yew tsoe        |
| go straight                    | zhi zou        | gee dzow          | zuk tsew        |
| hotel                          | jiu dian       | gee-ow dee-an     | jew tee         |
| airport                        | fei ji chang   | fay gee charn     | fee jee zang    |
| train station                  | huo che zhan   | hoo-oh chir ge-an | hoo ts'oo zeh   |
| metro                          | di tie         | dee tee-eh        | dee t'ik        |
| taxi                           | chu zu che     | choo dzoo chir    | ts'uk tsi ts'oo |
| How much?                      | duo shao qian? | dwor shau chien   | jee dee         |
| too expensive                  | tai gui        | tie gway          | t'uk jyu        |
| cheap                          | pian yi        | pee-an yee        | bee nee         |
| too big                        | tai da         | tie da            | t'uk doo        |
| too small                      | tai xiao       | tie shee-au       | t'uk shyo       |
| beer                           | pi jiu         | pee gee-ow        | bee jew         |
| water                          | shui           | shoo-eh           | si              |
| tea                            | cha            | char              | zoo             |
| bill                           | zhang dan      | jarn dan          | tsang teh       |
| bar/pub                        | jiu ba         | gee-ow bar        | jew pa          |
| restaurant                     | can guan       | tsan gwan         | veh tee         |
| police                         | jing cha       | geen char         | jin ts'uh       |

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| one     | yi             | yee           | yep          |
| two     | er             | arl           | lyang        |
| three   | san            | san           | seh          |
| four    | si             | si            | si           |
| five    | wu             | woo           | ng           |
| six     | liu            | lee-yew       | lok          |
| seven   | qi             | chee          | ch'ep        |
| eight   | ba             | p'ar          | puh          |
| nine    | jiu            | gee-yew       | che-ew       |
| zero    | ling           | ling          | lin          |