



HSK Level 1

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Word List

#	Word	Pinyin	Definition
1	爱	ài	to love
2	爱好	ài hǎo ài hào	like; interest
3	爸	bà	dad
4	爸爸	bà ba	dad
5	吧	bā, ba	[modal particle for suggestions]
6	八	bā	eight
7	白	bái	white
8	白天	bái tiān	daytime
9	百	bǎi	hundred
10	半	bàn	half
11	半年	bàn nián	Half a year
12	半天	bàn tiān	half a day
13	班	bān	class; team; work
14	帮	bāng	help
15	帮忙	bāng máng	help
16	包	bāo	bag
17	包子	bāo zi	steamed (stuffed) bun
18	杯	bēi	a cup; glass; mug
19	杯子	bēi zi	cup; glass
20	备	bèi	prepare; complete
21	北	běi	north
22	北边	běi biān	The north side; The northern part

#	Word	Pinyin	Definition
23	北京	běi jīng	Beijing
24	本	běn	[measure word for books]
25	本子	běn zi	notebook
26	比	bǐ	compare
27	边	biān	border; frontier
28	别	bié, biè	don't; part; leave
29	别的	bié de	other; else
30	别人	bié rén	other people; others
31	病	bìng	disease
32	病人	bìng rén	sick person; patient
33	不	bù	no; not
34	不大	bù dà	not wide in scope
35	不对	bù duì	discordant; incompatible; incorrect
36	不用	bù yòng	no need
37	不客气	bú kè qì	impolite; my pleasure
38	菜	cài	vegetable; dish (of food); cuisine (of a region)
39	茶	chá	tea
40	差	chā, chà, chāi, cī	poor; lack
41	常	cháng	common
42	常常	cháng cháng	often; frequently
43	唱	chàng	sing
44	唱歌	chàng gē	sing
45	场	chǎng, cháng	field; open area
46	车	chē, jū	vehicle; car

#	Word	Pinyin	Definition
47	车票	chē piào	ticket for a vehicle (bus, train, etc.)
48	车上	chē shang	inside the vehicle
49	车站	chē zhàn	station
50	吃	chī	to eat
51	吃饭	chī fàn	to eat food; earn a livelihood
52	出	chū	to go out; to happen
53	出来	chū lái	come out; appear
54	出去	chū qù	go out
55	穿	chuān	to wear; to put on; to pierce
56	床	chuáng	bed
57	次	cì	order; sequence; rank
58	从	cóng	obey; from; subordinate
59	错	cuò	mistake; fault; mistakenly
60	打	dǎ, dá	hit; strike; beat
61	打车	dǎ chē	take a taxi
62	打开	dǎ kāi	open; unwrap
63	打球	dǎ qiú	play ball sports
64	打电话	dǎ diàn huà	to call on the phone
65	大	dà, dài	big
66	大学	dà xué	university; college
67	大学生	dà xué shēng	university student
68	答	dá	answer; reply
69	蛋	dàn	egg
70	道	dào	Daoism

#	Word	Pinyin	Definition
71	到	dào	to arrive; to (a place); until (a time)
72	的	de, dí, dì, dī	[structural particle]
73	得	dé, de, děi	[structural particle used after a verb]
74	得到	dé dào	obtain; acquire
75	等	děng	equal; wait
76	第	dì	order
77	第二	dì èr	second (in a sequence or order)
78	弟	dì	younger brother
79	弟弟	dì di	younger brother (from the same parents, or same father or mother)
80	地	dì, de	[structural particle used before a verb or adjective]
81	地点	dì diǎn	place; location
82	地方	dì fāng dì fāng	place; area; spot; location.
83	地上	dì shàng	the ground; the floor
84	地图	dì tú	map
85	电	diàn	electricity; electric
86	电话	diàn huà	telephone
87	电脑	diàn nǎo	computer
88	电视	diàn shì	television; TV
89	电影	diàn yǐng	movie; film
90	电视机	diàn shì jī	TV set
91	电影院	diàn yǐng yuàn	cinema
92	店	diàn	shop; store
93	点	diǎn	point; dot; spot
94	东	dōng	east

#	Word	Pinyin	Definition
95	东边	dōng biān	east side
96	东西	dōng xi dōng xī	thing
97	动	dòng	move
98	动作	dòng zuò	movement
99	都	dōu, dū	all
100	读	dú	to read
101	读书	dú shū	read ; study; attend school
102	对	duì	toward
103	对不起	duì bu qǐ	sorry
104	多	duō	many
105	多少	duō shao duō shǎo	how much
106	饿	è	hungry; starving
107	儿	ér, er	son;child;young person
108	儿子	ér zi	son
109	二	èr	two
110	饭	fàn	cooked grain food; meal
111	饭店	fàn diàn	restaurant
112	房	fáng	house; building
113	房间	fáng jiān	room
114	房子	fáng zi fáng zǐ	house
115	放	fàng	release
116	放假	fàng jià	have a holiday; on vacation
117	放学	fàng xué	finish classes and leave school
118	方	fāng	square; rectangle; cube

#	Word	Pinyin	Definition
119	飞	fēi	flying
120	飞机	fēi jī	airplane
121	非	fēi	non-
122	非常	fēi cháng	very; extremely
123	分	fēn, fèn	to divide; to separate
124	风	fēng	wind; air flow
125	服	fú	clothing; clothes
126	干	gàn, gān	main part; trunk; dry
127	干净	gān jìng	clean; neat
128	干什么	gàn shén me	Why?; For what purpose?; What are you doing?
129	高	gāo	tall; high
130	高兴	gāo xìng	happy
131	告	gào	tell; inform; announce
132	告诉	gào su	tell; inform
133	歌	gē	song
134	哥	gē	older brother; brother
135	哥哥	gē ge	older brother
136	个	gè, gě	[measure word for people]
137	给	gěi, jǐ	to give
138	跟	gēn	heel; with; and
139	工	gōng	workers; the working class
140	工人	gōng rén	worker; laborer
141	工作	gōng zuò	to work
142	馆	guǎn	A building for lodging and entertaining guests or travelers

#	Word	Pinyin	Definition
143	关	guān	to close; to shut; to turn off
144	关上	guānshang	close; turn off
145	贵	guì	expensive; noble
146	果	guǒ	fruit; result
147	国	guó	country; nation
148	国家	guó jiā	state; country
149	国外	guó wài	abroad
150	过	guò	pass through; exceed
151	孩	hái	child
152	孩子	hái zi	child
153	还	hái, huán	to return (money; etc.)
154	还是	hái shì	still; preferably
155	还有	hái yǒu	there is still; additionally
156	汉	hàn	the Han Dynasty
157	汉语	hàn yǔ	mandarin Chinese
158	汉字	hàn zì	Chinese characters
159	行	háng, xíng	row; line; walk; feasible
160	号	hào, háo	[day number in a date]; number (in a series)
161	好	hǎo, hào	good
162	好吃	hǎo chī hào chī	tasty; delicious
163	好看	hǎo kàn	good-looking; beautiful
164	好听	hǎo tīng	pleasant-sounding; melodious
165	好玩	hǎo wán	fun; interesting; enjoyable
166	喝	hē, hè	to drink

#	Word	Pinyin	Definition
167	和	hé, hè, huò	and
168	很	hěn	very
169	候	hòu	wait; await
170	后	hòu	future; later
171	后边	hòu bian	behind; the back
172	后天	hòu tiān	the day after tomorrow
173	话	huà	speech; talk
174	花	huā	flower
175	坏	huài	bad; wicked; harmful; rotten
176	欢	huān	happy; joyful
177	回	huí	to return
178	回答	huí dá	answer; response
179	回家	huí jiā	return home
180	回来	huí lái	come back
181	回去	huí qù	go back; return
182	回到	huídào	return to
183	会	huì, kuài	can; know to
184	火	huǒ	popular; hot
185	火车	huǒ chē	train
186	鸡	jī	chicken
187	鸡蛋	jī dàn	chicken egg
188	机	jī	machine; device; opportunity
189	机场	jī chǎng	airport
190	机票	jīpiào	plane ticket; air ticket

#	Word	Pinyin	Definition
191	记	jì	remember; memorize; record
192	记得	jì de	remember
193	记住	jì zhù	remember
194	几	jǐ, jī	how many; a few
195	家	jiā	home
196	家里	jiā li	at home; in the family
197	家人	jiā rén	family
198	假	jiǎ, jià	fake; false; artificial; holiday
199	见	jiàn	to see; to look at
200	见面	jiàn miàn	see each other
201	间	jiān, jiàn	room; between
202	教	jiào, jiāo	teach
203	教学楼	jiào xué lóu	teaching building; school building
204	叫	jiào	to call; to be called
205	姐	jiě	elder sister (direct sibling)
206	姐姐	jiě jie	older sister
207	介	jiè	between
208	介绍	jiè shào	introduce
209	进	jìn	enter
210	进来	jìn lái	come in from outside
211	进去	jìn qù	[Used after another verb to indicate moving to the inside of a place]
212	今	jīn	now
213	今年	jīn nián	this year
214	今天	jīn tiān	today

#	Word	Pinyin	Definition
215	净	jìng	clean; pure
216	京	jīng	capital city
217	九	jiǔ	nine
218	就	jiù	then; right after
219	觉	jué, jiào	realize; feel; sleep
220	觉得	jué de	to think; to feel
221	开	kāi	to open
222	开车	kāi chē	drive
223	开会	kāi huì	hold a meeting
224	开玩笑	kāi wán xiào	to joke; treat something lightly
225	看	kàn, kān	to look (at)
226	看病	kàn bìng	see a doctor
227	看到	kàn dào	see
228	看见	kàn jiàn	to see
229	考	kǎo	question; examination
230	考试	kǎo shì	test; exam
231	客	kè	guest; visitor
232	课	kè	lesson; class
233	课本	kè běn	textbook; coursebook
234	课文	kè wén	text (in a textbook)
235	渴	kě	thirsty
236	口	kǒu	mouth
237	快	kuài	fast; quick; rapid
238	块	kuài	[measure word for pieces]

#	Word	Pinyin	Definition
239	来	lái	to come
240	来到	lái dào	arrive at; come to
241	老	lǎo	old
242	老人	lǎo rén	old person; elderly person
243	老师	lǎo shī	teacher
244	累	lèi, lěi, léi	tired; fatigued; exhausted
245	冷	lěng	cold
246	里	lǐ	inside; lining
247	里边	lǐ bian	inside; within
248	两	liǎng	two (of something)
249	了	liǎo, le	[aspectual particle]
250	零	líng	small; scattered; fractional
251	六	liù	six
252	楼	lóu	building; floor (of a building)
253	楼上	lóu shàng	upstairs
254	楼下	lóu xià	downstairs
255	路	lù	road; path; way
256	路口	lù kǒu	intersection; junction
257	路上	lù shàng	on the road; on the way
258	妈	mā	mom
259	妈妈	mā ma	mom
260	吗	ma	[question particle]
261	马	mǎ	horse
262	马路	mǎ lù	road; street; highway

#	Word	Pinyin	Definition
263	马上	mǎ shàng	immediately; right away
264	买	mǎi	to buy
265	慢	màn	slow
266	忙	máng	busy
267	毛	máo	fur; hair; mold
268	么	me	suffix
269	没	méi, mò	not have; lack; never
270	没有	méi yǒu	not have; lack; have not
271	没关系	méi guān xi	it doesn' t matter
272	没什么	méi shén me	It's okay; no problem; never mind
273	没事儿	méi shìr	no problem
274	妹	mèi	younger sister
275	妹妹	mèi mei	younger sister; young woman
276	们	men	category; group
277	门	mén	door; gate
278	门口	mén kǒu	doorway; entrance; gate
279	门票	mén piào	ticket; admission ticket
280	米	mǐ	(uncooked) rice; meter
281	米饭	mǐ fàn	rice
282	面	miàn	face; noodles
283	面包	miàn bāo	bread
284	面条	miàn tiáo	noodles
285	明	míng	bright; clear
286	明白	míng bai	clear; easy to understand; straightforward

#	Word	Pinyin	Definition
287	明年	míng nián	next year
288	明天	míng tiān	tomorrow
289	名	míng	name
290	名字	míng zi	name
291	那	nà	that
292	那边	nà biān	that side; over there
293	那儿	nà ér	there
294	那里	nà lǐ	there (indicating a relatively distant place)
295	那些	nà xiē nǎ xiē	those (indicating a large number)
296	哪	nǎ, né	which
297	哪里	nǎ lǐ	where; to which place
298	哪些	nǎ xiē	which ones; what things
299	哪儿	nǎr	where
300	拿	ná	hold; take; bring; get
301	奶	nǎi	breast;milk
302	奶奶	nǎi nai	paternal grandmother; grandma
303	男	nán	male
304	男孩	nán hái	boy; young male child or teenager.
305	男人	nán ren nán rén	adult male; man
306	男生	nán shēng	male student; schoolboy
307	男朋友	nán péng you	boyfriend
308	难	nán, nàn	difficult; hard
309	南	nán	south
310	南边	nán bian	The southern side

#	Word	Pinyin	Definition
311	脑	nǎo	brain
312	呢	ne, ní	[question particle]
313	能	néng	can; be able to
314	你	nǐ	you
315	你们	nǐ men	you all
316	年	nián	year
317	您	nín	you (polite form)
318	牛	niú	cattle; cow; ox
319	牛奶	niú nǎi	(cow) milk
320	女	nǚ	female
321	女儿	nǚ ér	daughter
322	女孩	nǚ hái	girl; young girl
323	女人	nǚ ren nǚ rén	woman
324	女生	nǚ shēng	female student; schoolgirl
325	女朋友	nǚ péng you	girlfriend
326	旁	páng	side; nearby
327	旁边	páng biān	side; beside; next to
328	跑	pǎo	run
329	朋	péng	friend
330	朋友	péng you	friend
331	朋友们	péngyóumen	friends (plural)
332	票	piào	ticket; stamp
333	七	qī	seven
334	期	qī	scheduled time; date

#	Word	Pinyin	Definition
335	气	qì	gas; air
336	起	qǐ	rise
337	起床	qǐ chuáng	to get up (out of bed)
338	起来	qǐ lái	upwards; rise up; get up
339	汽	qì	vapor; gas
340	汽车	qì chē	automobile; car
341	前	qián	front; ahead
342	前边	qián biān	front; ahead
343	前天	qián tiān	the day before yesterday
344	钱	qián	money
345	钱包	qián bāo	wallet; purse
346	请	qǐng	to invite; to request; to treat (to a meal; etc.); please
347	请假	qǐng jià	ask for leave
348	请进	qǐng jìn	Please come in
349	请问	qǐng wèn	May I ask; Excuse me
350	请坐	qǐng zuò	Please sit down
351	球	qiú	sphere
352	去	qù	to go
353	去年	qù nián	last year
354	热	rè	hot
355	认	rèn	recognize
356	认识	rèn shi	to be familiar with
357	认真	rèn zhēn	serious
358	人	rén	person

#	Word	Pinyin	Definition
359	日	rì	day; Japan
360	日期	rì qī	date
361	肉	ròu	flesh; meat
362	三	sān	three
363	山	shān	mountain; hill
364	上	shàng	up
365	上班	shàng bān	to go to work
366	上边	shàng biān	above; on top; the surface
367	上车	shàng chē	board a vehicle
368	上次	shàng cì	the last time; the previous time
369	上课	shàng kè	to have a lesson
370	上网	shàng wǎng	go online
371	上午	shàng wǔ	morning
372	上学	shàng xué	to go to school to study
373	商	shāng	business
374	商场	shāng chǎng	shopping mall
375	商店	shāng diàn	store
376	绍	shào	continue; introduce
377	少	shǎo, shào	few
378	谁	shéi	who
379	身	shēn	body
380	身上	shēn shang	on one's body; physically
381	身体	shēn tǐ	body
382	生	shēng	alive, life

#	Word	Pinyin	Definition
383	生病	shēng bìng	to fall ill; to get sick
384	生气	shēng qì	get angry; be upset
385	生日	shēng rì	birthday
386	十	shí	ten
387	什	shí, shén	various
388	什么	shén me	what; why
389	师	shī	teacher
390	视	shì	look; see
391	是	shì	to be (am; is; are)
392	是不是	shì bú shì	yes or no
393	时	shí	time
394	时候	shí hou	time
395	时间	shí jiān shí jiàn	time
396	试	shì	try; test
397	识	shí, zhì	know; recognize
398	事	shì	matter; affair; thing
399	手	shǒu	hand
400	手机	shǒu jī	cell phone; mobile phone
401	书	shū	book
402	书包	shū bāo	schoolbag
403	书店	shū diàn	bookstore
404	树	shù	tree; plant; establish
405	睡	shuì	to sleep; to be asleep
406	睡觉	shuì jiào shuì jué	to sleep

#	Word	Pinyin	Definition
407	水	shuǐ	water
408	水果	shuǐ guǒ	fruit
409	说	shuō, shuì	to say, to speak
410	说话	shuō huà	to speak (words); to talk
411	四	sì	four
412	送	sòng	deliver; give
413	诉	sù	tell; narrate; sue
414	岁	suì	years old
415	他	tā	he; him
416	他们	tā men	they; them
417	她	tā	she; her
418	她们	tā men	they(females)
419	太	tài	too
420	体	tǐ	the human or animal body; physique
421	天	tiān	sky
422	天气	tiān qì	weather
423	条	tiáo	[measure word for long things]
424	听	tīng	to listen (to)
425	听见	tīng jiàn	hear; listen
426	听写	tīng xiě	dictation
427	听到	tīngdào	hear
428	同	tóng, tòng	same
429	同学	tóng xué	schoolmate
430	图	tú	picture; diagram; map

#	Word	Pinyin	Definition
431	图书馆	tú shū guǎn	library
432	外	wài	outside
433	外边	wài bian	outside; exterior
434	外国	wài guó	foreign country
435	外语	wài yǔ	foreign language
436	晚	wǎn	evening; night; late
437	晚饭	wǎn fàn	dinner
438	晚上	wǎn shang	evening
439	玩	wán	to play (with); to have fun
440	玩儿	wán ér	play
441	网	wǎng	net
442	网上	wǎng shang	online
443	网友	wǎng yǒu	internet friend; netizen
444	忘	wàng	forget
445	忘记	wàng jì	forget
446	文	wén	character; writing
447	问	wèn	to ask
448	我	wǒ	I; me
449	我们	wǒ men	we; us
450	午	wǔ	noon
451	午饭	wǔ fàn	lunch
452	五	wǔ	five
453	喜	xǐ	happy; joyful
454	喜欢	xǐ huan	to like

#	Word	Pinyin	Definition
455	习	xí	to practice; to review
456	息	xī	rest
457	洗	xǐ	wash; clean; erase
458	洗手间	xǐ shǒu jiān	restroom; bathroom (euphemism for toilet)
459	西	xī	west
460	西边	xī biān	west; western side
461	系	xì, jì	to tie up; to fasten (e.g. a seatbelt)
462	下	xià	down
463	下班	xià bān	to finish work; to get off work
464	下边	xià bian	below; the lower part
465	下车	xià chē	to get off (a vehicle)
466	下次	xià cì	next time
467	下课	xià kè	to finish class; for a class to end
468	下午	xià wǔ	afternoon
469	下雨	xià yǔ	(to) rain
470	现	xiàn	now; appear; show
471	现在	xiàn zài	now
472	先	xiān	first; in advance
473	先生	xiān sheng	Mr.; husband; sir
474	想	xiǎng	would like to
475	笑	xiào	to laugh; to smile
476	校	xiào, jiào	school
477	小	xiǎo	small
478	小孩	xiǎo hái	child; kid

#	Word	Pinyin	Definition
479	小姐	xiǎo jiě	young lady
480	小时	xiǎo shí	hour
481	小学	xiǎo xué	primary school; elementary school
482	小朋友	xiǎo péng yǒu	child; kid
483	小学生	xiǎo xué shēng	primary school student
484	谢	xiè	to thank; to express gratitude
485	谢谢	xiè xie	thank you; to thank
486	些	xiē	some
487	写	xiě	to write
488	新	xīn	new
489	新年	xīn nián	the New Year
490	兴	xīng, xìng	prosperous; prevalent
491	星	xīng	star
492	星期	xīng qī	week
493	星期日	xīng qī rì	Sunday
494	星期天	xīng qī tiān	Sunday
495	休	xiū	stop; cease; rest
496	休息	xiū xi	to rest; to sleep
497	学	xué	learn; study
498	学生	xué shēng	student
499	学习	xué xí	to learn; to study
500	学校	xué xiào	school
501	学院	xué yuàn	institution; college
502	样	yàng	kind; sample; model

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503	要	yào, yāo	to want; to need; have to; want to; will
504	爷	yé	grandfather
505	爷爷	yé ye	paternal grandfather
506	也	yě	also
507	页	yè	page; sheet
508	一	yī	one
509	一半	yī bàn	half; one-half
510	一边	yī biān	one side; one aspect
511	一块	yī kuài	together; at the same time
512	一起	yī qǐ	together
513	一下	yī xià	for a short while; briefly
514	一些	yī xiē	some
515	一样	yī yàng	the same; identical
516	一点儿	yī diǎnr	a little
517	一会儿	yī huìr	a little while
518	医	yī	doctor; medicine
519	医生	yī shēng	doctor
520	医院	yī yuàn	hospital
521	衣	yī	clothing; clothes
522	衣服	yī fu yì fu	clothing
523	影	yǐng	shadow
524	用	yòng	use
525	友	yǒu	friend
526	有	yǒu	to have

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527	有的	yǒu de	some of
528	有名	yǒu míng	famous; well-known
529	有时	yǒu shí	sometimes; at times
530	有些	yǒu xiē	some; a part of; some of
531	有用	yǒu yòng	useful; functional
532	有时候	yǒu shí hòu	sometimes; occasionally
533	右	yòu	right
534	右边	yòu bian	right side
535	雨	yǔ	rain
536	语	yǔ, yù	language; words
537	院	yuàn	courtyard; yard
538	元	yuán	[measure word for units of money]
539	远	yuǎn	far
540	月	yuè	month
541	再	zài	again; another; then
542	再见	zài jiàn	goodbye; see you later
543	在	zài	in; at
544	在家	zài jiā	at home
545	早	zǎo	morning
546	早饭	zǎo fàn	breakfast
547	早上	zǎo shang	morning
548	怎	zěn	how; how come
549	怎么	zěn me	how
550	站	zhàn	stand

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551	找	zhǎo	to look for; to call on someone
552	找到	zhǎo dào	find
553	这	zhè	this
554	这边	zhè biān	over here
555	这里	zhè lǐ	here
556	这些	zhè xiē	these
557	这儿	zhèr	here
558	着	zhe, zhuó, zháo	-ing(Indicates the progressive aspect)
559	真	zhēn	really; truly; real
560	真的	zhēn dí	truly; really; indeed
561	正	zhèng, zhēng	just (right); straight; correct
562	正在	zhèng zài	in the process of (doing something)
563	知	zhī	know
564	知道	zhī dào	to know
565	知识	zhī shi	knowledge
566	中	zhōng, zhòng	center; middle
567	中国	zhōng guó	China
568	中间	zhōng jiān jiàn	inside; interior; center; middle
569	中文	zhōng wén	Chinese (language)
570	中午	zhōng wǔ	noon
571	中学	zhōng xué	middle school
572	中学生	zhōng xué shēng	middle school student
573	重	zhòng, chóng	heavy; repeat
574	重要	zhòng yào	important; significant

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575	住	zhù	to live (in/at)
576	准	zhǔn	accurate; permit
577	准备	zhǔn bèi	prepare; get ready
578	桌	zhuō	table; desk
579	桌子	zhuō zi	desk
580	子	zǐ	son
581	字	zì	character
582	走	zǒu	walk
583	走路	zǒu lù	walk
584	最	zuì	most; -est
585	最好	zuì hǎo	best; optimal; finest
586	最后	zuì hòu	last; end
587	做	zuò	to do
588	昨	zuó	yesterday; the past
589	昨天	zuó tiān	yesterday
590	作	zuò, zuō	work; labor; make
591	左	zuǒ	left
592	左边	zuǒ bian	the left side
593	坐	zuò	to sit
594	坐下	zuò xià	sit down