

Mandarin 2018

Summer term

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复习

- Think of all the words that refer to a period of time – eg time of day, this year, last year, this week, next month etc.
- Now see next page ...

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Read aloud.

(1) 早上 zǎoshang 上午 shàngwǔ 中午 zhōngwǔ 下午 xiàwǔ 晚上 wǎnshang

(2) 上个月 shàng ge yuè 这个月 zhè ge yuè 下个月 xià ge yuè

(3) 上个星期 shàng ge xīngqī 这个星期 zhè ge xīngqī 下个星期 xià ge xīngqī

(4) 昨天 zuótiān 今天 jīntiān 明天 míngtiān 后天 hòutiān

(5) 去年 qùnián 今年 jīnnián 明年 míngnián 后年 hòunián

- After some conversation we began by recapping the first page of the story book and continued on to the next part. Some key vocab: 慢 – man4 slow
- 慢慢地 – slowly, in a slow manner
- 慢走！ （慢慢走！ ） Lit: slowly go

Meaning: take care of yourself, go carefully. This is often the way people say goodbye.



~~她是老师还是~~
她是老师还是

~~学生?~~
学生?

~~她是老师。~~
她是老师。



NOTE

hái shì
“还是” or

tā shì yī shēng hái shì hù shì
她是医生还是护士?

Is she a doctor or a nurse?

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~~他是工人还是~~
他是工人还是

~~工程师?~~
工程师?



2

~~今天星期三还是~~
今天星期三还是

~~星期四?~~
星期四?

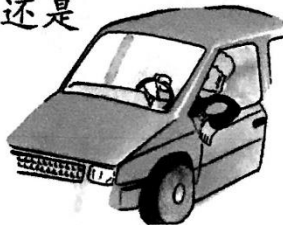


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~~王先生开车还是~~
王先生开车还是

~~坐出租车~~
坐出租车

~~上班?~~
上班?



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~~她是牙医还是~~
她是牙医还是

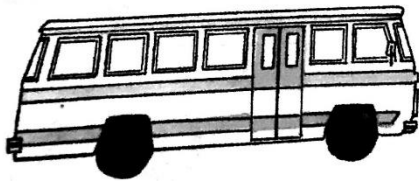
~~护士?~~
护士?



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~~小明坐校车还是坐~~
小明坐校车还是坐

~~公共汽车上学?~~
公共汽车上学?



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~~文文，这是你~~
文文，这是你

~~哥哥还是~~
哥哥还是

~~你弟弟?~~
你弟弟?



A useful series of videos

- I introduced you to CCTV's 'Growing up with Chinese' video series
- https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=HhAJIPTSrto&list=PLRL02spq3g6bkZxqlUIMSkYnq-I7OMw_Q
- It's designed for older children and teenagers, but is still very helpful with its mixture of listening practice, vocab and cultural information. There are 100 videos, starting from absolute beginner level. Try them out.

作业

- Consolidate the vocab in the reading book and try to read the next part:



卷发男人慢慢地拿出了一张报纸。

这个时候，赵亮又认真地看了一下这个人。他很想跟高明一样，很快就可以知道这个人是在做什么的。可是，赵亮又看了一会儿，还是不知道这个男人是在做什么的。