

Mandarin
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Complete the sentences with the words in the box.

一 得 不 了

- a 他的中文说 ____ 很好。
- b 今天的作业 ____ 那么难。
- c 我已经交给老师 ____。
- d 是啊，他 ____ 吃完饭就开始工作了。

Now match the above responses to the following questions.

- 4 你的作业写完了吗? _____
- 5 今天的作业难吗? _____
- 6 他今天很忙吗? _____
- 7 你的朋友会说中文吗? _____

Remember:

a) 已经。。。了 Sentence pattern to say something has already happened

b) Verb + 得 to talk about the way an action is done

你说的很清楚

她开车开得很快

我读书读的很慢

我老公鱼做得很好

c)。。。就 Sentence pattern to say '*as soon as x then y*'

Writing lines

Write the following in characters – as many times as possible

- For revision:

- Běijīng zài xī'ān de dōng bian
- zhōngguó zài rìběn de xī biān
- Nǐ jiā zài nǎlǐ?

This time:

- **Měi gè yīshēng yào zhù zài běijīng**
- **Wǒ zài zhǎo zhè ge zì**
- **tāmen yào zǒu lù qù gōngsī**
- **Next time:**
- Wǒ de shǒujī zài nǎ'er? Zài nà.
- Wǒ de tóngxué yě zài shànghǎi gōngzuò

Expressing
similarity using

A 和 B + 差
不多/一样

1 Look at the sentences.

| A | 和 | B | Adjective | Complement |
|-----------------|---|-------------|-----------|------------|
| 西安冬 天的气 温 | 和 | 首尔的 (气温) | 差不 多。 | |
| 他的 工作 | 和 | 我的 (工作) | 差不 多。 | |
| 我的 看法 | 和 | 你的 (看法) | 一 样。 | |
| 王玉 | 和 | 阿曼达 | 一样 | 高。 |

Now check the two correct explanations.

- 1 和 is used to connect A and B to express similarity.
- 2 差不多 means "the same", while 一样 means "almost the same".
- 3 A complement can be used after 一样, while 差不多 often stands alone.

2 Write the sentences in Chinese.

- 1 The weather next week will be similar to the weather this week.
- 2 The length of the journey by bus is similar to the length of the journey by train.
- 3 Is the winter in London as cold as the winter in Beijing?
- 4 Are you as tall as her?

答案

- 1 下个星期的天气和这个星期的（天气）差不多。
- 2 坐公共汽车的时间和坐火车的（时间）差不多。
- 3 伦敦的冬天和北京的（冬天）一样冷吗？
- 4 你和她一样高吗？

Pair work activities for Student A

Unit 1

You are planning to meet Student B tomorrow to return some books you borrowed. Look at your timetable for tomorrow below.

| | |
|---------------|--------|
| 8:00 – 10:00 | 中文课 |
| 10:10 – 11:00 | 中文考试 |
| 11:00 – 12:00 | _____ |
| 12:00 – 1:00 | 吃午饭 |
| 1:00 – 2:00 | 去图书馆看书 |
| 3:00 – 4:00 | _____ |
| 4:00 – 5:00 | 踢足球 |
| 5:00 – 6:00 | _____ |
| 6:00 – 7:00 | 跟朋友看电影 |

Pair work activities for Student B

Unit 1

1 You are planning to meet Student A tomorrow to get some books. Look at your timetable for tomorrow below.

| | |
|---------------|-----------|
| 8:00 – 10:00 | 英文课 |
| 10:10 – 11:00 | _____ |
| 11:00 – 12:00 | 复习准备考试 |
| 12:00 – 1:00 | _____ |
| 1:00 – 2:00 | 跟朋友们一起吃午饭 |
| 2:00 – 4:00 | _____ |
| 4:00 – 5:00 | 去超市买东西 |
| 5:00 – 6:00 | 做作业 |
| 6:00 – 7:00 | _____ |

作业

- Complete exercise p.2
- Practise writing your character-sentences p.4 (main focus)
- Read through the two timetables on p.8 in preparation for speaking exercise