

In this lesson we did a lot of revision – going over some queries about the 4 ± 1 basic questions, a little conversation about the summer break and some more vocab about jobs.

Vocab that came up:

Measure words

从	cong2	from
什么	shen2me	what
怎么	zen3me	how
怎么样?	Zen3me yang4?	How are things? What's it like?
你是哪儿的人?	Ni3 shi4 na'r de ren2?	Whereabouts are you from?
漂亮	piao4liang4	pretty
您贵姓	nin2 gui4 xing4	Your honourable surname?

条 tiao2 For long thin things eg noodles, roads, fish, even dogs!
张 zhang1 For flat things eg table, sheet of paper, face, also common surname jia1 For households and enterprises

作业

Listening comprehension, as discussed.

You'll find the tapescript below. Be gentle with your self.

Simple conversations

Can you remember how to say ...

- 1. Hello
- 2. How are you? And you?
- 3. What's your name?
- 4. What's your surname
- 5. Where are you from?
- 6. Where do you live?
- 7. What's St Albans like?
- 8. Can you speak Chinese?
- 9. How many people are there in your family?

Read aloud. (1) 商店 shāngdiàn (2)银行 yínháng (3) 工厂 gōngchǎng (4)饭店 fàndiàn (5) 酒店 jiŭdiàn (6)公司 gōngsī (7) 学校 xuéxiào (8)律师行 lùshīháng (9) 书店 shūdiàn (10) 医院 yīyuàn

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- 鞋垫
- xié diàn shoe insole
- 成 chéng to become
- "网红"
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- Internet celebrity
- 王振荣 wáng zhèn róng

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8月的北京很热。一个107岁的老人在一个大学门口卖鞋垫。

他的名字叫王振荣(Wang Zhenrong),他有一个儿子和两个女儿。他在这里卖鞋垫很多年,这里很多人都认识他。

现在,老人成了"网红",很多人都来买他的鞋垫。