

QCF Qualifications in Languages

Mandarin

Entry Level



For teaching from September 2012



TASK: At Your Partner School



You are taking part in an exchange visit in Beijing, China, with your school / college.
You spend a day at your partner school in Beijing.

- You are meeting new people.
- Some of them want to find out about you. They will ask you **some** questions about:
 - Your name.
 - Your age.
 - Your nationality. They might even ask for your phone number or email address!
- Answer their questions by giving **some** of your personal details.

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TASK: Attending an International Conference



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You arrive at an international conference in Beijing, China.
You need to register to get your delegate pack.

- Respond to the questions at the registration desk.
- You will need to give personal details such as:
 - Your name.
 - Your age.
 - Your nationality.
 - The name of the company you work for or the name of your college.
 - Your contact details: phone number / email address.

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TASK: Receiving Foreign Students



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Your school is receiving a group of students from Shanghai, China.
They want to find out some information about your studies in Wales.

- Answer their questions.
- You will have to give details about **some** of the following aspects:
 - The class / group year you are in.
 - The subjects you study.
 - Your favourite subject(s).
 - The size of the school / the number of students in your school.
 - The school day (e.g. number of lessons per day / when is breaktime / lunchtime).

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TASK: Attending an International Conference



You are attending an international conference in Guilin, China.

You are meeting new people.

They want to find out some information about what you do in Wales.

- Answer their questions.
- You will have to give details about **some** of the following aspects:
 - Your job title.
 - The name of the company you work for.
 - The size of the company (number of employees).
 - Your nationality.
 - Your contact details (phone number / email address).

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Task: Visiting a Museum



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You are at the Forbidden City ticket office in Beijing, with some friends.

- Say that you want to buy tickets for you and your friends.
- Give details of which day, time and how many people are in your group.
- The ticket officer tells you how much it will cost per person and gives you details regarding some of the highlights at the museum.
- Write down the information you are given on the note pad on the next page, to share with your group.



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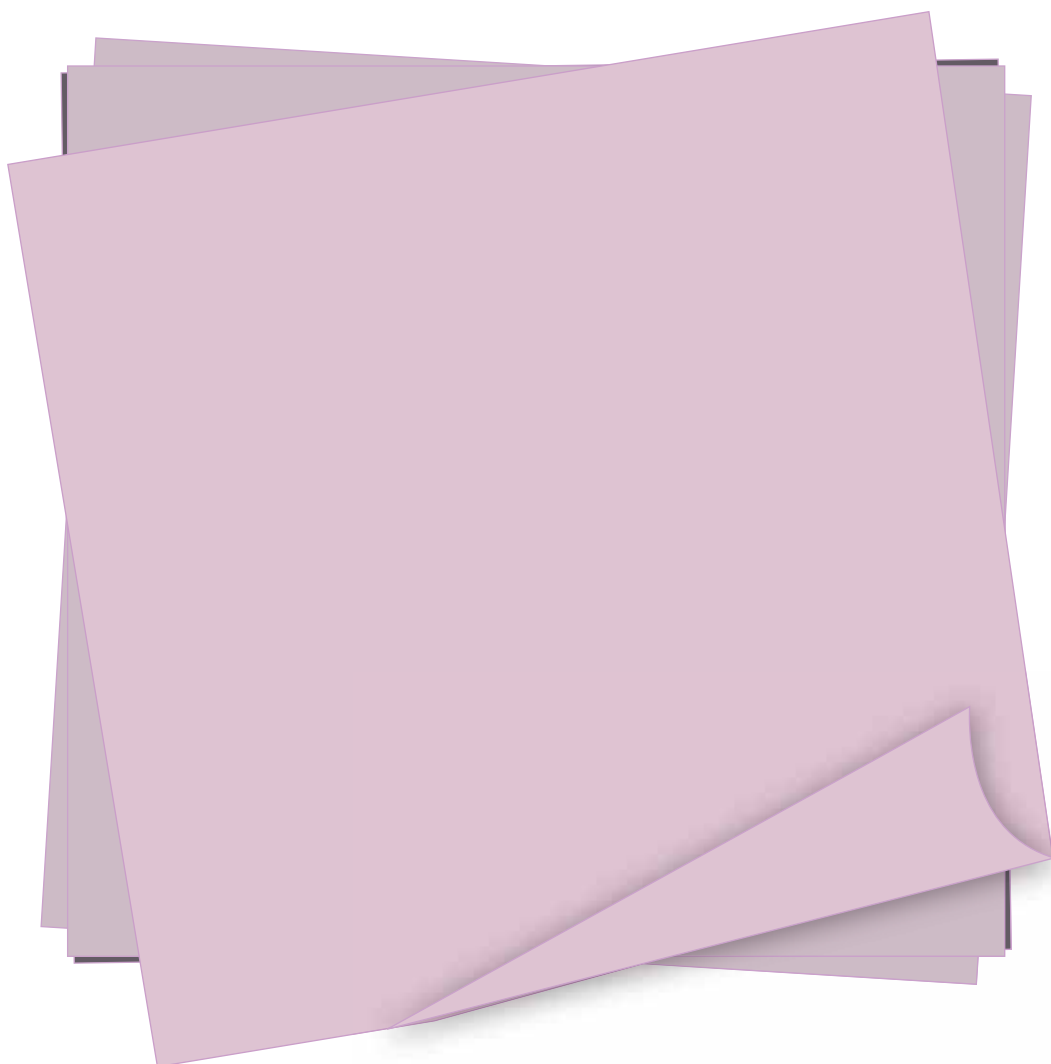
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Task: At a Work Placement



You are on a work placement in Hsinchu City, Taiwan, as a chef's assistant.
You are part of a team. On your first day you are introduced to your supervisor.

- Introduce yourself to your supervisor, explaining that you only speak a little Mandarin.
- Ask at what time is your break and lunch.
If you are unsure of **any** details ask your supervisor to repeat themselves.
- Write down the information you are given on the post-it note on the next page.
- Ask where the staff room is and thank the supervisor for their help.
- Repeat the information you have been given to show that you understand.



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Task: Booking a Hotel



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You are planning a trip to Hainan Island, China. for you and a friend.
You are on the phone with the receptionist of a hotel in Sanya.

- Explain that you want to make a reservation.
- Give details about:
 - The number of nights.
 - The number of people.
 - The dates (from the... to the ...).
- Enquire about the price per night.
- Note down the details of your booking, including the price quoted over the phone.
- Use the post-it note on the next page.



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Task: Booking a Venue for a Meeting



You are on work experience with China National Tourism Administration (CNTA).
You have been asked by your employer to book a venue for the company's team meeting.
You are on the phone, arranging the details of the meeting.

- Introduce yourself.
- Explain why you are phoning (i.e. to arrange meeting).
- Suggest dates / Ask if suitable.
- Note down the details of your conversation: agreed date and time of meeting.
- Use the note pad on the next page.



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Task: At the Zoo



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You are staying in Beijing. You are spending the day with some friends at the zoo.
Go to the information desk and make some enquiries.

- Ask what there is to see / do at the zoo?
- Buy tickets for your favourite event.
- Ask:
 - For a specific number of tickets.
 - How much it is in total.
 - When and where the event is taking place.
- Use the note pad on the next page to record the information you are given.



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Task: At the teahouse



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You are staying in Sichuan, China.

You are about to have lunch in a teahouse with some colleagues.

You need to order drinks **or** snacks for you and your colleagues.

- Ask for the price of each item you order so that everyone can share the bill!
- Note down the price of **each item** ordered.
- Use the note pad on the next page.



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