**05.01 Home Sweet Home**

**Focus Question: What rooms are in my house?**

## 发音威力Fāyīn wēilì PRONUNCIATION POWER

* Verbally practice the following sounds with tones:

fū fú fǔ fù

fēi féi fěi fèi

tiān tián tiǎn tiàn

liān lián liǎn liàn

* Give two pinyin examples with “f” as initial.
* Give two pinyin examples with “ian” as final.

## 漂亮房子Piàoliàng fángzi PRETTY HOUSE

Use the chart below to help you keep track of the vocabulary that you will need for your assessments. Then you may use the square grids below it to practice writing the characters.

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| **Chinese Character** | **Pinyin** | **English** |
| 房子 | fángzi | house |
| 公寓 | gōngyù | apartment |
| 楼 | lóu | floor/story/building |
| 车库 | chēkù | garage |
| 院子 | yuànzi | yard |
| 门廊 | ménláng | porch |
| 阳台 | yángtái | balcony |

**Chinese Character Writing Practice**

(You are expected to practice writing **the characters whose pinyin are in bold type and highlighted in dark red**. Practicing the other characters is optional.)

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| Chinese character for fáng | **Pinyin**  **fáng** |  |  |  |  | Chinese character for yù | **Pinyin**  yù |  |  |  |  |
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| Chinese character for lóu | **Pinyin**  lóu |  |  |  |  | Chinese character for chē | **Pinyin**  chē |  |  |  |  |
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| Chinese character for kù | **Pinyin**  kù |  |  |  |  | Chinese character for yuàn | **Pinyin**  yuàn |  |  |  |  |
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| Chinese character for mén | **Pinyin**  **mén** |  |  |  |  | Chinese character for láng | **Pinyin**  láng |  |  |  |  |
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| Chinese character for yáng | **Pinyin**  **yáng** |  |  |  |  |
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Q: How do you say “second floor” and “small building,” using what you’ve learned in this lesson?

A:

## 各式的家Gèshì de jiā HOMES IN DIFFERENT SHAPES

Q: How many stories does a *tulou* usually have, and how many people can live in it?

A:

Q: Why are Dai bamboo houses on stilts?

A:

Q: In which portions of a Mongolian yurt do seniors and young people of a family dwell ?

A:

Q: How many rooms does a typical *yaodong* have, and how large is each room?

A:

## 我家的房间Wǒjiā de fángjiān ROOMS IN MY HOUSE

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| **Chinese Character** | **Pinyin** | **English** |
| 卧室 | wòshì | bedroom |
| 浴室 | yùshì | bathroom |
| 客厅 | kètīng | living room |
| 厨房 | chúfáng | kitchen |
| 饭厅 | fàntīng | dining room |

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| Chinese character for wò | **Pinyin**  wò |  |  |  |  | Chinese character for shì | **Pinyin**  **shì** |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Chinese character for yù | **Pinyin**  yù |  |  |  |  | Chinese character for chú | **Pinyin**  **chú** |  |  |  |  |
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## 酷风水Kù fēngshuǐ COOL FENG SHUI

Q: What are the five elements in feng shui?

A:

Q: What is the octagon-shaped map used in feng shui called?

A:

Q: Tell two feng shui rules that are applied on the outside of the house.

A:

Q: Tell two feng shui rules that are applied on the inside of the house.

A:

Q: Revisit the “Apply It!” mission in the lesson, shown below.

Examine the location, surrounding, and interior of your home. Does it following any of the rules introduced? Identify at least one feng shui rule that it follows, and one that it doesn’t. For the one that it doesn’t follow, discuss with your parents how it can be improved. Make changes in or around the house with your parents if possible. If not, you can make a sketch of an ideal solution together. That can be used for your future house hunting!

## 门在哪里？Mén zài nǎlǐ? WHERE IS THE DOOR?

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|  |  |  |
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| **Chinese Character** | **Pinyin** | **English** |
| 左边 | zuǒbiān | left side |
| 右边 | yòubiān | right side |
| 门 | mén | door |
| 窗户 | chuānghù | window |

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| Chinese character for zuǒ | **Pinyin**  zuǒ |  |  |  |  | Chinese character for biān | **Pinyin**  **biān** |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Chinese character for yòu | **Pinyin**  yòu |  |  |  |  | Chinese character for chuāng | **Pinyin**  **chuāng** |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Chinese character for hù | **Pinyin**  hù |  |  |  |  |
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Q: In the words *左边zuǒbiān* (left side) and *右边yòubiān* (right side), what does the character *边biān* mean?

A:

## 描述我的家Miáoshù wǒde jiā DESCRIBING MY HOUSE

Q: Rearrange the following words into sentences in Chinese to match the English meaning below, by drawing lines between each word and the appropriate blank in the sentence.

浴室 有 公寓 你家 几个 的

\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_?

How many bathrooms does your family’s apartment have?

的 左边 厨房 在 门

\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_。

The kitchen door is on the left side.