

# CHIN-201

## Review

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# Review: Introduce your friend

1. Name, age, nationality, profession (student)
2. College, major/minor, level/grade
3. Live in? Family? Relatives?
4. Like to eat? Restaurant?
5. Like to do? Travel? Sports?
6. Favorite season? Festivals?
7. Does he know how to drive?
8. How do you know each other? High school classmate?
9. Why are you two good friends?

# Review: Exercises/ Sports

1. Do you like to exercise?
2. How many times a week do you exercise?
3. How long do you exercise?
4. When do you exercise? (time/ weather/ season)
5. Where do you exercise? With whom?
6. Why do you exercise?
7. Do you join any team in elementary/ middle/ high school or college?
8. How do you feel after exercising?
9. Do you like to watch sport competition?

# Presentation

1. How is the weather recently? (cold/ hot/ rain/ snow/ cloudy/ sunny)
2. Do you like it or not?
3. Do you like to stay at home or go out when the weather is good?
4. What is your favorite weather condition? Why?
5. Describe four seasons in NY.
6. Does it snow every winter in NY?
7. Compare the weather in NY and another city.
  - You must use 因為...所以...；雖然...可是...；不但...而且...。
  - You must use comparison structures: 比較；比
  - You must use modifiers: 非常；不得了
8. What is your favorite season? Why?

# 比較開車跟坐地鐵

Your friend is considering driving from Hunter College to Chinatown. Give him your opinion about whether he should drive or take the subway.

- Use 比 in 5 sentences. Ex. 雖然坐地鐵比開車快, 可是開車比坐地鐵方便。
- Use adjectives in 5 sentences (方便、便宜、舒服、安全、快)
- Then use 因為...所以...; 雖然...可是...; 不但...而且...; to connect your sentences.
- Other points, such as finding a parking space, etc.
- Closure: 我覺得你最好坐地鐵. (最好: you'd better)

# 解jiě決jué問wèn題tí

Solve a problem !

- You borrowed your friend's car.
  - The back window is broken (back window: hòu chē chuāng; broken: pò liǎo)
  - You make a phone call to tell your friend about this and figure out how to fix the back window.
1. Make a phone call
  2. Identify the caller
  3. Greet your friend on the phone
  4. Describe the problem
  5. Apologize
  6. Offer to fix the car and the estimate cost is XXX, but you are \$50 short.
  7. Ask if your friend can pay \$50
  8. Closure

# Role Play:

## Looking for an apartment in Chinatown, NY

- You are looking for an apartment in Chinatown, NY, but you only studied Mandarin for one year, so you are trying to ask people questions in Mandarin to find the best place for yourself.
- You come to Chinatown, and you are talking to several Chinese landlords by asking some questions:
- 你的房子離圖書館近不近？
- 你的房子離地鐵站遠不遠？
- 你的房子離超市近不近？
- 房租貴不貴？一個月多少錢？
- After you have asked several people, you found a place for yourself.