

# FAMILY & RELATIVES

## Conversation Cheat Sheet



### FAMILY RELATIONS

What kind of person  
is your ~?  
~shì shénmeyàng de rén?  
~是什么样的人?

  
**grandmother**  
nǎinai; wàipó  
奶奶; 外婆

  
**grandfather**  
yéye; wàigōng  
爷爷; 外公

  
**uncle**  
shūshu, bófu,  
jiùjiu  
叔叔, 伯父,  
舅舅

  
**cousin**  
tángxiōngdì,  
biǎoxiōngdì  
堂兄弟, 表兄弟

  
**aunt**  
shēnshen,  
bómǔ, jiùmā  
婶婶, 伯母, 舅妈

  
**I**  
wǒ  
我


  
**father**  
fùqīn  
父亲

  
**mother**  
mǔqīn  
母亲

  
**younger sister**  
mèimei  
妹妹

  
**older sister**  
jiějie  
姐姐

  
**older brother**  
gēge  
哥哥

  
**younger brother**  
dìdi  
弟弟

### How's your mother?

☹ Nǐ mǔqīn hái hǎo ma?  
你母亲还好吗?

### My mother is well.

😊 Wǒ mǔqīn hěn hǎo.  
我母亲很好。

### FAMILY RELATIONS

  
**husband**  
zhàngfu  
丈夫

  
**wife**  
qīzi  
妻子

  
**son**  
érzi  
儿子

  
**daughter**  
nǚér  
女儿

Forward my greetings  
to your ~.  
Dài Wǒ xiàng nǐ~wènhǎo.  
代我向~问好。

### PETS

I have a ~.  
Wǒ yǒu yí ge~.  
我有一个~。

**dog**  
gǒu  
狗

**cat**  
māo  
猫

**bird**  
niǎo  
鸟

**fish**  
yú  
鱼

**bunny**  
tùzi  
兔子

**snake**  
shé  
蛇

## FIRST MEETING

### Nice to meet you.

Hěn gāoxìng rènshi nǐ.  
很高兴认识你。

### Where are you from?

Nǐ shì nǎlǐ rén?  
你是哪里人?

### Can I sit here?

Wǒ kěyǐ zuò zhèlǐ ma?  
我可以坐这里吗?

### What's your name?

Nǐ jiào shénme míngzì?  
你叫什么名字?

### I'm from Beijing.

Wǒ shì Běijīng rén.  
我是北京人。

### What is this?

Zhè shì shénme?  
这是什么?

### How are you?

Nǐ hái hǎo ma?  
你还好吗?

### This is for you.

Zhè shì gěi nǐ de.  
这是给你的。

### How long will you stay?

Nǐ huì dāi duōjiǔ?  
你会呆多久?

### I've heard a lot about you.

Jiǔyǎng jiǔyǎng.  
久仰久仰。

### How many people are there in your family?

Nǐ jiā yǒu jǐ gè rén?  
你家有几个人?

### It was nice to meet you.

Rènshi nǐ hěn gāoxìng.  
认识你很高兴。

## HOLIDAYS AND OBSERVANCES

### What do you do on ~?

Zài ~nǐ huì zuò shénme?  
在~你会做什么?

### When is ~?

~shì shénme shíhòu?  
~是什么时候?

### Please tell me more about ~.

qǐng gēn wǒ jiǎngjiǎng~.  
请跟我讲讲~。



### Spring Festival

nónglì xīnnián  
农历新年



### Tomb Sweeping Day

Qīngmíng jié  
清明节



### Dragon Boat Festival

Duānwǔ jié  
端午节



### Double Seventh Festival

qīxī  
七夕



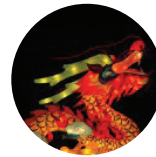
### National Day

guóqīng jié  
国庆节



### Ghost festival

zhōng yuán jié  
中元节



### Mid-Autumn Festival

Zhōngqiūjié  
中秋节



### Double Ninth Festival

chóng yáng jié  
重阳节

## CELEBRATIONS

### Happy birthday!

Shēngrì kuàilè!  
生日快乐!

### April Fools' joke!

Yú rén jié wánxiào!  
愚人节玩笑!

### Merry Christmas!

Shèngdàn kuàilè!  
圣诞快乐!

### Congratulations!

Gōngxǐ!  
恭喜!

### Happy Halloween!

Wànshèngjié kuàilè!  
万圣节快乐!

### Happy New Year!

Xīnnián kuàilè!  
新年快乐!