

# Lesson 1 Greetings - Nǐ hǎo

kè chéng yù lǎn 课程预览 Class preview

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3. Third tones sandhi (三声变调)
4. Grammar (语法)
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# cí huì 词汇 Vocabulary

nǐ 你 you

hǎo 好 good

# Greetings

nǐ hǎo  
你好！

You good!  
(Hello!)



# duì huà 对话 Dialogue 1

nǐ hǎo  
你好!

nǐ hǎo  
你好!



# sān shēng biàn diào 三声变调 Third tones sandhi

nǐ + hǎo → ní hǎo

↓ + ↓ → / + ↓

当一个词或短语由两个三声声调的字组成时，第一个字的声调变为二声。

When a word or phrase consists of two third-tone characters, the tone of the first character changes to second tone.

# cí huì 词汇 Vocabulary

ma 吗

Question particle, for yes or no questions.

# Greetings

nǐ hǎo ma

你好吗？

You good ?

(How are you?)



# cí huì 词汇 Vocabulary

hěnn 很 very



# Greetings

hěnn hǎo

很好

Very good!



sān shēng biàn diào 三声变调 Third tones sandhi

很好

hě<sup>ˇ</sup>n + hǎ<sup>ˇ</sup>o → hén<sup>ˊ</sup> hǎ<sup>ˇ</sup>o

# duì huà 对话 Dialogue 2

nǐ hǎo ma 你好吗？

You good?

hěnn hǎo 很好。

Very Good.



# cí huì 词汇 Vocabulary

ne 呢

How about? (Question particle)

# Greetings

nǐ ne

你呢？

You How about?  
(How about you?)

# cí huì 词汇 Vocabulary

yě 也 also

# Greetings

wǒ yě hěn hǎo

我也很好

I am also very good.

# duì huà 对话 Dialogue 3

A: nǐ hǎo ma 你好吗? You good? (how are you?)

B: wǒ hěn hǎo. nǐ ne  
我很好。你呢?  
I am very good. How about you?

A: wǒ yě hěn hǎo  
我也很好  
I am also very good.





## cí huì 词汇 Vocabulary

nǐ 你 you

hěnn 很 very

wǒ 我 I, me

hǎo 好 good

yě 也 also

# cí huì 词汇 Vocabulary

ne 呢

How about? (Question particle).

It's usually used at the end of a short phrase or word.

ma 吗

Question particle, It could be used at the end of a sentence, phrase or word.

# yǔ fǎ 语法 Grammar

zhǔ yǔ 主语 Subject

wèi yǔ 谓语 Predicate

nǐ 你 You

hǎo 好 good

wǒ 我 I

hěn hǎo 很好 very good

(Someone)

yě hěn hǎo 也很好  
also very good

# Learning Plans for Beginners

You will learn Pinyin in the first half of the class and conversations in the second half of the class.

Within 12 hours, you should complete all the Pinyin materials, and you will be able to hear, pronounce and distinguish all the sounds and tones in Mandarin, while you will start having basic conversations.



The **KellynKai Flashcard Mobile App** serves as a supplement to the online classes. New vocabulary and sentences that you learn in class are automatically added to your Flashcard account.

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# How to schedule lessons

Login to your account at <https://www.kellynkai.com/>

- click "Tutors" (on the left)
- click "View availability" of a certain tutor
- click on a time in any green area to book lessons
- or
- click "Schedule" (on the left)
- click on a time in any green area to book lessons

It's the same credentials for the Classroom, your account, and the Flashcard Mobile App.



**Our Student Support will be in touch to answer all your questions.**

Note: Skip this page if the student is a child.

# Do you want to type Chinese?

Note: Typing is optional, especially for students under 11.

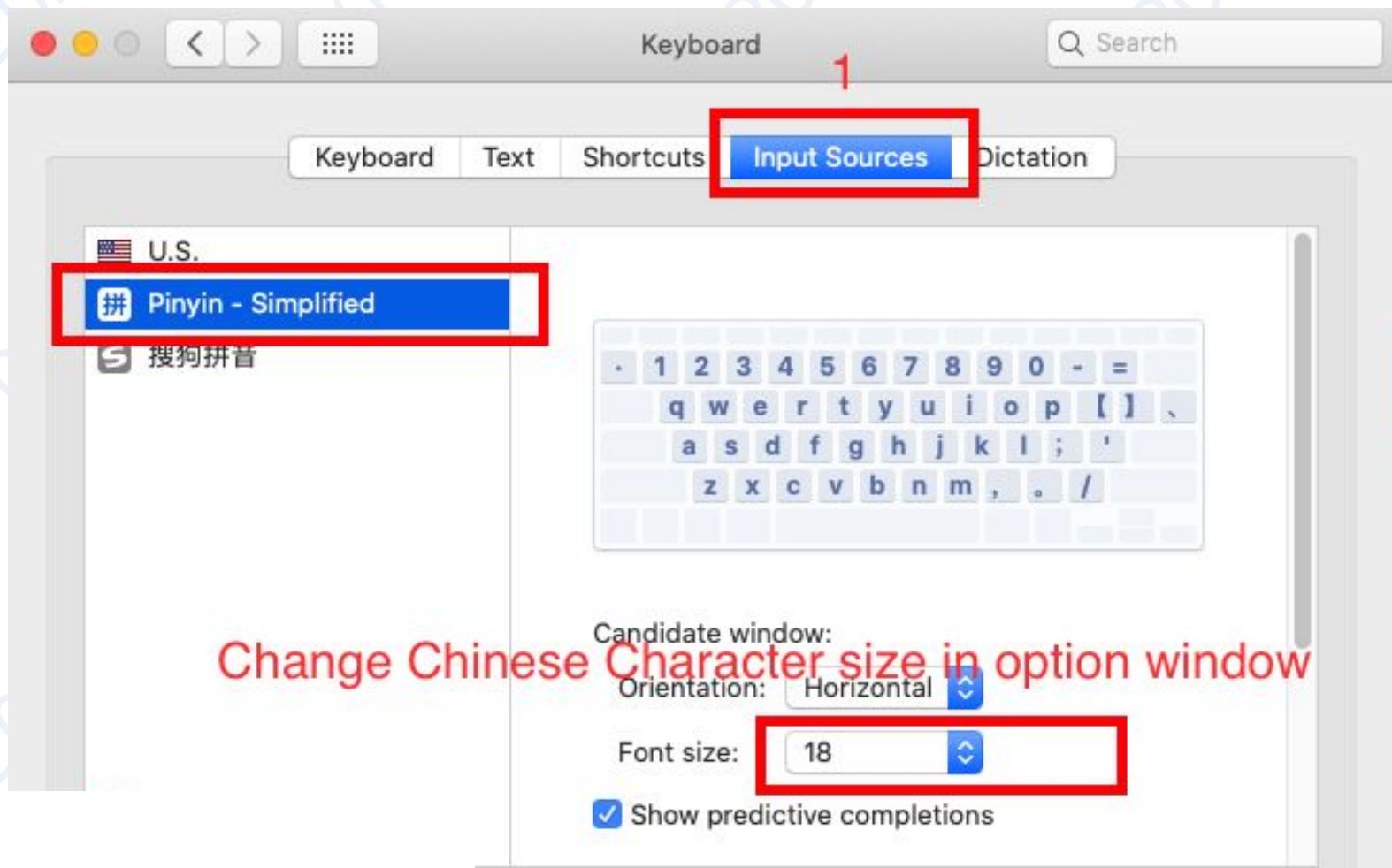
# Setup Chinese input on Mac 3-1

1. Choose Apple menu  > System Preferences, click Keyboard
2. Click Input sources
3. Click  button on the left
4. Select “Chinese, Simplified”, select Pinyin - Simplified



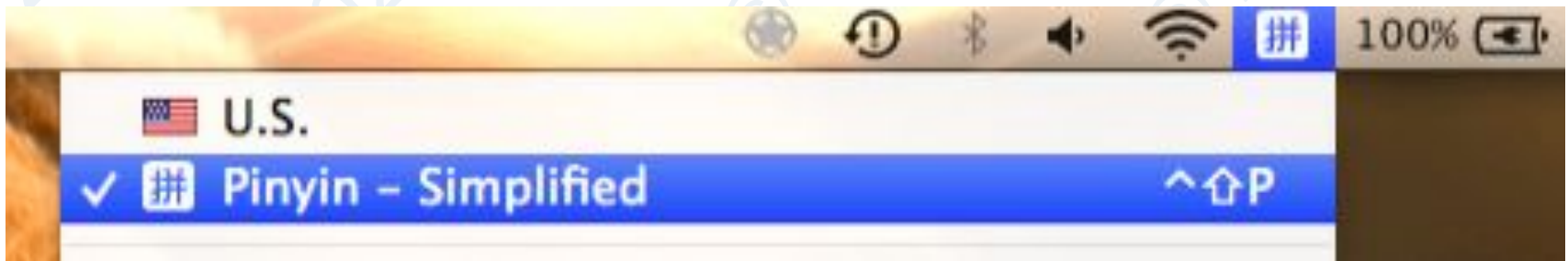
# Setup Chinese input on Mac 3-2

Suggestion: Increase the “Font size” to at least 24



# Setup Chinese input on Mac 3-3

Switch between input sources:

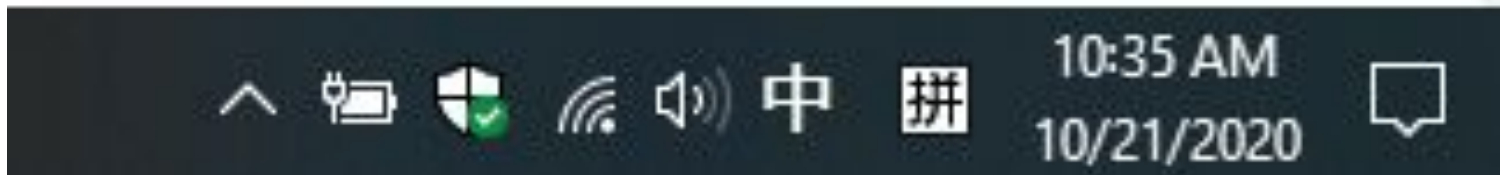


Note: Please see next pages for Windows and other type of devices

# Setup Chinese input on Windows

1. In Cortana search box, search “language”, click “Language settings”
2. Click “Add a Language” > “Chinese Simplified” > Chinese (Simplified, China)

Switch between input sources:



# Setup Chinese input on a Chromebook

1. Click the time, at the bottom right
2. Select Settings
3. Select Advanced > Languages and Inputs, on the left panel
4. Select Inputs > Input Methods
5. Scroll to “Chinese Simplified” and select it. Then press the blue “Add button”
6. Go to “Manage Input Method” and select “Pinyin input method”

Note: Please see the next page for iPad and iPhone

# Setup Chinese input on iPad / iPhone

1. Open Settings > General > Keyboard
2. Click Add New Keyboard > Chinese Simplified Pinyin

Switch between input sources:

Click  button in the bottom of the keyboard

dǎ zì

打字

Type



nǐ hǎo

你好！

You good!  
(Hello)

Please select pinyin input,  
type nihao in the chat box and select 你好。

Good Job!

You just successfully typed Chinese characters!

We teach you to type Chinese characters before you can write the characters, so you can start to text in Chinese or search in Chinese.

However, practicing typing is optional.

# hé xīn jù 核心句 Key sentences

1. nǐ hǎo.

2. nǐ hǎo ma?

3. wǒ hěn hǎo, nǐ ne?

4. wǒ yě hěn hǎo.



谢谢您在可利和凯学习中文！  
期待与您再见！

Thank you for studying Chinese  
with KellynKai!  
See you next time!