

# UNIT 6

## REFERENCE LIST

(in Taipei)

1. A: Qǐngwèn, nǐmen zhèlǐ keyì huàn Měijīn ma?  
B: Duìbuqǐ, bù keyì.  
May I ask, can U.S. currency be changed here?  
I'm sorry, that's not possible.
2. A: Lǚxíng zhīpiào ne?  
B: Yě bù keyì. Nín děi zài Táiwān Yínháng huàn.  
How about traveler's checks?  
That's not possible either. You have to change them at the Bank of Taiwan.
3. A: Yínháng shénme shíhòu kāi mén?  
B: Jiǔdiǎn zhōng kāi mén.  
When does the bank open?  
It opens at nine o'clock.
4. A: Jǐdiǎn zhōng guān mén?  
B: Sāndiǎn zhōng guān mén.  
What time does it close?  
It closes at three o'clock.
5. A: Xiànzài jǐdiǎn zhōng? Hái keyì huàn ba?  
B: Xiànzài liǎngdiǎn bàn. Hái keyì huàn.  
What time is it now? I may still change money, I suppose?  
It's half past two now. You may still change money.
6. A: Wǒ yào huàn yìdiǎn Táibī. Zhè shì yìbǎikuài Měijīnde lǚxíng zhīpiào.  
C: Hǎo. Yíkuài Měijīn huàn sānshíbākuài Táibī.  
I want to change some money into Taiwan currency. Here are one hundred U.S. dollars in traveler's checks.  
Certainly. One U.S. dollar is thirty-eight dollars in Taiwan currency.
7. A: Zhè shì wǔzhāng èrshíkuàide lǚxíng zhīpiào.  
C: Qǐng nín děngyíděng. Wǒ jiù lái.  
Here are five 20-dollar traveler's checks.  
Please wait a moment. I'll be right back.
8. A: Wǒ yào diǎn xiǎo piàozǐ. Zhèzhāng yìbǎikuàide qǐng nǐ gěi wǒ huàn, xíng bù xíng?  
I would like some small bills.  
Please change this 100-dollar bill for me. Would that be all right?

C: Xíng. Gěi nín jiǔzhāng  
shíkuàide, liǎngzhāng  
wǔkuàide.

All right. I'll give you nine tens  
and two fives.

9. A: Máfān nǐ le.

Sorry to have bothered you.

C: Méi shénme.

It's nothing.

ADDITIONAL REQUIRED VOCABULARY  
(not presented on C-1 and P-1 tapes)

10. zǎochen (zǎochén)

early morning

11. zǎoshang (zǎoshāng)

morning

12. shàngwǔ (shàngwù)

forenoon, morning

13. zhōngwǔ (zhōngwù)

noon

14. xiàwǔ (xiàwù)

afternoon

15. wǎnshang (wǎnshàng)

evening

16. yèlǐ

night

17. bànyè

midnight

18. jiàn

to meet

19. māmāhūhū

so-so, fair



## VOCABULARY

bàn	half
bānyè	midnight
děi	must
děng	to wait
děngyiděng	to wait a moment
-diǎn	(counter for hours on the clock)
gěi	for
guān	to close
guān mén	to close (for the business day); to close down, to go out of business
jiàn	to meet
jǐdiǎn zhōng	what hour, what time
jiù	immediately (with reference to time)
kāi	to open
kāi mén	to open (for the business day); to open for business
kéyǐ	may, can, to be permitted
māmahūhū	so-so, fair
méi shénme	it's nothing
mén(r)	door
piàozǐ (yìzhāng)	bills (currency)
shàngwǔ (shàngwǔ)	forenoon, morning
Táibì	Taiwan currency (NT\$)
wǎnshang (wǎnshàng)	evening
xiàwǔ (xiàwǔ)	afternoon
xíng	to be all right
yèlǐ	night
zǎochen (zǎochén)	early morning
zǎoshang (zǎoshàng)	morning
zhōng	o'clock
zhōngwǔ (zhōngwǔ)	noon

(introduced on C-2 and P-2 tapes)

kāishǐ	to start, to begin
yǒude shíhou	sometimes

(introduced in Communication Game)

-táng	(counter for class periods)
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