

# GLOSSARY



1. báizhǎnjī	白斩鸡	N: boiled chicken with mashed ginger and garlic sauce
jī	鸡	N: chicken (M: -zhī 只)
2. biànfàn	便饭	N: a simple meal
3. chuān	穿	V: to wear, to put on (clothes, jackets and shoes); to pierce through
4. dāi	呆	V: to stay
5. gèwèi	各位	PH: all of you (ladies and gentlemen)
6. hǎoxiàng	好象	A: it seems that, a good deal like
xiàng	象	AV/SV: resemble/be alike
7. hóngshāoròu	红烧肉	N: braised pork with brown sauce
a. hóngshāo	红烧	V: to braise with brown sauce
b. ròu	肉	N: meat
8. jiēqià	接洽	V: to contact, to arrange, to take up a matter with
9. jìnxíng	进行	V: to proceed, to engage in, to carry out
10. jú	局	N: bureau, office
11. kēxué	科学	N: science
12. kū	哭	V: to cry, to weep
13. lǎo(shì)	老(是)	A: always
14. pàng	胖	SV: be fat, be plump (Opp. of <u>shòu</u> )
15. qīngdòu chǎoniúròu	青豆炒牛肉	N: beef sautéed with green peas
a. qīngdòu	青豆	N: green pea; green soya bean
b. chǎo	炒	V: to stir fry, to sauté

c. niúròu	牛肉	N: beef
16. qīngzhēngyú	清蒸鱼	N: steamed fish (whole)
a. qīng	清	SV: be clear, be unmixed
b. zhēng	蒸	V: to steam
c. yú	鱼	N: fish
17. qǐngkè	请客	VO: to give a party (Lit. to invite guests)
18. rènwù	任务	N: mission, duty, assignment
19. shāngwù	商务	N: commercial or business affairs
20. shǎngguāng	赏光	SV/VO: thank or ask someone for the pleasure of his/her company
21. shàngyī	上衣	N: jacket
22. shòu	瘦	SV: be thin, be lean (Opp. of <u>pàng</u> )
23. sùshíjīn	素十锦	N: assorted vegetables
a. sù	素	N: vegetable (Opp. of meat)
b. jīn	锦	ADJ: be bright and beautiful
24. suānlàtāng	酸辣汤	N: hot and sour soup
a. suān	酸	SV: be sour
b. là	辣	SV: hot (peppery)
25. tuō	脱	V: to take off (clothes, shoes, and socks)
26. wàiguoren	外国人	N: foreigner
wàiguo	外国	N: foreign country
27. wánr	玩儿	V: to play, to have fun
28. wèn ... hǎo	问...好	IE: to inquire after someone's welfare
29. xiàng	向	CV/BF: towards

30. xiào 笑 V: to smile, to laugh, to laugh at
31. yěbù ... yěbù 也不...也不 A: neither ... nor
32. yíbù 一步 NU/M: one step
33. yitiān dào wǎn 一天到晚 PH: from morning till night, all day long
34. yuǎnkè 远客 N: a guest from afar
35. zhǐhǎo 只好 A: the best thing is to ..., the only thing to do is ...
36. zhǔyàode 主要的 A: essentially, mainly  
zhǔyào 主要 SV: be essential, be main, be principal
37. zǒngcái 总裁 N: chairman (of the board, of a political party)