



HANZI CLOSE-UP FOR INTERMEDIATE SEASON 2 S2 # 1 - IS IT EXPENSIVE TO BUY AN APARTMENT IN CHINA?

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| Hanzi | Pinyin       | Meaning              | 1st Character       | 2nd Character   | 3rd Character | 4th Character |
|-------|--------------|----------------------|---------------------|-----------------|---------------|---------------|
| 闺女    | guīnǚ        | daughter             | 闺·women's apartment | 女·daughter      |               |               |
| 丈母娘   | zhàngmǔniáng | mother-in-law        | 丈·ten feet          | 母·mother        | 娘·mother      |               |
| 利息    | lìxī         | interest             | 利·interest          | 息·rest          |               |               |
| 公积金   | gōngjījīn    | company housing fund | 公·public            | 积·to accumulate | 金·gold        |               |

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|------|---------------|-------------------------------|--------------------|-----------|-----------|-------|
| 首付   | shǒufù        | down<br>payment               | 首·first            | 付·payment |           |       |
| 积蓄   | jīxù          | savings                       | 积·to<br>accumulate | 蓄·savings |           |       |
| 婚房   | hūnfáng       | apartment<br>for<br>newlyweds | 婚·wedding          | 房·house   |           |       |
| 裁人   | cáirén        | downsize                      | 裁·to cut           | 人·people  |           |       |
| 垂头丧气 | chuítóusàngqì | downhearted                   | 垂·to hang          | 头·head    | 丧·to lose | 气·air |
| 新郎官儿 | xīnlángguānr  | groom                         | 新·new              | 郎·man     | 官·officer | 儿·son |

# PRACTICE SHEET

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| 闺 | 闺 | 闺 | 闺 |  |  |  |  | 女 | 女 | 女 | 女 |  |  |  |  |
| 丈 | 丈 | 丈 | 丈 |  |  |  |  | 母 | 母 | 母 | 母 |  |  |  |  |
| 娘 | 娘 | 娘 | 娘 |  |  |  |  | 利 | 利 | 利 | 利 |  |  |  |  |
| 息 | 息 | 息 | 息 |  |  |  |  | 公 | 公 | 公 | 公 |  |  |  |  |
| 积 | 积 | 积 | 积 |  |  |  |  | 金 | 金 | 金 | 金 |  |  |  |  |
| 首 | 首 | 首 | 首 |  |  |  |  | 付 | 付 | 付 | 付 |  |  |  |  |
| 蓄 | 蓄 | 蓄 | 蓄 |  |  |  |  | 婚 | 婚 | 婚 | 婚 |  |  |  |  |
| 房 | 房 | 房 | 房 |  |  |  |  | 裁 | 裁 | 裁 | 裁 |  |  |  |  |
| 人 | 人 | 人 | 人 |  |  |  |  | 垂 | 垂 | 垂 | 垂 |  |  |  |  |

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| 头 | 头 | 头 | 头 |  |  |  |  | 丧 | 丧 | 丧 | 丧 |  |  |  |  |
| 气 | 气 | 气 | 气 |  |  |  |  | 新 | 新 | 新 | 新 |  |  |  |  |
| 郎 | 郎 | 郎 | 郎 |  |  |  |  | 官 | 官 | 官 | 官 |  |  |  |  |
| 儿 | 儿 | 儿 | 儿 |  |  |  |  |   |   |   |   |  |  |  |  |