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Chinese Slanguage: A Fun Visual Guide To Mandarin Terms And Phrases





Synopsis

Itâ ™s simple: follow the illustrated prompts and read the English words out loud, and soon youâ ™ll be speaking Chinese. This handy, easy-to-read language guide is easy to carry and gives the basic phrases you need while traveling, asking directions, or ordering food at a restaurant. It also includes phrases for medical or legal emergencies, as well as terminology for hotels, airports, and so on. But most of all, itâ ™s just plain fun!Mike Ellis is a web designer and runs the popular website www.slanguage.com. He lives with his family in Philadelphia.

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Customer Reviews

Okay, so it was silly of me to bring this as my only translation book through China. It's more of a coffee table book than a functioning book. What I really liked about it was that I easily remembered the words I did learn and pronounced things fairly correct because of the book. The downside was it didn't have many words that would have really come in handy (like train station). If this book was expanded it would have been a great book to have on hand. Oh, and the Chinese people really thought it was funny too. :)

I'm having so much fun with this book. I work in a hospital, and this book has come in handy for simple thing. Now I'm looking forward to the next chapter of learning Chinese Slanguare.

Funny book, albeit maybe not the most accurate. I think the pronunciations for some words are fairly off, but it may be a good tool for giving reference for memorization. Fun to have around!

Bought it as a gift and person who got it had a good laugh and loved it. Came in on mornings with new words.

Nice little help book.

You are going to pick up a FEW key words. not many. I wanted more. I was a little disappointed.

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Tongue in cheek book style. Good key to pronunciation tho. Wish there was more to it.

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