

Lesson 12 数字

数字、密码、距离、数量、速度、价格、奖金、工资、收入、现金、零钱 (11 words)

* The number beside the word is the chapter within which the word is located.

数字 shù zì number 数 number + 字 word

最大的数字、6个数字、数字电视
zuidà de shùzì, 6 gè shùzì, shùzì diànshì
biggest number / 6 numbers / digital television

你最喜欢的数字是什么?
Nǐ zuì xǐhuān de shùzì shì shénme?
What is your favourite number?

密码 mì mǎ password 密 secret + 码 code

银行卡密码、密码太简单、忘了密码
yínháng kǎ mì mǎ, mì mǎ tài jiǎndān, wàng le mì mǎ
bank card password (PIN number) / the password is too simple / forgot the password

你的信用卡密码该换了。
Nǐ de xìnyòng kǎ mì mǎ gāi huàn le.
You should change your credit card password (PIN number).

距离 jù lí distance 距 distance + 离 from

长距离跑步 (长跑)、作者和读者的距离、人和人的距离
cháng jù lí pǎobù (chángpǎo), zuòzhě hé dúzhě de jù lí, rén he rén de jù lí
long-distance race / writer's distance from the readers / people's distance (from each other)

这儿离你们公司也就两三站的距离。
Zhèr lí nǐmen gōngsī yě jiù liǎng sān zhàn de jù lí.
From here your company only two or three stations distant (away).

数量 shù liàng quantity 数 number + 量 measure

人数（人的数量）、顾客₃的数量、文章₁₀的数量越来越多
rénshù (rén de shùliàng), gùkè de shùliàng, wénzhāng de shùliàng yuèlaiyuè duō
number of people / number of customers / the number of essays (articles) increases

这个城市出租车的数量越来越多了。
Zhège chéngshì chūzū chē de shùliàng yuèlaiyuè duō le.
The number of taxis in this city has increased.

速度 sù dù speed 速 speed + 度 degree

网速（互联网₁₀的速度）、高速公路₇、车超速了
wǎng sù (hùliánwǎng de sùdù), gāosù gōnglù, chē chāosù le
internet speed (network speed) / freeway (expressway) / (the) car exceeded the speed limit.

现在火车的速度非常快，有时坐火车比坐飞机花的时间还少。
Xiànzài huǒchē de sùdù fēicháng kuài, yǒushí zuò huǒchē bǐ zuò fēijī huā de shíjiān hái shǎo.
Now the train's speed is very fast; sometimes travelling on trains even takes less time than flying.

价格 jià gé price 价 price + 格 standard

价格太高、价格表₈、家具₄的价格
jiàgé tài gāo, jiàgé biǎo, jiājù de jiàgé
the price is too high / price list / furniture price (price of furniture)

那个饭店离₁₂得远。不过它的菜做得很好吃，而且价格也不贵。
Nàge fàndiàn lí de yuǎn. Búguò tā de cài zuò de hén hǎo chī, érqiě jiàgé yě buguì.
That restaurant is far away, but it's dishes are delicious, what's more the prices are low.

奖金 jiǎng jīn money award; bonus 奖 award + 金 money

比赛的奖金、年终奖、发奖金、奖金是一百万
bǐsài de jiǎngjīn, niánzhōng jiǎng, fā jiǎngjīn, jiǎngjīn shì yì bǎi wàn
match bonus / annual bonus / give a prize (bonus) / (the) prize is 1 million

听说这个月不发奖金了，到年底₂再发。
Tīng shuō zhège yuè bù fā jiǎngjīn le, dào niándǐ zài fā.
I heard that the bonus is not given this month, it will be given at the end of the year instead.

工资 gōng zī salary 工 work + 资 fund

发工资、工资花完了、互联网₁₀公司的工资

fā gōngzī, gōngzī huā wán le, hùliánwǎng gōngsī de gōngzī
give or pay salary / salary is (all) spent / network company's salary

年轻人刚刚开始工作，眼睛里不能只有工资和奖金₁₂。

Niánqīng rén gānggāng kāishǐ gōngzuò, yǎnjīng li bùnéng zhǐyǒu gōngzī hé jiǎngjīn.

When young people start work, they should not just expect salary and a bonus.

(Implication : some jobs without high salary or a bonus are still a good opportunity to get good work experience)

收入 shōu rù income 收 receive + 入 in

工资₁₂收入、高收入的专业₁₁、演出₁₀的收入

gōngzī shōurù, gāo shōurù de zhuānyè, yǎnchū de shōurù
salary income / high income field (profession) / income from performance (presentation)

这个公司的工资₁₂不是很高，但是奖金₁₂很多，所以收入还不错。

Zhège gōngsī de gōngzī búshì hěn gāo, dànshì jiǎngjīn hěnduō, suóyǐ shōurù hái búcuò.

This company's salaries are not very high (good), but bonuses are very good, so (total) income is not too bad.

现金 xiànjīn cash 现 present + 金 money

现金还是刷卡、那位顾客₃没有现金、只收现金

xiànjīn háishì shuākǎ, nà wèi gùkè méiyǒu xiànjīn, zhǐ shōu xiànjīn
pay by cash or swipe the card? / that customer has no money / only accepts cash

请问，现金还是刷卡？

Qǐngwèn, xiànjīn háishì shuākǎ?

Please, do I pay by cash or swipe the card?

零钱 líng qián small change 零 odd + 钱 money

找零钱、换零钱、零钱用完了、盒子₄里有零钱

zhǎo língqián, huàn língqián, língqián yòng wán le, hézi li yǒu língqián
make change for / exchange coins / change is used up / (I) have change in the box

你那儿有零钱吗？我想去买瓶矿泉水₅。

Nǐ nàr yǒu língqián ma? Wǒ xiǎng qù mǎi píng kuàngquán shuǐ.

Do you have change (there)? I want to (go) buy a bottle of mineral water.

千里之行，始于足下。 A thousand mile journey begins with the first step.
-- 老子 *Laozi*
