Old HSK 2 vocabulary (HSK 2.0 level 2): 150 words

Before the 2021 standard, the six-level HSK (HSK 2.0) had 150 new words at level 2 (300 in total up to this level). Many textbooks and courses still use this list. 136 of its words are also in the current HSK 1–4 exam lists. Learn them here in 15 groups of 10, free.

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Current exam: HSK 2

Group 1

吧 **ba** particle for suggestions (let's...)	白 **bái** white	百 **bǎi** hundred	帮助 **bāngzhù** to help
报纸 **bàozhǐ** newspaper	比 **bǐ** to compare	别 **bié** don't	宾馆 **bīnguǎn** hotel
长 **cháng** long	唱歌 **chànggē** to sing		

Group 2

出 **chū** to go out	穿 **chuān** to wear	次 **cì** measure word for times	从 **cóng** from
错 **cuò** wrong	打篮球 **dǎ lánqiú** to play basketball	大家 **dàjiā** everyone	到 **dào** to arrive
得 **de** particle linking a verb to a complement	等 **děng** to wait		

Group 3

弟弟 **dìdi** younger brother	第一 **dìyī** first	懂 **dǒng** to understand	对 **duì** right
房间 **fángjiān** room	非常 **fēicháng** very	服务员 **fúwùyuán** waiter	高 **gāo** high
告诉 **gàosu** to tell	哥哥 **gēge** older brother		

Group 4

给
gěi
to give

公共汽车
gōnggòng qìchē
bus

公司
gōngsī
company

贵
guì
expensive

过
guo
particle for past experience

还
hái
still

孩子
háizi
child

好吃
hǎochī
delicious

黑
hēi
black

红
hóng
red

Group 5

火车站
huǒchēzhàn
train station

机场
jīchǎng
airport

鸡蛋
jīdàn
egg

件
jiàn
measure word for clothes, matters etc.

教室
jiàoshì
classroom

姐姐
jiějie
older sister

介绍
jièshào
to introduce

进
jìn
to enter

近
jìn
near

就
jiù
then

Group 6

觉得 **juéde** to feel	咖啡 **kāfēi** coffee	开始 **kāishǐ** to begin	考试 **kǎoshì** exam
可能 **kěnéng** maybe	可以 **kěyǐ** can	课 **kè** lesson	快 **kuài** fast
快乐 **kuàilè** happy	累 **lèi** tired		

Group 7

离 **lí** away from	两 **liǎng** two	零 **líng** zero	路 **lù** road
旅游 **lǚyóu** to travel	卖 **mài** to sell	慢 **màn** slow	忙 **máng** busy
每 **měi** every	妹妹 **mèimei** younger sister		

Group 8

门 **mén** door	面条 **miàntiáo** noodles	男 **nán** male	您 **nín** you (polite)
牛奶 **niúnǎi** milk	女 **nǚ** female	旁边 **pángbiān** beside	跑步 **pǎobù** to run
便宜 **piányi** cheap	票 **piào** ticket		

Group 9

妻子 **qīzi** wife	起床 **qǐchuáng** to get out of bed	千 **qiān** thousand	铅笔 **qiānbǐ** pencil
晴 **qíng** sunny	去年 **qùnián** last year	让 **ràng** to let	日 **rì** day
上班 **shàngbān** to go to work	身体 **shēntǐ** body		

Group 10

生病 **shēngbìng** to become ill	生日 **shēngrì** birthday	时间 **shíjiān** time	事情 **shìqing** thing
手表 **shǒubiǎo** watch (wristwatch)	手机 **shǒujī** mobile phone	说话 **shuōhuà** to speak	送 **sòng** to give
虽然但是 **suīrán dànshì** although..., but...	它 **tā** it		

Group 11

踢足球 **tī zúqiú** to play soccer	题 **tí** question	跳舞 **tiàowǔ** to dance	外 **wài** outside
完 **wán** to finish	玩 **wán** to play	晚上 **wǎnshang** evening	往 **wǎng** towards
为什么 **wèishénme** why	问 **wèn** to ask		

Group 12

问题 **wèntí** question	西瓜 **xīguā** watermelon	希望 **xīwàng** to hope	洗 **xǐ** to wash
小时 **xiǎoshí** hour	笑 **xiào** to smile	新 **xīn** new	姓 **xìng** surname
休息 **xiūxi** to rest	雪 **xuě** snow		

Group 13

颜色 **yánsè** color	眼睛 **yǎnjing** eye	羊肉 **yángròu** mutton	药 **yào** medicine
要 **yào** to want	也 **yě** also	一起 **yīqǐ** together	一下 **yīxià** a bit (after a verb)
已经 **yǐjīng** already	意思 **yìsi** meaning		

Group 14

因为所以 **yīnwèi suǒyǐ** because..., so...	阴 **yīn** cloudy	游泳 **yóuyǒng** to swim	右边 **yòubian** right side
鱼 **yú** fish	远 **yuǎn** far	运动 **yùndòng** sports	再 **zài** again
早上 **zǎoshang** early morning	丈夫 **zhàngfu** husband		

Group 15

找 **zhǎo** to look for	着 **zhe** ongoing-state particle	真 **zhēn** really	正在 **zhèngzài** in the process of
只 **zhī** measure word for animals	知道 **zhīdào** to know	准备 **zhǔnbèi** to prepare	走 **zǒu** to walk
最 **zuì** most	左边 **zuǒbian** left side		

Old HSK 2 questions