

Lesson 48 Characters 142-144 打 找 或

Review Sheet

Note 1: Read the following material as review for this lesson.

Note 2: Traditional characters are shown in parentheses.

Note 3: Characters that are also components are listed both in the "Basic Components Review" section and again in the "Characters Review" section.

Basic Components Review

Basic	Component Meaning	Characters that Use the Component			
Component		Character	Character Pinyin	Character Meaning	
7	hand	打	dă	to hit/strike/play/call/take	
		找	zhǎo	to look for	

Characters Review

Character	Pinyin	Meaning -	Words / Phrases that Contain this Character			
			Character	Pinyin	Meaning	
才 dǎ		打人	dă rén	hit/strike a person/people		
		to hit/strike/ play/call/take	打球	dă qiú	play ball	
	dă		打车 (打車)	dă chē	take a taxi/ hail a taxi	
			打电话 (打電話)	dă diàn huà	make a phone call	



Character	Pinyin	Meaning	Words / Phrases that Contain this Character			
			Character	Pinyin	Meaning	
找	zhǎo	to look for	找女朋友	zhǎo nǚ péng you	look for a girlfriend	
			找工作	zhǎo gōng zuò	look for a job	
或	huò	or	或者	huò zhě	or (in a statement)	
			今天或者 明天	jīn tiān huò zhě míng tiān	today or tomorrow	

Note: please refer to Chinese learning tips Lesson 8 for more detailed information about the use of "or".

Font Comparison

Here is how the characters look in various commonly used fonts. You will notice some subtle differences. Your computer will probably already contain some of these fonts, so try them out for yourself as you type!

Note: "ti" as in "Kai ti" means "style" or "font." Among these fonts, "Song" is the most commonly used printing font. Almost all Chinese books printed in Mainland China use "Song ti."

Kai ti	Song ti	Hei ti	Handwriting
打	打	打	打
找	找	找	找



Kai ti	Song ti	Hei ti	Handwriting
或	或	或	或

Worksheet

Note: Please feel free to print the next few pages if you want (especially if you're doing the handwriting practice). Otherwise, answer the questions directly in this PDF.

Reading Comprehension

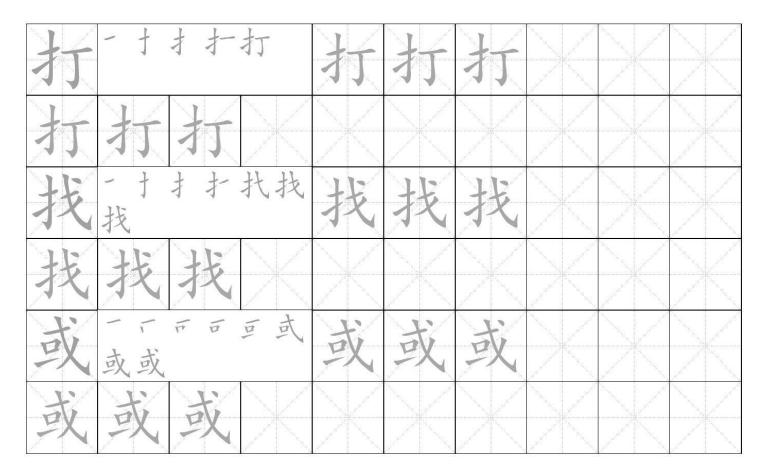
Without looking at the material above, please translate the following phrases and sentences into English. You can type directly onto the PDF file below the Chinese. (You will find the answer key below the "real life reading practice" section.)

- 1. 从这里打车或 zhě 去那边 zuò 地 tiě dōu 可 yǐ。
- 2. 你 zài 这里找什么呢?
- 3. 我今天下午三点 yǐ 后或 zhě 明天上午 shí 间 dōu 可 yǐ。



After you print this page, please follow these steps to learn to handwrite the characters from this lesson.

- 1. Trace the character in the first box following the stroke order demonstrated in the box to the right.
- 2. Repeat the step for the rest of the boxes, tracing over the grey lines when provided.





Real life reading practice

- 1. Look at the picture and circle or write down the character(s) you recognize. You should be able to type the characters you recognize directly onto the pdf file below the image if you prefer not to print.
- 2. Write down the character's pinyin above it.
- 3. Check your answer against the Answer Key on the next page.

Picture 1:



Picture 2:



When You've Finished Reviewing...

Please go back to the webpage for this lesson to DOWNLOAD and take the self-quiz so you can make sure you've really mastered the material from this lesson!



Answer Key for Reading Comprehension

- 1. 从这里打车或 zhě 去那边 zuò 地 tiě dōu 可 yǐ。 You can take a taxi from here or go there and take the subway, both are okay. (Lit. "From here take a taxi or go there take the subway all okay.")
- 2. 你 zài 这里找什么呢? What are you looking for here? (Lit. "You here look for what ne?")
- 3. 我今天下午三点 yǐ 后或 zhě 明天上午 shí 间 dōu 可 yǐ。 After 3:00pm today or tomorrow morning are both okay for me. (Lit. "I today afternoon 3:00 after or tomorrow morning time all okay.")

Answer Key for Real Life Reading Practice

The **RED** character(s) are the ones you should recognize. Picture 1



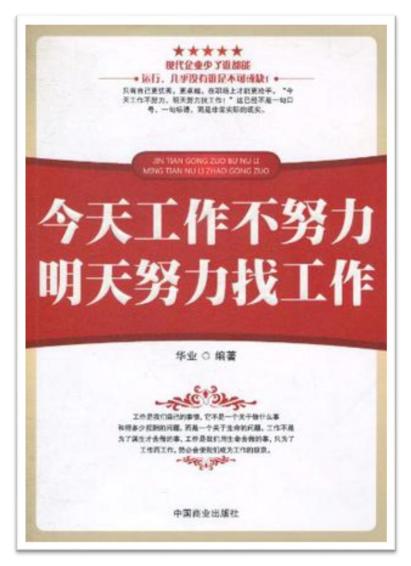
dī dī dǎ chē 滴滴打 车

DiDi Get a Taxi

(Didi Dache is the official English name of this taxi-calling phone app backed by Tencent, one of China's largest Internet firms and the owner of WeChat messaging app.)



Picture 2



jīn tiān gōng zuò bù nǔ lì míng tiān nǔ lì zhǎo gōng zuò 今天 工 作不努力 明 天 努力 找 工 作

Don't work hard today, and tomorrow you'll be looking hard for work (Lit. Today work not diligent, tomorrow diligent look for job.)