

# How to say "Excuse me" in Chinese?

### Dialogues

### Dialogue 1

Qǐng wèn xiàn zài shì jǐ diǎn?

A:请问现在是几点?

Excuse me, do you have the time?

Shí diǎn zhōng

B: 十 点 钟。

Ten o'clock.

Xiè xie

A: 谢 谢。

Thank you.

Bú kè qi

B: 不客气。

You're welcome.

### Dialogue 2

Bù hảo yì si, qǐng wèn cè suǒ zài nǎ lǐ?

A: 不好意思, 请问厕所在哪里?

Excuse me, where is the toilet?



Wăng qián zǒu, yòu zhuǎn.

B: 往前走, 右转。

Walk straight, then turn right.

Xiè xie.

A: 谢 谢。

Thanks.

Bú kè qi.

B: 不客气。

My pleasure.

### Dialogue 3

Bù hảo yì si, jiē ge diàn huà.

不好意思接个电话。

Excuse me, I have to take this call.

### Dialogue 4

Dǎ rǎo yí xià, qǐng wèn nín shì Wáng xiāns heng ma?

A: 打扰一下, 请问您是 王 先 生 吗? Excuse me, are you Mr. Wang?

Shì de, wǒ shì.

B: 是的, 我是。

Yes, I am.



#### Dialogue 5

Bù hảo yì si, shī péi yí xià.

不好意思、失陪一下。

Excuse me, but I must be leaving now.

#### Dialogue 6

Bù hǎo yì si.

不好意思.

Excuse me.

#### Dialogue 7

Shén me? Wǒ gāng cái méi tīng qīng.

A: 什么? 我刚才没听清。 Excuse me? I didn't catch that.

Jì de gěi wǒ dài nà běn shū.

B: 记得给 我 带 那 本 书。 Remember to bring me that book.

Hǎo de.

A: 好 的。

OK.



## Dialogue 8

Nǐ zěn me hái bú zuò fàn?

A: 你怎么还不做饭? Why haven't you cooked yet?

Bài tuō, wǒ gāng dào jiā.

B: 拜托,我刚到家。 Give me a break, I'm just back home.