

## LESSON 3: COUNTING AND STATING AGE

Look at the chart below to begin counting in Chinese from 1-10.

Arabic numerals	Chinese character	Pinyin
1	一	yī
2	二	èr
3	三	sān
4	四	sì
5	五	wǔ
6	六	liù
7	七	qī
8	八	bā
9	九	jiǔ
10	十	shí
0	零 / 〇	líng

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0 líng 零	10 shí 十	20 èr shí 二十
1 yī 一	11 shí yī 十一	30 sān shí 三十
2 èr 二	12 shí èr 十二	40 sì shí 四十
3 sān 三	13 shí sān 十三	50 wǔ shí 五十
4 sì 四	14 shí sì 十四	60 liù shí 六十
5 wǔ 五	15 shí wǔ 十五	70 qī shí 七十
6 liù 六	16 shí liù 十六	80 bā shí 八十
7 qī 七	17 shí qī 十七	90 jiǔ shí 九十
8 bā 八	18 shí bā 十八	100 yī bǎi 一百
9 jiǔ 九	19 shí jiǔ 十九	1,000 yī qiān 一千

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**NOW ITS YOUR TURN : COUNT FROM 20 – 30**

<b><u>NUMERALS</u></b>	<b><u>CHINESE CHARACTER</u></b>	<b><u>PINYIN</u></b>
20		
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**Let's practice !!!****VOCABULARY**

How old are you? 你几岁 nǐ jǐ suì?	I am <u>13</u> years old. 我十三岁 .Wǒ shí sān suì
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**ROLE PLAY**

- zǎoshang hǎo
- (Greet the person as well by stating good morning)
- nǐ hǎo ma.
- (I am fine).
- nǐ jiào shénme míngzi?.
- State your name.
- nǐ jǐ suì?
- (State your age)
- Hěn gāo xìng rèn shi nǐ.
- Hěn gāo xìng rèn shi nǐ.

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