

G-MEO STUDY ABROAD

# LEARN CHINESE IN 15 MINUTES

## SESSION FOUR - SHOPPING IN CHINA

- HOW TO ASK FOR DIRECTION IN CHINESE
- HOW TO PURCHASE TRANSPORTATION TICKETS
- COMMUNICATE WITH LOCAL PEOPLE
- TRAVEL BLOG
- STUDY ABROAD LIFE IN CHINA

你好!  
Nǐ hǎo





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# Chapter Five

## Shopping in China

### Dialogue - 1

JOHN: EXCUSE ME. DO YOU SELL \_\_\_\_\_.

OWNER: YES, PLEASE FOLLOW ME.

JOHN: HOW MUCH IS THIS? DOES IT COME IN DIFFERENT COLORS?

OWNER: WE HAVE BLUE, GREEN, AND RED.

IT IS 450 YUAN EACH. WHICH ONE DO YOU LIKE?

JOHN: I WOULD LIKE TO PURCHASE THE BLUE ONE.

OWNER: NO PROBLEM! HOW WOULD YOU LIKE TO PAY?

JOHN: I WILL PAY CASH.

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# How to Speak in Chinese?

**EXCUSE ME. DO YOU SELL ...?**

不好意思，你们有卖 ... 吗？  
Bù hǎoyìsi, nǐmen yǒu mài ... ma?

**YES, PLEASE FOLLOW ME.**

有的，请跟我来。  
Yǒu de, qǐng gēn wǒ lái.

**HOW MUCH IS THIS? DOES IT COME IN DIFFERENT COLORS?**

请问这个多少钱？它有其他颜色吗？  
Qǐngwèn zhège duōshǎo qián? Tā yǒu qítā yánsè ma?

**WE HAVE BLUE, GREEN, AND RED. IT IS 450 YUAN.**

我们有蓝色，绿色和红色。每个450元。  
Wǒmen yǒu lán sè, lǜsè hé hóngsè. Měi gè 450 yuán.

**WHICH ONE DO YOU LIKE?**

你喜欢哪个？  
Nǐ xǐhuān nǎge?

**I WOULD LIKE TO PURCHASE THE BLUE ONE.**

我想买蓝色的。  
Wǒ xiǎng mǎi lán sè de.

**NO PROBLEM! HOW WOULD YOU LIKE TO PAY?**

没问题！您要如何付款？  
Méi wèntí! Nín yào rúhé fùkuǎn?

**I WILL PAY CASH.**

我付现金。  
Wǒ fù xiànjīn.



# Vocabulary

**SELL**

卖  
Mài

**BUY/PURCHASE**

买  
Mǎi

**FOLLOW ME**

跟我来  
Gēn wǒ lái

**HOW MUCH?**

多少钱  
Duōshǎo qián?

**DIFFERENT**

不同  
Bùtóng

**COLOR**

颜色  
Yánsè

**LIKE**

喜欢  
Xǐhuān

**NO PROBLEM!**

没问题！  
Méi wèntí!

**CASH**

现金  
xiànjīn

**CREDIT CARD**

信用卡  
Xìnyòngkǎ

**PAY**

付(款)  
Fù(kuǎn)

**STORE**

商店  
Shāngdiàn

# Vocabulary

## Color

**RED**

红色

Hóngsè

**ORANGE**

橙色

Chéngsè

**YELLOW**

黄色

Huángsè

**GREEN**

绿色

Lǜsè

**BLUE**

蓝色

Lán sè

**INDIGO**

靛青

Diànqīng

**VIOLET/PURPLE**

紫色

Zǐsè

**WHITE**

白色

Báisè

**BLACK**

黑色

Hēisè

**GRAY**

灰色

Huīsè

**PINK**

粉色

Fěnsè

**BROWN**

棕色/咖啡色

Zōngsè/Kāfēisè

**GOLD**

金色

Jīnsè

**SILVER**

银色

Yínsè

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# Chapter Five

## Shopping in Chengdu

### Dialogue - 2

JOHN: EXCUSE ME! DO YOU HAVE THE TRAIN'S TIMETABLE?

TICKETER: THERE YOU GO.

JOHN: HMM... HOW MUCH IS A TICKET TO (CHENGDU CITY)?

TICKETER: \$10 YUAN.

JOHN: PLEASE GIVE ME A TICKET TO CHENGDU CITY.

TICKETER: NO PROBLEM!

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# How to Speak in Chinese?

**EXCUSE ME! DO YOU HAVE THE TRAIN'S TIMETABLE?**

对不起！您有列车时刻表吗？  
Duìbùqǐ! nín yǒu lièchē shíkèbiǎo ma?

**PLEASE GIVE ME A TICKET TO CHENGDU CITY.**

请给我一张去成都市的车票。  
Qǐng gěi wǒ yī zhāng qù chéngdū shì de chēpiào.

**WHERE DOES THIS TRAIN GO?**

请问这列火车去什么地方？  
qǐngwèn zhè liè huǒchē qù shénme dìfāng.

**DOES THIS TRAIN STOP AT CHENGDU CITY?**

这列火车会停成都市吗？  
Zhè liè huǒchē huì tíng chéngdū shì ma?

**WHEN WILL THIS TRAIN ARRIVE IN CHENGDU CITY?**

这辆火车什么时候到成都市？  
Zhè liàng huǒchē shénme shíhòu dào chéngdū shì?

**EXCUSE ME, WHICH TRAIN GOES TO CHENGDU CITY?**

请问哪列火车是去成都市的？  
Qǐngwèn nǎ liè huǒchē shì qù chéngdū shì de?

**WHEN DOES THE TRAIN LEAVE?**

这列火车什么时候开？  
Zhè liè huǒchē shénmēshíhòu kāi?



# Why Study in China?

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# Vocabulary

## Travel

### MAP

地图  
Dìtú

### PASSPORT

护照  
Hùzhào

### POLICE STATION

警察局  
Jǐngchá jú

### POLICE

警察  
Jǐngchá

### RESTROOM

卫生间  
Wèishēngjiān

### POST OFFICE

邮政局  
Yóuzhèngjú

### POST CARD

明信片  
Míngxìnpìàn

### STAMP

邮票  
Yóupiào

### SCHOOL

学校  
Xuéxiào

### HOSPITAL

医院  
Yīyuàn

### RECHARGE

充值  
Chōngzhí

### AMUSEMENT PARK

游乐园  
Yóu lèyuán



# G-MEO Students' Travel Blog

## EXPECT THE UNEXPECTED: SICHUAN OPERA

---From Christina Batista, Fairleigh Dickinson University (FDU)

In America, I was so sure I was familiar with all opera had to offer. I've seen operas in Italian, in German, in French; before I left the states, I had just seen *Le Nozze de Figaro*, *Gianni Schicchi*, and *Il Tabarro*. I was so certain when going into the Sichuan Opera House that I would see the same, plot-based singing I was so used to, only to be thrown into a 360. The Sichuan Opera is a playground for the mind, a stimulation for all the senses. The sweetness of the tea, the herbal scent lingering in the air, the warmth of the cup in my hands, all leading up to the show before me. Men and women in beautiful clothes and fine silks marched around on the stage as they sang the songs of their people, acrobats tumbling every which way. A woman crafted scenery from the shadows of her hands, telling us a story of Chinese wildlife, people, and greenery from the mere tips of her fingers. A man played the erhu at top speeds and a woman sang so sweetly, leaving stars in the eyes of children and adults alike who watched on. A couple bickered jokingly, all while the husband balanced a candle on his head, making even those who did not understand the language double over in laughter and delight. Men breathed fire and magically changed faces, lighting up the house in oranges and blues, leaving the audience in awe as cheers roared from every direction.

I don't think any foreigner will be prepared for the pure captivation the Sichuan Opera House supplies. I was so sure I knew what to expect, only to be left speechless. One of the beauties of China and studying abroad is that we never know exactly what to expect. Every day is an adventure, and every night is a new opportunity to explore the world around us. To experience and be witness to something so different, so inherently special, left me excited with the prospect that there is so much more to the world than what I know.



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# Student Reviews



**ALEX GULINO**

**American University (AU)**

"My time in Chengdu has been an amazing one. I have done everything from trying spicy Hot-Pot, ate too many dumplings to count and go on countless adventure with all my new Chinese Buddies. I have had an absolute pleasure to come to Chengdu without knowing that much about it, only to be surprised that there is so much to find and do. I have gone all around the city with natives that have given me experiences that I feel are once in a lifetime. I am very grateful that G-MEO has been able to provide me with such a great program that I will surely never forget for the rest of my life."



**VANSHIKA REDDY**

**Rose-Hulman Institute of Technology (RHIT)**

"Chengdu. OMG, I absolutely loved spending my time here. Before coming to China I was warned by so many people, they told me I wouldn't be able to enjoy the food, it's dangerous and other stuff like that but after experiencing China I can say that it is amazing, safe, friendly and the food, I can go on about it. I have made some amazing friends and had some of the most memorable moments here. The locals encouraged me when I tried speaking Chinese and would just laugh in a very friendly manner to make me feel comfortable. For commencement all of the students who were taking a Chinese class had to perform or do something and guess what I took the basic Chinese class. We had to talk about us using the Chinese we learnt but standing on stage and speaking was the most nervous and confident I have ever been. It's only been four weeks and the amount I have learnt and grown cannot be measured. Even if I had the chance to change my decision of going to China I wouldn't have changed it. 我爱成都! "



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