

Cantonese II

Lesson 1

Food order

Types of Cantonese restaurants:

酒樓zau 2 lau4/茶樓caa4 lau4/海鮮酒家 hoi2 sin1 zau2 gaa1 -點心dim2 sam1, 小菜 siu2 coi3
“alcohol building” “tea building” “seafood restaurant”

燒味 siu1 mei6*2, roasted meat

茶餐廳 caa4 caan1 teng1 “diner”

潮州打冷 ciu4 zau1 daa2 laang5*1 “Chiu-Chow style meal”

大排檔 daai6 paai4 dong3, street food stall

打邊爐 daa2 bin1 lou4, hotpot

街邊小食 gaai1 bin1 siu2 sik6 (street food snack), 掃街 sou3 gaai1 “sweep the street”

雲吞麵 wan4 tan1 min6 (wonton noodle)

麵包鋪 min6 baau1 pou3*2 (bread shop, bakery)

糖水鋪 tong4 seo1 pou3*2 (甜品店 tim4 ban2 dim3) (dessert bistro)

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雲吞麵



麵包鋪



糖水鋪



Lesson 11 Ordering food

Learning Objectives

1. To give an explanation of something using “zīk hāi” 即係 (actually mean)
2. To state what one wants when ordering food or buying things using the verb “jiū” 要 (want)
3. To use an adjective to modify a noun
4. To express the total amount using “jāt gūng” 一個 (one piece)
5. To give choices to the addressee using “dīng hāi” in a question
6. To know topicalization in Cantonese 定係 (or)
7. To make a polite request with “céng” 請 (please)



Dialogue

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Zing-Zing orders the food for Amy and pays at the cashier.

Zing-Zing: *Amy, něi jám māt jě åaa?*

Amy, 你 飲 乜 嘢 呀?

(Amy, what would you like to drink?)

Amy: *ngǒ sóeng jám gāa fē. ngǒ dōu sóeng jám nǎai càa.*
我 想 飲 咖 啡。我 都 想 飲 奶 茶。
(I would like to drink coffee. I also would like to drink milk tea.)

Zing-Zing: *gám, sì hǎa jīn jōeng lāa.*
嘅，試吓鴛鴦啦！
(Well, why don't you try "yuanyang")

jīn jōeng zīk hāi gāa fē gāa nǎai càa.
鴛鴦 即係咖啡加奶茶。
("yuanyang" actually means to add milk tea and coffee together.)

Amy: *hóu åak. ngǒ zūng jí sì hǎa sān jě gé.*
好 呢。我 中 意試吓 新 嘢 嘅。
(Okay! I'd like to try new things.)

Zing-Zing: *mì gōi, lǒeng būi jīn jōeng.*
唔 該，兩 杯 鴛 鴦。
(Excuse me, two cups of "yuanyang", please.)

ngǒ jiù jāt gó fó téoi dáan sāam mān zī,
我 要 一 個 火 腿 蛋 三 文 治，
(I'd like a ham and egg sandwich,

kěoi jiù jāt gó dāan tāat tùng jāt gó bō lò bāau.
佢 要 一 個 蛋 捷 同 一 個 菠 蘿 包。
and she'd like an egg custard tart and a pineapple bun.)

Cashier:

dō zě. jāt gūng sěi sāp mān.

多 謝。一 共 四 十 蚊。

(Thank you. Altogether that's \$40.)

hái dōu sīk dīng hāi nīng záu åaa?
喺 度 食 定 係 拎 走 呀？
(Eat in or take away?)

Zing-Zing:

hái dōu sīk, mì gōi.
喺 度 食，唔 該。
(Eat in, please.)

Cashier:

jīn jōeng jiù jīt dīng dùng gāa?
鴛 鴦 要 热 定凍 嘍？
(Would you like the "yuanyang" hot or cold?)

Zing-Zing:

lǒeng būi dōu jiù jīt gé.
兩 杯 都 要 热 嘅。
(Both of them hot, please.)

Cashier:

céng dáng jāt zān lāa!
請 等 一 陣 啦！
(Please wait for a moment!)

Vocabulary

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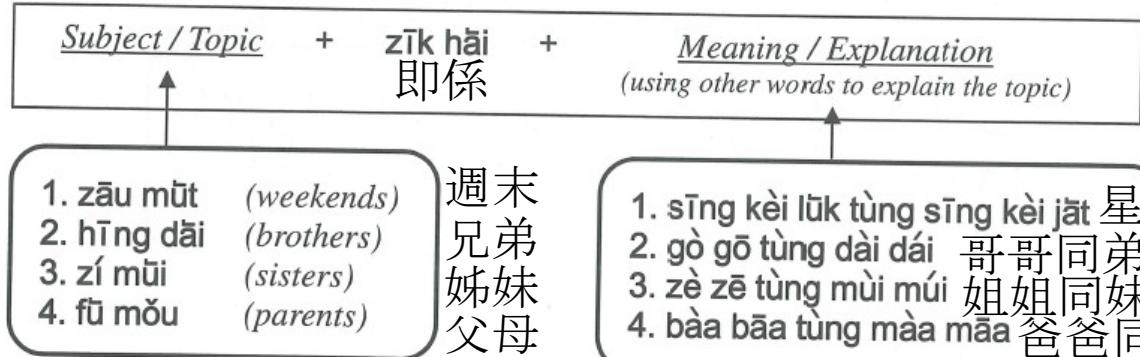
1.	jám 飲 (+ Object)	V:	to drink
2.	gåa fē 咖啡 (M: būi 杯)	N:	coffee
3.	nǎai càa 奶茶 (M: būi 杯)	N:	milk tea
4.	jīn jōeng 鴛鴦 (M: būi 杯)	N:	(in L.11) yuanyang ^① [a mixture of HK style milk tea and coffee]
5.	zīk hāi 即係	V:	be; namely; it means...; that is...
6.	gāa 加	V:	to add
7.	sān jě 新嘢	Ph:	new stuff; new things
8.	būi 杯 (M: gó 個/zék 隻)	N/M:	glass, cup, mug; a cup of [a measure of the quantity of something that a cup will hold]
9.	fó téoi 火腿 (M: pín 片)	N:	ham
10.	dáan 蛋 (M: zék 隻/gó 個)	N:	egg (also “gāi dáan” 雞蛋)
11.	sāam mān zī 三文治 (M: fān 份/gó 個)	N:	sandwiches
12.	jāt gūng 一共 (+ Quantity)	Adv:	total, altogether (also “hām bāang lāang” 凸唪呤)

13.	hái dōu sīk 嘴度食	Ph:	eat here
14.	dīng hāi 定係	Conj:	or [only used in a question indicating options] (also “dīng” 定)
15.	nīng záu 拎走	V:	take away; “to go” (also “níkzáu” 澄走)
16.	jīt 热	Adj:	hot (in temperature)
17.	dùng凍	Adj:	cold; iced
18.	céng 請 (céng + Verb)	V:	please (+ verb) [used to show politeness in requests or commands to mean ‘be obliging enough (to)’]
19.	dáng 等	V:	to wait
20.	jāt zān 一陣	N:	a little while

Sentence Structure

1. To give an explanation of something using “zīk hāi”

e.g. jīn jōeng zīk hāi gāa fē gāa nǎai càa. 鴛鴦即係咖啡加奶茶
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Your example(s):

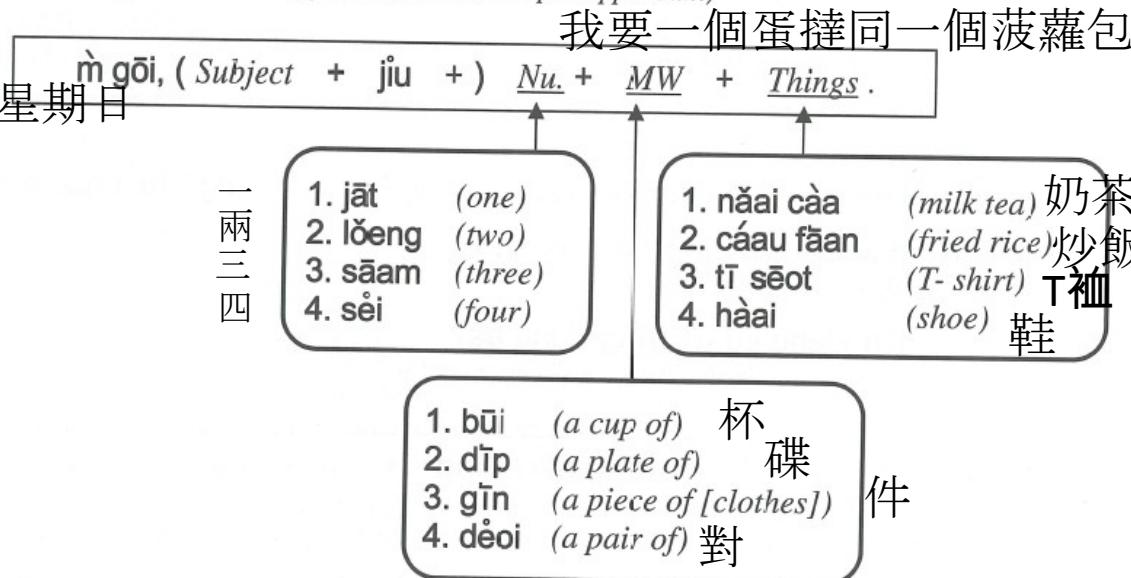
_____ zīk hāi _____.

2. To state what one wants when ordering food or buying things

e.g. 1. m̄ gōi, lōeng būi jīn jōeng. 唔該兩杯鴛鴦
(Excuse me, two cups of "yuanyang", please.)

e.g. 2. ngō jiū jāt gō fó téoi dáan sāam mān zī. 我要一個火腿蛋三文治
(I'd like a ham and egg sandwich.)

e.g. 3. kēoi jiū jāt gō dāan tāat tūng jāt gō bō lō bāau. 我要一個蛋撻同一個菠蘿包
(She'd like an egg custard tart and a pineapple bun.)



Your example(s):

m̄ gōi, ngō jiū _____.

唔該,我要

3. To use an adjective to modify a noun

e.g. **ngǒ zūng jí sǐ hǎa sān jě gē.** 我鍾意試下新嘢嘅
(I like to try new things.)



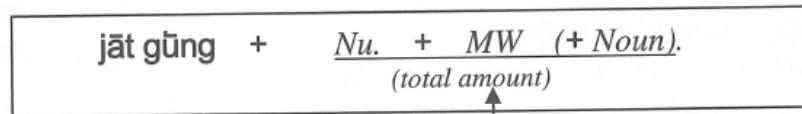
Your example(s):

ngǒ zūng jí _____ (ge) _____ .

我鍾意 嘅

4. To express the total amount using “jāt gūng”

e.g. **jāt gūng sēi sāp mān.**
(Altogether that's \$40.)



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|-------------------------------------|--------------------|
| 1. jī bāak lük sāp mān | (\$260) |
| 2. gáu cīn gáu bāak gáu sāp gáu mān | (\$9,999) |
| 3. sāp lük gó jàn | (16 persons) |
| 4. ng'būi gǎa fē | (5 cups of coffee) |

Conversation Practice

Waiter/Waitress: 你想食乜嘢?
(what do you want to eat?)

nei5 soeng5 sik6 mat1 je5?

Client: 我要一個 XX 同 YY。
(I want one piece of XX and YY.)

ngo5 jiu3 jat1 go3 XX tung4 YY.

Waiter/Waitress: 你想飲乜嘢?
(What do you want to drink?)

nei5 soeng5 jam2 mat1 je5?

Client: 我要一杯 ZZ。
(I want one cup of ZZ)

ngo5 jiu3 jat1 bui1 ZZ.

Waiter/Waitress: 要凍定係熱?
(Want cold or hot?)

jiu3 dung3 ding6 hai6 jit6?

Client: 要凍嘅。
(want cold's)

jiu3 dung3 ge3

Waiter/Waitress: 想要多糖定少糖?
(want more sugar or less sugar?)

soeng5 jiu3 do1 tong4 ding6 siu2 tong4?

Client: 少糖,唔該。
(less sugar please)

siu2 tong4, m4 goi1

Waiter/Waitress: 請等一等。
(please wait one wait)

ceng2 dang2 jat1 dang2

FYI — 1. Drinks in HK style cafe

Q: céng mān (něi) jám māt jě åå?

A: m̄ gōi, ngō jiū _____.

1.	nǎai càa 奶茶	milk tea
2.	gǎa fē 咖啡	coffee
3.	zāai fē 齋啡	black coffee
4.	jīn jōeng 鴛鴦	yuanyuang (<i>a mixture of HK style milk tea and coffee</i>)
5.	nìng mūng càa 檸檬茶	lemon tea (also “nìng càa 檸茶”)
6.	nìng mūng séoi 檸檬水	lemonade (also “nìng séoi 檸水”)
7.	héi séoi 汽水	soft drinks
8.	hó lōk 可樂	coke
9.	Cāt Héi 七喜	Seven-up

10.	Sýut Bīk 雪碧	Sprite
11.	níng lōk 檸樂	coke with lemon
12.	níng cāt 檸七	Seven-up with lemon
13.	níng māt 檸蜜	honey lemonade
14.	cáang zāp 橙汁	orange juice
15.	sīn nǎai 鮮奶	fresh milk
16.	ngàu nǎai 牛奶	milk
17.	hāng jàn sōeng 杏仁霜	almond drink
18.	zūy gū līk 朱古力	chocolate drink
19.	Hóu Lāap Hāk 好立克	Horlicks
20.	Ō Wàa Tìn 阿華田	Ovaltine
21.	Lēi Bān Nāap 利賓納	Ribena
22.	bē záu 啤酒	beer
23.	kwöng cyun séoi 磺泉水	mineral water

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蛋 (egg) daang2

多士 (toast) do1 si2

通粉 (macaroni) tung1 fan2

啫喱 (jelly) ze1 lei2

叉燒 (barbecued pork) caa1 siu1

火腿 (ham) fo2 teoi2

文治 (sandwich) man4 zi6

凍 (cold) dung3

熱 (hot) jit6

檸檬茶 (lemon tea) ning4 mung1 caa4

咖啡 (coffee) gaa3 fe1

多糖 (more sugar) do1 tong4

少糖 (less sugar) siu2 tong4