

100 ESSENTIAL CANTONESE PHRASES SHEET

	English	Cantonese characters	Jyutping
1	Hello/Hi	你好	Nei5-hou2
2	Good morning	早晨	Zou2-san4
3	How are you?	你好嗎?	Nei5 hou2 maa3?
4	I'm doing well	我好好	Ngo5 hou2 hou2
5	What is your name?	你叫咩名呀?	Nei5 giu3 me1 meng2 aa3?
6	My name is Lily	我叫Lily	Ngo5 giu3 Lily
7	Please; excuse me	唔該	M4-goi1
8	Thank you	多謝	Do1-ze6
9	You're welcome	唔使客氣	M4 sai2 haak3-hei3
10	I'm sorry	唔好意思	M4 hou2 ji3-si1
11	and	同	Tung4
12	Yes	係	Hai6
13	No	唔係	M4 hai6
14	Maybe	有可能	Jau5 ho2-nang4
15	No problem	冇問題	Mou5 man6 tai4
16	This is pretty	呢個好靚	Ni1-go3 hou2 leng3
17	I am cold	我好凍	Ngo5 hou2 dung3
18	It is hot	好熱	Hou2 jit6
19	This is spicy	呢個好辣	Ni1-go3 hou2 laat6
20	Really?	真嘅?	Zan1 ge2?
21	What's up?	咩事呀?	Me1 si6 aa3?
22	I know.	我唔知	Ngo5 m4 zi1
23	I don't know.	我唔知	Ngo m4 zi1
24	I understand	我明	Ngo5 ming4
25	No, I don't understand	我唔明	ngo5 m4 ming4
26	Do you know?	你知唔知?	Nei5 zi1 m4 zi1?
27	What do you think?	你覺得點?	Nei5 gok3-dak1 dim2?

28	No way!	唔會啱？	M4 wui5 gwaa3?
29	Me too	我都係	Ngo5 dou1 hai6
30	How?	點樣？	Dim5-joeng2?
31	Where?	邊度？	Bin1-dou6?
32	What?	咩？	Me1?
33	When?	幾時？	Gei2-si4?
34	Who?	邊個？	Bin1-go3?
35	Why?	點解？	dim2-gaa12?
36	Right side	右邊	Jau6 bin1
37	Left side	左邊	Zo2 bin1
38	Fast	快	Faa13
39	Slow	慢	Maan6
40	Wait.	等等	Dang2 dang2
41	I am late	我遲到。	Ngo5 ci4-dou3
42	I am happy	我好開心	Ngo5 hou2 hoi1 sam1
43	I am upset	我唔開心	Ngo5 m4 hoi-sam1
44	I am nervous	我好緊張	Ngo5 hou2 gan2-zoeng1
45	What are you doing?	你做緊咩？	Nei5 zou6 gan2 me1?
46	I am busy	我忙緊	Ngo5 mong4 gan2
47	What do you like?	你鍾意咩？	Nei5 zung1 ji3 me1?
48	I like to eat	我鍾意食嘢	Ngo5 zung1 ji3 sik6 je5
49	What time is it?	而家幾點？	Ji4 gaa1 gei2 dim2?
50	It is 10:45	而家10點45分。	Ji4 gaa1 10 dim2 45 fan1
51	Where are you from?	你嚟自邊度？	Nei5 lai4 zi6 bin1 dou6?
52	I am from the USA	我嚟自美國。	Ngo5 lai4 zi6 mei5- gwok3
53	I like music	我鍾意音樂	Ngo5 zung1 ji3 jam1- ngok6
54	I don't like to read	我唔鍾意睇書	Ngo5 m4 zung1 ji3 tai2 syu1
55	What would you like to drink?	你鍾意飲咩？	Nei5 zung1 ji3 jam2 me1?
56	I like to drink Coke	我鍾意飲可樂。	Ngo5 zung1 ji3 jam2 ho2 lok6
57	Congratulations!	恭喜！	Gung1 hei2!
58	Happy new year!	新年快樂	San1 nin4 faai3 lok6

59	Wishing you the best!	祝你一切順利	Zuk1 nei5 jat1 cai3 seon6 lei6
60	Good job	做得好	Zou6 dak1 hou2
61	Keep going!	繼續	Gai3 zuk6!
62	I am very tired	我好奷	Ngo5 hou2 gui6
63	She is angry	佢好嬲	Keoi5 hou2 nau1
64	That's very funny	好搞笑	Hou2 gaau2 siu3
65	See you later	一陣見	Jat1 zan6 gin3
66	They're very hungry	佢哋好肚餓	Keoi5 dei6 hou2 tou5-ngo6
67	Are you serious?	你講真㗎？	Nei5 gong2 zan1 gaa3?
68	I don't believe it	我唔信	Ngo5 m4 seon3
69	I don't feel well	我唔舒服	Ngo5 m4 syu1-fuk6
70	More	多啲	Do1 di1
71	Less	少啲	Siu2 di1
72	It is very cute	好得意	Hou2 dak1-ji3
73	Are you free today?	你今日得唔得閒？	Nei5 gam1 jat6 dak1 m4 dak1 haan4
74	It doesn't matter.	冇所謂	Mou5 so2 wai6
75	Good luck!	祝你好運	Zuk1 nei5 hou2 wan6
76	Do you need help?	要唔要幫手？	Jiu3 m4 jiu3 bong1 sau2?
77	I'll text you	我發短信畀你	Ngo5 faat2 dyun2-seon3 bei2 nei5
78	I'll call you	我打電話畀你	Ngo5 daa2 din6-waa2 bei2 nei5
79	I don't recall	我唔記得	Mgo5 m4 gei3 dak1
80	Could you repeat that you said?	你可唔可以再講一次？	Nei5 ho2 m4 ho2 ji5 zoi3 gong2 jat1 ci3?
81	I'm almost there	我差唔多到	Ngo5 caa1 m4 do1 dou3
82	You can do this!	你得嘅！	Nei5 dak1 ge3!
83	I'm waiting for you	我等緊你	Ngo5 dang2 gan2 nei5
84	Where is the restroom?	廁所喺邊度？	Ci3-so2 hai2 bin1 dou6?
85	What does this mean?	呢個係咩意思？	Ni1 go3 hai6 me1 ji3 si1?
86	How much is this?	呢個幾錢？	Ni1 go3 gei2 cin2?
87	Where is this located?	呢個喺邊度？	Ni1 go3 hai2 bin1 dou6?
88	Hello? (On the phone)	喂？	Wai3?
89	Very good	好好	Hou2 hou2

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90	Please give me time	畀啲時間我	Bei2 di1 si4-gaan3 ngo5
91	That is correct	啱	Ngaam1
92	That is not correct	唔啱	M4 ngaam1
93	I will buy the tickets	我會買飛。	Ngo5 wui2 maai5 fei1
94	Let's go on a trip	我哋去旅遊啦	Ngo5 dei6 heoi3 leoi5-jau4 laa1
95	I speak a little Cantonese	我識講少少廣東話	Ngo5 sik1 gong2 siu2 siu2 gwong2-dung1-waa2
96	Can you say that slowly, please?	你可唔可以慢慢講?	Nei5 ho2 m4 ho2 ji5 maan6 maan2 gong2?
97	Is there a discount?	有冇折頭?	Jau5 mou5 zit3-tau4?
98	Cheers!	乾杯!	Gon1 bui1!
99	Come on!	加油!	Gaa1-jau2!
100	Goodbye	再見	Zoi3 gin3