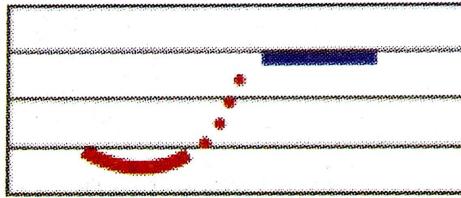
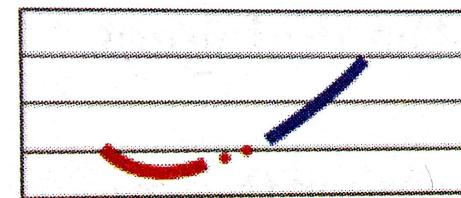


Rules of Pinyin (拼音规则)

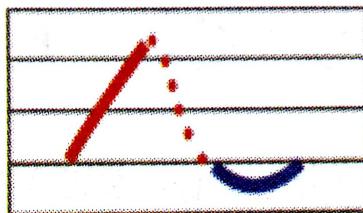
1. Tone Collocation in Disyllabic Words : 3rd tone + 1st/2nd/3rd/4th tone



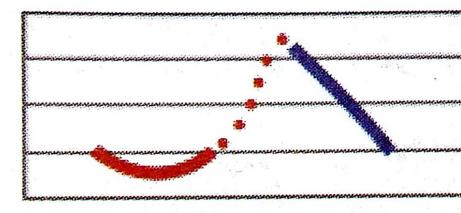
shǒujī
手机



shǒuzhuó
手镯



shǒubiǎo
手表



shǒutào
手套

Practice (练习)

lǎoshī měitiān
hǎibiān yǐjīng

lǎorén měinián
hǎimián yǐqián

yǔsān měihǎo
xǐzǎo biǎoyǎn

yǒuyòng měilì
gǎnxiè biǎoxiàn

Characters (汉字)

Chinese Radicals:

- “口” (called 国字框)
- “示” (called 示字旁)

偏旁 Radical	解释 Explanation	例字 Example Characters
口	the radical “口” means being trapped or besieged	国 guó country 困 kùn to be trapped
示	the radical “示” is a variant of “示”, related to deity, sacrificial rites and one's fortune	视 shì to look 祝 zhù to wish

Characters (汉字)

Enclosure:

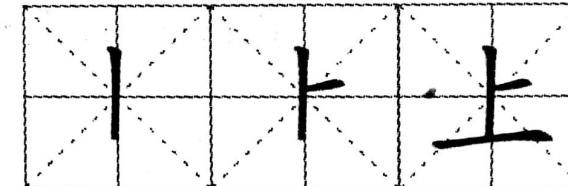
- compound structure
- the structure enclosed on all the four sides

结构 Structure	例字 Example Characters	图解 Illustrations
全包围结构 complete enclosure	四 sì four 国 guó country, nation	 

Single-Component Characters (独体字)

上 shàng

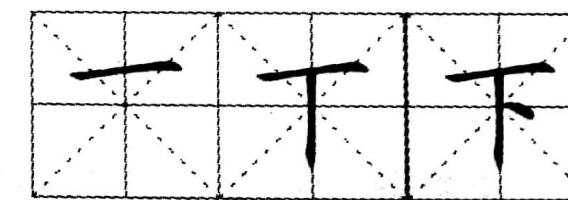
二 → 二 → 丨 → 上



up,
above

下 xià

一 → 二 → 丨 → 下



down,
below

本 běn

丶 → 丶 → 木 → 本



root of
everything