

# Rules of Pinyin (拼音规则)

## 1. Difference between Aspirated and Unaspirated Initials:

- aspirated: p, t, k, q, c, ch
- unaspirated: b, d, g, j, z, zh



# Practice (练习)

bàng——pàng dù——tù

gǒu——kǒu jī——qī

zhuō——chē zì——cì

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pǔ tōng rén common people	huǒ chē piào train ticket	yǎn chàng huì concert	pǎo bù xié running shoes
dǎ diàn huà make a phone call	jǐng chá jú police station	xiǎo yǎn yuán little actor	pǔ tōng huà Mandarin
kàn qiú tài watch games	zhào xiàng jī camera	diàn huà kǎ phone card	diàn bīng xiāng refrigerator
jiàn shēn guǎn gym	bàn gōng shì office	chàng guó gē sing the national anthem	kuàng quán shuǐ mineral water

# Characters (汉字)

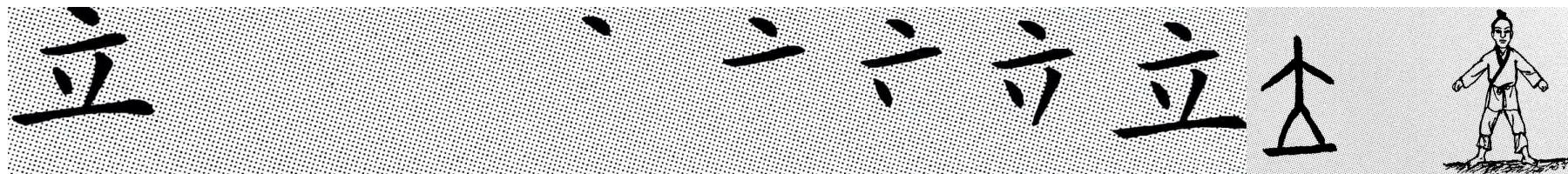
## Chinese Radicals:

- “木” ( called 木字旁 )  
mù zì páng
- “竹” ( called 竹字头 )  
zhú zì tóu

偏旁 Radical	解释 Explanation	例字 Example Characters
木	the radical “木” is related to plants	杯 bēi <b>cup</b> 椅 yǐ <b>chair</b>
竹	the radical “竹” is related to bamboo	篮 lán <b>basket</b> 笔 bì <b>pen</b>

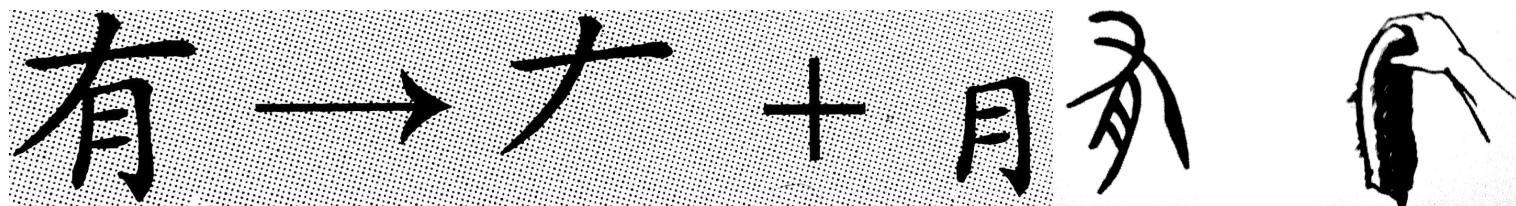
# Single-Component Characters (独体字)

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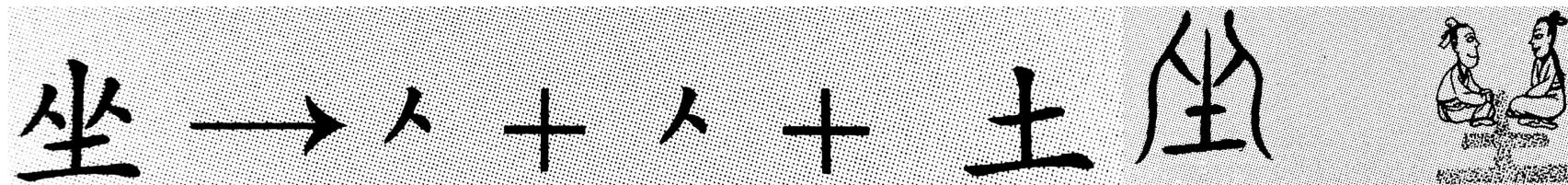
stand

yǒu



have

zuò



sit