



Key Focus

Alphabet/ Introduction to China:

- KS1 children will be introduced to the **alphabet in Chinese** using the key vocabulary.
- China is a country in Asia. It is officially known as the People's Republic of China (PRC). China is the world's fourth largest country and is the most populous country in the world with over 1.35 billion people living there. The capital city of China is Beijing.
- **Travel** - how can you get there? The quickest way to travel to China is by aeroplane. A flight from London takes 11 hours and 30 minutes.
- **Compare to the UK:** The UK is in the northwest of Europe. China is in eastern Asia. In the UK, we speak English, Welsh and Gaelic. In China, they speak Mandarin. The UK flag is red, white and blue. The Chinese flag is red and yellow.
- **Tourist attractions:** A popular tourist attraction is the Great Wall of China. The Forbidden City is China's largest and most important building.

Compare to UK:



Travel:

A flight from London/UK to China takes about 11 hours and 30 minutes.



Tourist attractions:



Key Vocabulary

Nǐ hǎo 你好	hello
zài jiàn 再见	goodbye

b Bb 菠	p Pp 泼	m Mm 摸	f Ff 佛
d Dd 德	t Tt 特	n Nn 讷	l Ll 勒
g Gg 鸽	k Kk 蝌	h Hh 喝	j Jj 鸡
q Qq 气	x Xx 西	zh zh 织	ch ch 吃
sh sh 狮	r Rr 日	z Zz 字	c Cc 刺
s Ss 丝	y Yy 医	w Ww 屋	

Chinese Writing system