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PINYIN / TERM	CHINESE	ENGLISH / MEANING
Qing	清朝	The last dynasty of Imperial Chinese history: 1644-1911
Sun Yat-sen	孙逸仙	1866-1925, Chinese statesman, physician, and political philosopher, served as the first provisional president of the Republic of China and the first leader of the Kuomintang. He is called the "Father of the Nation" in the Republic of
Guāngxù Emperor	光绪帝	The penultimate emperor of the Qing Dynasty. Nephew of the Empress Dowager Cixi
Yèhè Nàlā Wǎnzhēn	叶赫那拉 婉贞	Younger sister to the Empress Dowager Cixi. Mother of the Guangxi Emperor
Empress Dowager Cixi	慈禧太后	1835-1908, Ruler of China for more than 40 years, mother of one emperor and aunt to another
Yuán Shìkǎi	袁世凯	1859-1916, Major military and government official during the waning years of the Qing and the early years of the Republic era
Rónglù	荣禄	1836-1903, political and military leader during the late Qing. He was one of the Empress Dowager Cixi's favorites. His grandson was Puyi, the last Qing emperor.
Kāng Yǒuwéi	康有为	1858-1927, major political figure during the reform era who tried to enact all kinds of social and political reforms in China during the reign of the Guangxu Emperor
Liáng Qǐchāo	梁启超	1873-1929, Major politician, social and political activist, journalist, intellectual and educator of the late Qing early Republican period
Ng Poon Chew	伍盘照	1866-1931, major figure in Chinese-American history. Author, fighter of Chinese civil rights, and publisher of the first Chinese language daily newspaper outside of China
Toi San	台山	Coastal city on the western side of the Pearl River Delta. A lot of Chinese from that city and the surrounding counties to the north of them, migrated to cities all over the world.
Bǎo Huáng Huì	保皇会	Chinese Empire Reform Association
Zhūgě Liàng	诸葛亮	181-234 AD, Chinese statesman, military strategist and politician during the Three Kingdoms period
Sūnzǐ	孙子	544-496 BC, tradition hails him as China's greatest military strategist, The book which bears his name is a guide to military strategy
lǎo wài	老外	A foreigner
Yung Wing	容闳	1828-1912, Chinese-American diplomat and businessman, first Chinese graduate of Yale in 1854

Wǔchāng	武昌	City in Hubei province. Part of the metropolis of Wuhan
Xīnhài Revolution	辛亥革命	The uprising that brought down the Qing Dynasty. It began in Wuchang on October 10, 1911 and lasted four months and two days. It led to the establishment of the Republic of China
Emperor Pǔyí	溥仪	The final emperor of the Qing Dynasty, immortalized in the West in the Bertolucci movie The Last Emperor
Sūn Fó	孙佛	1891-1973, major official in the KMT and Republic of China government. His father was Sun Yat-sen