

W

wad, small amount of something chít tè-á 一小塊

wad, stack of money chít chí gín-phìo 一疊鈔票

waddle, swagger, reel along phiǎn-lǎi phiǎn-khì 晃來晃去, 跩行

wade liǎu-chúí 涉水

wade across the river liǎu-chúí kòe khe 我們得涉水過河

wag iǒ 搖

wag the head iǒ-thǎu 搖頭

wag the tail iǒ-bóe 搖尾巴

wage war, combat, confrontations chok-chiàn 作戰

wage, do, to implement chò, sít-si 做, 實施

wage, salary kang-chǐⁿ, kang-chu, sin-súi, goèh-kip 工錢, 工資, 薪水, 月薪

- **living wage** seng-oáh hùi-iōng 生活費用

wager sio-su, poáh 打賭, 賭注

wages paid on piece work basis kè-kīaⁿ kang-chu 計件工資

wages paid on time basis, hourly wage kè-sǐ kang-chu 計時工資

wages, cost of labor kang-chǐⁿ, kang-chu 工錢, 工資

wagon, truck, van hòe-chhia 貨車

wagon, vehicle, machine chhia 車

waif, street children liú-lōng ẽ gín-á 流浪兒童

wail, cry khàu 哭泣

wail, cry sorrowfully pi-siong 悲傷

wail, howl kaiⁿ-kaiⁿ-kìo 哀叫

wail, to cry piteously ai-hō 哀號

Wailing Wall in Jerusalem khàu-chhiuⁿ 哭牆

waist band of petticoat or skirt kún-thǎu 裙頭

waist band, belt io-tòe 腰帶

waist deep chhim kàu io, chhim kàu io-pō 深及腰部

waist line io-ũ 腰圍

waist, loins, hips, haunch io 腰

waist, middle, halfway pòeⁿ-io 半腰

waist, small of back io-pō 腰部

waist, waistband of pair of trousers khò-thǎu 褲頭

wait a little while, after a little while, wait a minute tán chít-ẽ 等一會兒

wait for tán, thèng-hāu, tán-hāu 等, 等候

wait for a letter tán-hāu phoe 等候來信

wait for an opportunity thèng-hāu ki-hōe 等候機會

wait for someone tán lǎng 等人

wait for, await tán-thāi 等待

wait in vain kang-tán, pèh-tán 空等, 白等

Wait a minute. Don't do it right now. bān-chiah, bān-chhiaⁿ, bān-chhiaⁿ-sī 慢著.

wait on, serve, attend hōng-thāi, sū-hōng 奉待, 事奉

wait on, to serve, to act as a valet khoán-thāi 伺候

wait or attend upon, serve su-hāu 伺候

wait till all have come tán-chě 等齊

wait tremblingly for outcome chhoah-lé-tán 不安的等

wait, look forward to, to await, expectation kǐ-thāi 期待

wait, watch for a chance, expect tán, téng 等

wait-and-see attitude, to wait and see, hesitate koan-bōng 觀望

waiter in a restaurant cháu-toh-ẽ 跑堂

waiter, waitress, attendant, customer service personnel hòk-bū-seng, hòk-bū-ǎn 服務生, 服務員

waiting anxiously khōa-khōa-tán 焦急的等待

waiting attitude koan-bōng ẽ thài-tō 觀望的態度

waiting room of a hospital hāu-chín-sek 候診室

waiting room of a station hāu-chhia-sek 候車室

waiting to fill vacancy as an alternate member of committee hāu-pó, hīo-pó 候補

waitress lí hòk-bū-seng 女服務生

waive, abandon, discard, dump pàng-sak 拋棄

waive, renounce, give up rights hòng-khì khoán-lí 放棄權利

wake person up by being noisy chhá-chhéⁿ 吵醒

wake someone up, alert keng-chhéⁿ, keng-séng 警醒

wake the deceased, keep watch beside a coffin chiú-lěng 守靈

wake up, become aware of cheng-sǐn khít-lǎi 醒過來

wake up, awake, conscious khùn-chhéⁿ 睡醒

wallow

wake up, become sober, rouse up chhéⁿ,
chhiⁿ 醒

wake, to wake someone up kio-khí-lǎi 叫醒

wake, to wake up chhéⁿ-khí-lǎi, cheng-sǐn khí-lǎi 醒過來

wakeful night kui-mě bē khùn tit 整夜睡不著

wakeful, can't get to sleep bē khùn tit 睡不著

wakeful, sleepless, not asleep bō khùn 不眠的

wakeful, to be awake chhéⁿ-chéⁿ 醒著

walk kǎiⁿ, kǎiⁿ-lō[·] 行, 走路

- **take a walk** sàm-pō[·], sàⁿ-pō[·] 散步

walk a wrong road kǎiⁿ m̄-tiòh lō[·] 走錯路

walk about kǎiⁿ-lǎi kǎiⁿ-khì 走來走去

walk all about, traveled throughout kǎiⁿ-thāu-thāu 走遍

walk along very leisurely tiām-tiām-á kǎiⁿ 安靜地走

walk around looking at the sites paying no heed to where one is walking Kǎiⁿ-lō[·] khiàn-thian khiàn-thian. 走路不看路。

walk around soemthing, make the circuit chiu-iū 週遊

walk backwards thè-aū 退後

walk backwards without turning around tò-thè-kǎiⁿ 倒著走, 倒退行

walk but lose the way kǎiⁿ bō lō[·] 無處去, 迷路

walk carefully and slowly sè-jī kǎiⁿ 小心走

walk everywhere sì-kè-kǎiⁿ 到處走

walk in kǎiⁿ jip-lǎi 走進來

walk lame pái 跛

walk near to kǎiⁿ oá-khì 走靠近

walk on one's hands iam-ke-kǎiⁿ 倒立走

walk on tiptoe nih-kha-bóe-kǎiⁿ 踮著腳走路

walk on tiptoes, walking softly and noiselessly liam 躡, 踮著走, 以足尖行走

walk right into trap, fall into snare through one's own fault chū-táu lō[·]-bóng 自投羅網

walk slowly ǔn-ǔn-á kǎiⁿ, khoaⁿ-khoaⁿ-á kǎiⁿ, bān-bān-á-kǎiⁿ 慢慢走

walk through shallow water, wade across a river liáu-chuí 涉水

walk unsteadily khōng-khiang 不穩

walk uphill peh kǎi 爬坡

walk with long steps tōa-pō[·]-kǎiⁿ, tōa-hoah kǎiⁿ 大步走

walk, to walk, go by way of walking kō[·]-kǎiⁿ-ě, iōng-kǎiⁿ-ě 用走的

walkie-talkie tui-kóng-ki 對講機

walking kǎiⁿ-lō[·], teh kǎiⁿ-lō[·] 走路, 步行

walking papers, lose job bián-chit-lēng 免職令

walking round something, making one revolution kǎiⁿ chit liàn, seh chit liàn 走一圈, 繞一圈

walking softly so as to avoid making noise liam-kha, liam-kha-kǎiⁿ 躡足, 躡足走

walking stick kóai-á 拐杖

walking tour kǎiⁿ-lō[·] lí-hēng 步行旅行

walking with the feet turned outward kha kǎiⁿ-lō[·] phiat-phiat 腳蹺著

Walkman sōe-sng-theng (phonetic), sǔi-sin-thiaⁿ 隨身聽

walkout, strike pā-kang 罷工

wall piah, chhiūⁿ-á 牆壁, 牆

- **city walls** sǎiⁿ-chhiūⁿ 城牆

- **surrounding wall** ǔi-chhiūⁿ 圍牆

- **The Great Wall of China** Bān-lí-tng-sǎiⁿ 萬里長城

- **to plaster a wall** boah-piah 塗灰泥於牆上

- **to stand by the wall** khǎi-tī chhiūⁿ-á piⁿ 站在圍牆邊

- **up against a wall** pōng-piah 撞牆

- **wall paper** piah-chóa 壁紙

wall around the house or property chhiūⁿ-ǔi, chhiūⁿ-ǔi-á, chhiūⁿ-thāu-á 圍牆

wall clock kò[·]-cheng 掛鐘

wall map, picture or scroll to illustrate book kò[·]-tō[·] 掛圖

wall partition piah-tó[·] 牆壁, 牆

wall plug, electrical outlet chhah-thāu 插頭

Wall Street Hōa-ní-ke, Bí-kok ě kim-iōng tiōng-sim 華爾街, 美國的金融中心

wallet phio-pau-á, chíⁿ-tē-á 錢包, 皮包

wallflower plant piah-hoe 牆花

wallflower, woman who has no dancing partner bō bú-phōaⁿ ě cha-bó 無舞伴的女子

wallopp tōa-tōa-ē tui loh-khì, tōa-tōa-ē kòng loh-khì 重擊

wallow in mire with somebody, to follow the bad example of others, in cahoots with tōng-liú háp-ù 同流合污

wallow in mud or water, cattle wallowing in the mud or water bath kō[·]-ék 牛在泥中或水中打滾沐浴

wallow, addicted to or absorbed in wine and women tīm-bē 沉迷

wallow, roll about in mud or dirt nòa, kō 打滾	- family in want sàⁿ-chhiah ẽ ka-těng 貧窮的家庭
walnut hùt-thō 核桃,胡桃	want ad tin-kǐu kóng-kò, pò-chóa ẽ kǐu-chit kǐu-chǎi téng-téng 徵求廣告
walnut kernel hùt-thō-jǐn 核桃仁	want all of to boeh 都要
walrus hái-chhiu ⁿ 海象	want both, also want mā-boeh 也要
waltz tempo oǎn-bú-khek 圓舞曲	want of filial piety, unfilial, undutiful, disobedient to parents put-hàu 不孝
waltz, to dance a waltz hǒa-ní-chu, sa ⁿ -pō-bú 華爾茲舞	want of funds chu-kim khoat-hoát, khoat-hoát chu-pún 資金缺乏,缺乏資本
wand, baton chí-hui-kùn 指揮棒	want of sleep khùn bō kàu bǐn 沒睡足
wander about for pleasure, loiter about siau-iǎu 逍遙	want only, need only to, if only, as long as chí-iǎu, chí-ài 只要
wander about, drifting without aim liú-lōng, sì-kè-sǒ, phiau-liú 流浪的,漂泊的	want to be beautiful, desire for beauty, love of excellence ài-sui 愛美
wander about, run about trying to escape sì-kè tǒ 到處流蕩,到處逃	want to do something which has been done before iū-boeh 又要
wander from one's subject lí-khui pún-tē 離開本地	want to eat by all means, firmly set on eating a certain item ngē-boeh chiah 硬要吃
wander from place to place chāu-thiàu 行走江湖	want to go by all means, at all costs or at all risks ngē-boeh khi 硬要去
wander from place to place among the common people, to live in seclusion chāu-kang-ō 跑江湖	want to go to the toilet badly sái teh kín 內急
wander from the right path lí-khui cheng-tō 離開正道	want to pass water badly jio teh kín 尿急
wandering about, traveling abroad hūn-iǔ sù-hái 雲遊四海	want to wander about loafing hong-so 好玩,喜遊蕩
wandering in search of employment phun-pho 奔波	want to, to feel like, to fancy, to care for somebody, desirous of siū ⁿ -boeh 想要
wandering minstrel or singer chāu-chhiu ⁿ , chāu-chhiu ⁿ -ẽ 賣唱,賣唱的	want, lack of, lapse, deficiency khiàm-khoeh 欠缺
wandering, to dither, to hesitate, to pace back and forth, by extension, to hover around, to linger kǐa ⁿ -lǎi kǐa ⁿ -khi, pǎi-hōe 徘徊	want, need, demand, require, requirement, need su-iǎu 需要
wanderlust, love of travel ài lí-hěng 熱愛旅行	want, to lessen, to decrease, to reduce, to lower kiám-siáu, kiám-chio 減少
wanderlust, to drift about, to wander, to roam, nomadic, homeless ài liú-lōng 流浪癖	want, a wish ài, boeh 要
wane, decline soe-pāi 衰敗	wanting khiàm-khoeh, bō kàu 缺乏的,缺少的
wane, decrease kiám-siáu, kiám-chio 減少	wanting in ability gōng tuh-tuh 傻楞楞
wane, to be lacking, to fall short of, deficit, deficient khih 虧缺	wanting in ability and little learning chǎi sō hāk chhián 才疏學淺
wane, weak soe-jiók 衰弱	wanting in refinement, rude, rough chhō-ló 粗魯,粗糙,簡陋
wangle, use deceit to gain advantage iōng kè tit-tiòh 用狡詐達成目的	wanting, destitute, insufficient, deficient, in tight straits pǐn-hoát 貧乏
Wang-tian Interchange Ōng-chhǎn kau-liú-tō 王田交流道	wanton, loose woman, adulteress ìm-hū 淫婦
waning influence chiām-chiām sit sè 漸漸處於劣勢	wanton, naughty chok-giat ẽ 頑皮的
want, desire, longing, appetite, craving iók-bōng 欲望	wanton, rakish, unconventional, licentious, easy in one's morals hòng-tōng ẽ 放蕩的
	wanton, given to lust, lecherous, lascivious, horny hò ⁿ -sek ẽ 好色的

warm

WAP, wireless application protocol bō-sòàⁿ
chīuⁿ-bāng thoan-su hiáp-tēng 無線上網傳
輸協定

warriors, soldiers chiàn-sū 戰士

war chiàn-cheng, sio-thǎi, sio-chiàn 戰爭, 打仗

- **civil war** lōe-lōan, lōe-chiàn 內亂, 內戰
- **declaration of war** soan-chiàn 宣戰
- **prisoner of war** chiàn-hu 戰俘
- **to end a war** thēng-chiàn 停戰
- **to engage in war** kau-chiàn 交戰
- **to go to war** chhut-chiàn 出戰
- **to start a war** khai-chiàn 開戰

war booty chiàn-lí-phín 戰利品

war correspondent chiàn-tē kì-chía, sǔi-kun
kì-chía 戰地記者

war criminal chiàn-hōan 戰犯

war disasters chiàn-hóe 戰火

war games, military maneuvers chiàn-tàu
ián-síp, chiàn-cheng ián-síp, kun-sū ián-síp
戰鬥演習, 戰爭演習, 軍事演習

war marching song, martial music kun-koa
軍歌

war ministry, defense department kun-pō 軍
部

war munitions kun-hóe 軍火

war of aggression chhim-liók chiàn-cheng 侵
略戰爭

war of nerves, psychological warfare sǎn-
keng-chiàn 神經戰

**war of resistance, to fight against the in-
vading army** khòng-chiàn 抗戰

war preparations, combat readiness chiàn-
pī 戰備

war situation chiàn-hóng 戰況

war vessel chiàn-lām, chiàn-kàm 戰艦

war battle line, battlefront, front chiàn-sòàⁿ
戰線

war zone, theater of operations chiàn-khu 戰
區

warble chiáu-á teh háu, chī-chīu-kìo 鳥鳴, 吱吱
叫

ward off an attack pī-bián kong-kek 避免攻擊

ward off baleful spiritual influence chē-soah
祭煞

ward off calamities siau-chai kái-eh 消災解禍

ward off effectively with shield or door
cháh-tiáu 遮住, 攔住

ward off evil phek-sia 避邪

ward off, push aside, to appropriate money
póe 撥

**ward off with the hands, to move with the
hands, to separate** póe-khui 撥開

ward off, to guard, to defend síu-ōe 守衛

ward, guardianship, act as guardian kàm-
hō 監護

ward, city area or district khu 區

ward, civil area or district office khu-kong-
sō 區公所

ward, isolation ward keh-lí pēⁿ-pāng 隔離病房

**ward, to avert, to prevent, to avoid, to re-
frain from** pī-bián 避免

**ward, to monitor, to oversee, to keep a
close watch over, to spy on** kàm-sī 監視

ward, ward of a hospital or sickroom pēⁿ-
pāng 病房

warden, guardian kàm-hō-jǎn 監護人

warden, look after people khòàⁿ-kò ẽ lǎng 看
顧的人

warden, to guard people khàn-síu 看守

wardrobe, clothes saⁿ 衣服

wardrobe, clothes closet saⁿ-á-tǔ 衣廚

wardship, control, to supervise, to inspect
kàm-tok 監督

- **to be under the wardship of** tī...kàm-tok
chi hā 在...監督之下

wardship, to act as guardian kàm-hō 監護

ware, goods, commodity, merchandise hòe,
hòe-bút, siong-phín 貨, 貨物, 商品

- **Chinaware** hǔi-á 瓷器

warehouse supervisor or manager kóan-lí
chhng-khò ẽ lǎng 管理倉庫的人

warehouse, depot, storehouse chhng-khò,
chàn-keng 倉庫, 貨棧

warfare, to make war, combat, to fight chok-
chiàn, kau-chiàn 作戰, 交戰

- **chemical warfare** hòe-hák-chiàn 化學戰
- **psychological warfare** sim-lí-chiàn 心理戰

warlike nation hò-chiàn ẽ kok-ka 好戰的國家

warlike, bellicose hòⁿ-chiàn ẽ 好戰的

warlord kun-hoát 軍閥

warm un-lóan 溫暖

- **to keep warm** un-sio, un hō sio 溫熱
- **to warm in the sun** phák jít-thǎu, phák hō
sio 曬太陽
- **to warm oneself at the fire** hang-hóe, hang
hō sio 烤火使身體暖和

- to give a warm reception to hó-lé khoán-thāi 禮貌款待
- warm affection jīn-chū 仁慈
- warm air sio-khì 暖氣
- warm and tender, sweet natured un-jīu 溫柔
- warm at the fire hang-sio 取暖, 烤熱
- warm blooded jiát-hiat ǎ 熱血的
- warm blooded animal un-hiat tōng-bút 溫血動物
- warm by fire, to dry some thing by the fire, to toast hang, hang-hóe 烘, 烤, 取暖, 烤火
- warm hearted jiát-sim ǎ 熱心的
- warm one's hands hang-chhiú 烤手, 烘手
- warm over again, warm food up again thng, thng-sio 煨, 再熱
- warm vapor of fermentation, odor of something turned sour chhàu-sng bī 酸味
- warm welcome jiát-liát ǎ hoan-gēng 熱烈的歡迎
- warm, genial sio 暖的
- warm, mild, temperate, lukewarm, to warm, to review un 溫
- warm, nice and warm sio-joah 暖和
- warm, to warm hō...sio 使...溫暖
- warmed over again kòe-thng 煨過
- warmonger hòⁿ-chiàn-chía 好戰者
- warmth, amiable, cordial, close and dear, familiar chhin-chhiat 親切
- warmth, cordial, enthusiastic, passion, passionate, passionately jiát-chēng 熱情
- warmth, heat, steam jiát-khì 熱氣
- warmth, temperature, heat, short-lived enthusiasm jiát-tō 熱度
- warmth, warm un-lóan 溫暖
- warn a child to avoid bad companions kēng-kò gín-á oán-lí pháⁿ pēng-iú 警告孩子遠離壞朋友
- warn against insubordination by enforcing strict discipline when one first takes office hā-má-ui 下馬威
- warn by hint of plot or other danger tiám-chhéⁿ 提醒
- warn or admonish someone, deliver a warning pàng-siaⁿ 放聲, 放言警告
- warn secretly, give secret hint by signal, word or other sound thau tiám-tuh 暗中提醒
- warn, advice, advise tiong-kò 忠告
- warn, to be alert for kēng-kài 警戒
- warning bell, alarm bell kēng-lēng 警鈴
- warning signal kēng-pò sìn-hō 警報信號
- warning, alarm, alert signal kēng-pò 警報
- without warning bō tiuⁿ-tī, bō-tiuⁿ bō-tī 無意中
- warning, caution, to warn, to guard, watch for kēng-kò, kēng-kài 警告, 警戒
- warning, omen chiān-tiāu 預兆
- warp, misinterpret khiok-kái lǎng ǎ ì-sù 曲解
- warp, to bend, to curve around, curved, crooked, to wind oan-khiau 彎曲
- warp, twist, distort, distortion ut, áu 扭曲
- warrant for arrest khu-phìo 拘票
- warrant for questioning, summons, subpoena, voucher tiàu-toaⁿ 傳票
- to issue a warrant khui tiàu-toaⁿ 開拘提傳票
- warrant officer chún-ùì 准尉
- warrant, arrest warrants thong-chip-lēng, thong-chhip-lēng 通緝令
- warrior bú-sū, chiàn-sū 武士, 戰士
- unknown warrior bǔ mǎ liát-sū 無名烈士
- warship chiàn-chūn, kun-kàm, chiàn-kàm, chiàn-lām 戰船, 軍艦, 戰艦
- wart, birthmark, mole bah-kì 肉痣
- wart, nodule hǐ-lǎn-chhè, hǐ-lǎn-sòe 疣
- wartime chiàn-sǐ 戰時
- wartime activities chiàn-sǐ hoat-tōng 戰時活動
- wartime international law chiàn-sǐ kok-chè kong-hoat 戰時國際公法
- wary of giving offense chù-ì m̄-thang tek-chōe lǎng 注意不可得罪人
- wary, beware of, guard against, to be vigilant, watch you don't slip thē-hōng ǎ 提防的
- wary, cautious, prudent kín-sīn 謹慎
- wary, pay close attention chin chù-ì ǎ 密切注意的
- wash sé, sóe 洗
- cannot be washed clean sé bē chheng-khì 洗不乾淨
- wash and rinse, wash again, cleanse sé-tng 洗滌
- wash away completely sé-tī 洗除
- wash away, flush with running water, rise rapidly or shoot up, clash with chhiong, chhiang 沖
- wash basin bīn-tháng, bīn-phún 臉盆
- wash board sé-saⁿ-pang 洗衣板
- wash clean sé hō chheng-khì 洗乾淨

watch

wash clothes sé-saⁿ 洗衣服
wash lady sé-saⁿ-ě 洗衣者
wash off sé-tiāu 洗掉
wash off the dirt lut-sian 搓身垢
wash off the dust, welcome party for returning traveler sé-tin 洗塵
wash one's face sé-bin 洗臉
wash one's feet, wash lower body sé-kha 洗腳
wash the hands, wash one's hands of evil ways, have nothing more to do with it sé-chhiú 洗手
wash, to bathe chheng-sé 清洗
washable ē-sé-tit ẽ 可洗的
washed away in a flood hō· chúí lǎu-khì 被水流走
washed away, drain off lǎu-tiāu 流掉
- **to hang the wash out to dry** phi-saⁿ phak hō· ta 晾衣服曬乾
washed or cut away by high flood hō· tōa-chúí koah-khì 被洪水流失
washed out by floods hō· tōa-chúí chhiong-hāi-khì 被洪水沖壞了
washed-out, faded thè-sek ẽ 退色的
washed-out, tired thiám kah boeh sí-khì, chin thiám ẽ 疲倦的
washing machine sé-i-ki, sé-saⁿ-ki 洗衣機
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washout caused by floods hō· tōa-chúí chhiong cháu khì ẽ só·chāi 被洪水沖走的地方
washout, failure, defeated sit-pāi ẽ lǎng 失敗的人
washroom piān-só· 洗手間
wasp hó·-thǎu-phang 虎頭蜂
waste, delay, hold up, waste time, interfere with tam-gō· 耽誤
- **I wasted so much of your time.** Góa tam-gō· í bē-chío ẽ sĩ-kan. 我耽誤你不少時間。
waste effort bǒ·chhái-kang 徒勞無功
waste incinerator pùn-sò hūn-hò·-lǎ 垃圾焚化爐
waste money, have to have everything you see, want the first women you see kīⁿ-ō· tō tak 看到就買, 不管好壞, 看到女人就要
waste of force, strength or effort hui-lát 費力
waste of money bǒ·chhái chīⁿ 浪費錢, 東西等
waste one's breath, to speak in vain, might as well not have said it at all pèh-kóng 白說

waste wealth, lose money phò·chǎi 破財
waste work liáu-kang 白費工夫
waste your father's efforts in bringing you up kō·-hū lín lāu-pē chhī lí kah chiah tōa-han 辜負你父親養育你這麼大
waste, cost, to spend, fee, wasteful, expenses liáu 費
waste, damage, to injure sún-hāi 損壞
waste, desert, famine hng 荒
waste, lavish, waste, extravagance lōng-hùi 浪費
waste, scrap, rubbish, materials hui-liáu 廢料
waste, spend recklessly phò·hùi 破費
waste, spend to no purpose óng-hùi 枉費
waste, squander, to spoil, it is pity, it is too bad phah-sng 浪費, 可惜
wasted away to skeleton sán kah chhun chit ki kut 瘦得剩個骨架
wasted one's time in coming pèh-lǎi 白來
wasted talent, big fish in little pond bú iōng-bú chi tē, bǒ iōng-bú chi tē 無用武之地
wasteland, barren land, desert bē cheng-choh-tit ẽ thó·-tē 不毛之地
wasteland, wilderness pha-hng ẽ thó·-tē 荒野
wastelands, unoccupied land, vacant land khang-tē 空地
wastepaper hui-chóa 廢紙
wastepaper basket jī-chóa-láng 字紙簍
watch, vigilance, to take note of, to pay attention to chù·-i 注意
- **to be on the watch** keng-kài 警戒
- **to keep watch** síu-iā, kòe-mě, kò·-keⁿ 守夜
watch tower liǎu-bōng-tǎi 瞭望台
watch chain píó·-á-liān 錶鏈
watch closely, observe, to survey, to examine, observation, view, perspective koan-chhat 觀察
watch dog síu-mng-káu 守門狗
watch for an opportunity to deliberately make things difficult for someone síuⁿ-khang síuⁿ-phāng 找機會刁難人, 賺錢
watch for good chance siòng ki-hōe 找機會
watch for irregularities in voting in election kám-phìo 監票
watch how affairs are going khò·-aⁿ pān-sè 看情形
watch movie khò·-aⁿ tiān-iáⁿ 看電影
watch of the night, one fifth part of the night keⁿ, kīⁿ 更

watch over and take care of, prison guard khàn-síu 看守	- holy water font sèng-chúi-poe (Catholic) 聖水 水杯
watch over and take charge of kóan-kò 管顧	- pure water chheng-chúi 清水
watch over, take care of khòa ⁿ -kò 看顧	- spring water chǎo ⁿ -chúi 泉水
watch television khòa ⁿ tiān-sī 看電視	- to be covered with water im-kòe 淹沒
watch the door kò mǎng 看門	- to draw water chhū ⁿ -chúi 提水
watch the signs of the weather khòa ⁿ thi ⁿ -sek 看天色	- to mix with water thau-chúi 攪水
watch, control, supervise, inspect kàm-tok 監督	- to sprinkle water hiu-chúi 潑水
watch, day shift, day watch tít-jit, tong-tít 值 日	- to water flowers ak-hoe 澆花
watch, guard, watch over khòa ⁿ -síu 看守	- to place in water chím 浸
watch, keep watch during a clandestine ac- tivity, be on the lookout khòa ⁿ -thau 把風	- to lack water khiam-chúi 缺水
watch, to monitor, to oversee, to keep a close watch over, to spy on kàm-sī 監視	water and electric utilities chúi-tiān 水電
watch, to see, to look at, to read khòa ⁿ 看	water bill chúi-hùi, chúi-tō-chǐ ⁿ 水費
watch, to watch from a height or distance, to keep a lookout liáu-bōng 瞭望	water bottle chúi-pǎn, chúi-ǒ 水瓶
watch, to work a shift, be on duty tít-pan 值 班	water bucket chúi-tháng 水桶
watch, view, to watch TV, to receive TV channels siu-khòa ⁿ 收看	water buffalo chúi-gǔ 水牛
watch, wrist or pocket watch píó-á, sǐ-píó, sǐ- píó-á 錶	water chestnut lěng-kak 菱角
watch, wristwatch chhiú-píó 手錶	water color painting chúi-chhái-oē 水彩畫
watchcase píó-á-khak 錶殼	water condition, nature or quality of the wa- ter chúi-sèng 水性
watchful kín-sīn, sío-sim 謹慎, 小心	Water Conservation Bureau Chúi-lí-kiòk 水利 局
watchfulness kài-sim 戒心	water cooler léng-chúi-khì 冷卻器
watching for man, so as to catch him or to injure him, waiting for a job tng-tán 等待, 伺機	water current, water flow chúi-liú 水流
watchmaker píó-á sai-hū 錶匠	water drop, dripping water, the eaves of house tih-chúi 滴水
watchmaker's shop cheng-píó-tiám 鐘錶店	water drop, to drop, to drip tih 滴
watchman, be on the lookout chò khòa ⁿ -thau 把風的	water fall phòk-pò, chúi-chhiǎng 瀑布
watchman, guard, defend síu-ōe 守衛	water faucet chúi-liǒng-thau 水龍頭
watchman, night watchman kò-ke ⁿ -ě 更夫	water filter lí-chúi-khì, soa-lāu 濾水器
watchman, patrol, make the rounds sūn-ke ⁿ ě 更夫, 巡夜者	water flowing kǎ ⁿ -lāu 水流通
watchman's drum ke ⁿ -kó 更鼓	water flowing through ravine or valley khe ⁿ - á-chúi 澗水
watchtower ke ⁿ -lāu 更樓	water for irrigating the field chhǎn-chúi 田水
watchword, oral command, a word of com- mand used in drilling troops or gym- nasts, password used by sentry kháu- lēng 口令	water for irrigation kòan-khài iōng-chúi 灌溉 用水
watchword, secret signal or sign, counter- sign, cipher àm-hō 暗號	water for irrigation, water in the water canal chúi-chùn 水圳
water chúi 水	water from mountain stream khe-chúi 溪水
	water goblin, frogman (slang) chúi-kúi 水鬼
	water gun chúi-chhèng 水槍
	water has been drained off, flood waters have abated chúi siau-khì 水消了, 水退了
	water in which rice has been washed and cleaned bí-phun 淘米水
	water in which rice has been washed, slop, swill for pigs phun 餵水
	water is rising chúi teh tiōng-kòan 水在漲高

way

water jar chúí-kng 水缸
water lantern, paper lantern put in the water to guide the spirit of the dead chúí-teng 水燈為普渡亡魂
water level chúí-chhìn, chúí-chún-khì 水準器
water lily, lotus flower lián-hoe 蓮花
water main chū-lǎi-chúí ě chúí-kóng 自來水管
water meter, water gauge chúí-pío 水錶
water or liquid mucus from nose, snivel phīⁿ-chúí 鼻水
water pipe chúí-kóng 水管
water plant chúí-chháu 水草
water pressure chúí-ap 水壓
water pump thiu-chúí-ki 抽水機
water smoking pipe, hookah chúí-hun-chhoe 水煙斗
water snake chúí-chōa 水蛇
water spinach, water convolvulus khang-sim-chhài, èng-chhài 空心菜, 蕹菜, 蕹菜
water sports, aquatic sports chúí-siōng ūn-tōng 水上運動
water stage, water level, watermark chúí-ūi 水位
water surface, water level chúí-bīn 水面
water tank, car radiator, cistern chúí-siuⁿ 水箱
water tank, water tower chúí-thah 水塔
water that has been boiled and allowed to cool léng kún-chúí 冷開水
water trough, rain pipe or gutter on house chúí-chō 水槽
water vending location ka-chúí-chām 加水站
water volume, amount of water chúí-liōng 水量
water wheel, water turbine chúí-chhia 水車
water will not drain off chúí bē siau 水不通
water within membrane capsule in which fetus develops the-chúí 胎水
water works chū-lǎi chúí-chhiúⁿ 自來水廠
water, to irrigate, to pour, to install software, to record music kòan 灌
water, to water plants ak-chúí 澆水
water, to water, to sprinkle, to spray, to spill, to shed ak 灑
watercolor artist chúí-chhái-oē-ka 水彩畫家
water-holding capacity thiok-chúí-liōng 蓄水量
watering can, sprinkling can sōan-tháng 蓮蓬灑桶

watermelon si-koe 西瓜
waterproof hǒng-chúí 防水
waterproof cloth hǒng-chúí-pò 防水布
waterproof, moisture proof hǒng-sip 防濕
water's edge, shore chúí-piⁿ 水邊
watershed pun-chúí-nía, hun-súi-léng 分水嶺
waterways, journey by water chúí-lō 水路
watery chúí-ě 水的
watery eyes bák-chiu kǎm bák-sái 眼睛含著眼淚
watery, rare, uncommon, sparse chúí-chúí 太稀
watt chek 瓦特
- **electric bulb of 60 watts** lāk-cháp chek ě tiān-kǐu-á 六十燭光的燈泡
wattmeter tiān-pío 電錶
wave a fan iat khoe-siⁿ 揮扇子
wave farewell iat-chhiú 揮手
wave length pho-tǔng 波長
wave the hand iat 揮手
wave, sway, rock hián 搖動
waver in determination sam-sim líong-ì 三心兩意
waver, flutter iō 搖
waver, hesitate tǐu-tǐ 躊躇
wavering between doubt and belief, half in doubt, skeptical pòⁿ-sìn pòⁿ-gǐ 半信半疑
waves, breakers, wind and waves, stormy sea éng, lōng, hong-éng, pho-lōng 浪, 風浪, 波浪
wavy ná hái-éng lè 波浪狀的
wavy hair khiu-mo 捲髮
wax lah 蠟
- **bees wax** bit-lah 蜜蠟
- **ear wax** hīⁿ-sái 耳垢
- **paraffin wax** chiòh-lah 石蠟
wax apple, wax jumbo, Malayan apple lián-bū 蓮霧
wax candle lah-chek 蠟燭
wax figure, waxwork lah-siōng 蠟像
wax, rub with wax, apply waxy surface phah-lah 打蠟
waxed paper, stencil paper lah-chóa 蠟紙
way, road, path lō 路
- **on the way** tǒ-tiong 途中
- **one way road** tan-héng-tō 單行道

- one way or another bō-lūn jī-hō, bō-lūn jū-hō 無論如何	weak and worn out, in state of lassitude, all weary and aching sng-nng-thiā ⁿ 酸痛
- the whole way it-lō, iǎn-lō 一路,沿路	weak and yielding bed or floorboards nng sim-sim 軟綿綿
- the right way cheng-tō 正道	weak bladder hē-siau 下消
- to give way niū, niū-lō 讓,讓路	weak in English Eng-gí bō sít-lék 英語沒有實力
- to lead the way chhōa-lō 帶路	weak in health, debilitated pāi-sin 腎虧,腎虛
- to make the way of the Cross pài khó-lō (Catholic) 拜苦路	weak of purpose ì-chì pòk-jiòk 意志薄弱
- to stop half way pòan-tō jī-huì, tiong-chí 半途而廢,中止	weak point jiòk-tiám 弱點
way of cooking chú-hoat 煮法	weak stomach pī hi 脾虛
way of doing or making things chò-hoat 做法	weak, feeble nng-kha-hě 軟腳蝦,軟弱的人
way of doing something, method, form, mode hong-sek 方式	weak, feeble, languid lóan-jiòk 軟弱
way of escape, way out khi-lō 去路	weak, feeble, young, inferior jiòk, lám, soe-jiòk 弱,衰弱
way of life, mode of living seng-oáh hong-sek 生活方式	weak, fragile, slight influence, unstable business, weak in health pòk-jiòk 薄弱
way of looking at something, view siū ⁿ -hoat 想法	weak, inability, powerless, lacking strength bō lát 無力
way of looking at things khò ⁿ -hoat 看法	weak, thin, light, flagging, faint pòh 淡薄
way of stating ideas or facts kóng-hoat 講法	weak, vulnerable jiòk-sè 弱勢
Way of the Cross khó-lō (Catholic) 苦路	weaken, become weak piàn-jiòk 變弱
way of writing sía-hoat 寫法	- to be weakened and grow old soe-lāu 衰老
way to death sí-lō 死路	weaken, to lose power, force, strength or ability sit-lát 失力
way to use thing, directions for using or operating something iōng-hoat 用法	weaken, to waste away, to become thin siau-sán 消瘦
way, method, means for doing something hoat-tō, hong-hoat, pān-hoat 方法,辦法	weak-headed gōng ě 愚蠢的
way, method, means of doing something, strategy, trick chhiu-tōa ⁿ 手段	weak-hearted bō íong-khì ě, bō tá ⁿ 沒勇氣的,沒膽量的
way, type, form, pattern, style sek, hong-sek 式,方式	weak-kneed, surrender easily bō koat-tòan ě 易屈服的
wayfarer kǎ ⁿ -lō lí-hěng ě lǎng 徒步旅行者	weakling jiòk-chiá 弱者
waylay, ambush, to lie in wait for, to lie low tóa pò ⁿ -lō bǎi-hók 半路埋伏	weak-minded bō tá ⁿ ě 懦弱的
waylay, intercept cháh lē 攔截	weak-minded, give in easily bō koat-tòan ě 易屈服的
ways of heaven, natural law, Heaven's justice thian-tō 天道	weak-minded, mental deficiency, incompetent te-lěng ě 低能的
ways of the world, especially, prevailing character and customs of the people of a place sè-cheng 世情	weakness, fault, shortcoming, weak point khoat-tiám 缺點
ways or methods of making something chē-hoat 製法	weakness, feeble, flabby lóan-jiòk, soe-jiòk 軟弱,衰弱
WC, water closet, toilet, restroom chhè-só, piān-só 廁所	weakness, weak, feeble, young, inferior lám 弱
we (excluding person addressed) gún, góan 我們	wealth, money chǐ ⁿ -chǎi 錢財
we (including person addressed) lán 我們	- poverty and wealth pín hù kùi chiān 貧富貴賤
weak and timid person jiòk-chiá 弱者	- to amass wealth hoat-chǎi 發財
	- to covet wealth tham-chǎi 貪財

weave

wealth, property chǎi-sán 財產
wealth, riches or fortune chǎi-hù 財富
wealth, to enrich, rich, plentiful, abundant
hong-hù 豐富
wealthy business man hù-siong 富商
wealthy family hù-hō 富裕的家庭
wealthy man ū-chhīⁿ-lǎng 有錢人
wealthy man, man of wealth and influence
hù-hō-lǎng 富翁
wealthy, has money ū chhīⁿ, hó-giáh 富有
wealthy, prosperous, well-to-do, well-off hù-
jū 富裕
wealthy, riches and honor hù-kùi 富貴
wean, disengage, break off relationship
tōan-choat koan-hē 斷絕關係
weaning, ablactation, wean tng-leng 斷奶
weapon, arms bú-khì 武器
weapon, weaponry peng-khì 兵器
wear a belt hǎ 繫
wear a necklace kòà phoah-liān 戴項鍊
wear a new shirt chhēng sin saⁿ 穿新衣
wear a ring kòà chhiú-chí 戴戒指
wear a wristwatch kòà chhiú-pío 戴手錶
wear away mǎ-sún 磨損
wear bracelet kòà chhiú-khǎn 戴手鐲
**wear restraining collar, negative thoughts,
asking for trouble** gia-ké 負枷, 自找麻煩
wear cap or hat tì bō-á 戴帽子
wear clothes chhēng saⁿ 穿
wear clothes fitting to the occasion pih-
chah 衣著合身
**wear clothes that does not fit properly, the
appearance of the eyes just before
death** tiàu-tiàu 衣服穿得不合身, 眼珠往上
翹
wear glasses kòà bák-kiáⁿ 戴眼鏡
wear gloves kòà chhiú-lǒng 戴手套
wear mask tì siáu-kúi-khak 戴假面具
wear or put cap on the head tì 戴
wear raincoats made of palm leaves moa
chang-sui 穿蓑衣
wear ring, eyeglasses and the like kòà 戴
wear sad look, look distressed chhiú-iǒng
móa-bīn 愁容滿面
wear saddle, saddle a horse or animal kòà
bé-oaⁿ 掛馬鞍
wear sun hat tì leh-á 戴斗笠
wear symbol of mourning, wear crepe tòà-
hà 帶孝

wear, drape over the shoulders moa 披
**wearied and distracted, toil and moil, to
drudge, busy oneself with drudgery** lǒ-
lòk 勞碌
wearing crown of thorns tì chhì-koan 戴刺冠
wearisome hō-lǎng chin thiám ě, hō-lǎng
chin siān ě 使人疲勞的, 使人疲倦的
**weary of something, disgusting, trouble-
some, nuisance, nasty, to hate doing
something** thó-iá 討厭
weary of study thó-iá thak-chheh 討厭念書
weary of waiting tán kah chin bǒ-liǎu 等得很
無聊
weary oneself, wearied in mind lǒ-sǎn 勞神
weary or tired workers phǐ-lǒ siōng-pan-chòk
疲勞上班族
weary toil, bodily labor, physical labor lǒ-lèk
勞力
weary unto death lèk-sí 累死
weary, bored, boring, senseless bǒ-liǎu, bǒ
gī-niū 無聊
weary, tired siān, iá-siān 疲倦的, 厭倦
weather thiⁿ-khì 天氣
- **bad weather** pháⁿ-thiⁿ 壞天氣
- **cloudy weather** o-im-thiⁿ 陰天
weather a difficulty pǎng-an tō-kòe lǎn-koan
平安度過難關
weather beaten chhoe-hong phak-jit ě 風吹日
曬的
weather bureau khì-siōng-kiòk 氣象局
weather forecast khì-siōng ĩ-pò 氣象預報
weather is dreadfully hot thiⁿ-khì iām-joah 天
氣炎熱
weather reports khì-siōng pò-kò 氣象報告
weather satellite khì-siōng ōe-chheⁿ 氣象衛星
weather station khì-siōng-tǎi 氣象台
weather vane chhek-hong-kè 測風計
weather, atmospheric phenomena khì-siōng
氣象
weather, climate, atmosphere, situation khì-
hāu 氣候
weathercock tēng-hong-chiam 風標
weave a mat chit chhióh-á 織蓆子
weave a straw mat pah chháu-chhióh 製草
蓆, 打草蓆
weave a web keⁿ-si, khan-si 結蜘蛛網
weave and spin pháng-chit 紡織
weave cloth chit, chit-pò 織, 織布
weave, fabricate pīⁿ, keⁿ 編, 紉

weavers chit-kang, chit-pò' ẽ lǎng 織布工
weaver's shuttle so-á, niáu-chhí-á 梭子
weaving mill chit-pò'-chhiúⁿ 織布廠
web browser web liú-lám-khì web, 全球資訊網路瀏覽器
web magazine, webzine bāng-lō' chap-chì 網路雜誌, 線上雜誌
web master bāng-lō' ko-chhiú 網路高手
web page bāng-iah web page, 網頁
web traffic bāng-chām lǎng lǎi-lǎi-khì-khì ẽ liōng 網站人潮流量
web, net bāng 網
 - **spider's web** ti-tu-bāng 蜘蛛網
web, woven fabric chit-phín, pò' 織品, 布
webcam bāng-lō' sī-sìn liap-iaⁿ-ki 網路視訊攝影機
website bāng-chām 網站
wed, marry a husband kè 嫁
wed, marry a wife chhōa-bó' 娶太太
wed, to get married kiap-hun 結婚
wedding ceremony hun-lé, kiap-hun-sek 婚禮, 結婚儀式
 - **be witness at a wedding** chêng-hun 證婚
wedding banquet hí-iàn, hun-iàn, hun-iǎn 喜宴, 婚宴, 筵
wedding cake lé-piaⁿ 禮餅
wedding date hun-kì 婚期
wedding feast, eat a wedding meal chia^h sin-niú chiu 吃喜酒
wedding invitation hí-thiap 喜帖
wedding march hun-lé chìn-hěng-khek 婚禮進行曲
wedding night, the first night tōng-pǒng hoa-chiok-ia 洞房花燭夜
wedding presents sent to the bride thiam-chng 添妝送新娘禮物
wedding ring kiap-hun ẽ chhiú-chí 結婚戒指
wedding, marriage hun-phòe 婚配
wedding, matrimony, marriage hun-in 婚姻
weddings and funerals song-hí-sū 婚喪喜慶
wedge something under the leg of desk or table so as to make it steady siap toh-kha 塞棹腳
wedge, stuff or squeeze into siap jip-khì 塞入
wedge, to wedge, to press out oil by use of wedges chiⁿ 楔, 榨, 擠
wedge, wooden wedge chhǎ-chiⁿ-á 木楔子

wedges, boards for supporting, pressing the sides of anything or for torturing, splint kiap-pán, kap-pán 夾板
wedlock hun-in 婚姻
Wednesday seng-kǐ-saⁿ, pài-saⁿ 星期三
weed, wild grass, useless plant ia-chháu 雜草
 - **sea weed that is edible** hái-chhài 海菜
 - **to pull up weeds** thóaⁿ-chháu, khai-chháu 鋤草
weed a garden, mow grass, cut weeds tǐ-chháu 除草
weed a rice field so-chháu 除草
weed out by the roots khai-chháu 拔草
weed, to pull up weeds khai 拔
weeds chap-chháu 雜草
week, religious service, worship lé-pài 禮拜
 - **last week** téng lé-pài 上禮拜
 - **next week** aū lé-pài 下禮拜
 - **week after next** ē-ē lé-pài, aū-aū lé-pài 下下禮拜
week day pěng-jit, seng-kǐ-jit 平日
week, day of the week seng-kǐ 星期
week, revolve, return, revolution chiu 週, 周
weekend chiu-boát 週末
weekend tō' chiu-boát 度週末
 - **to weekend at the seashore** tò' hái-piⁿ tō' chiu-boát 在海邊度週末
weekend trip chiu-boát lí-hěng 週末旅行
weekly meeting chiu-hōe 週會
weekly paper chiu-pò' 週報
weekly publication chiu-khan 週刊
weekly reports chiu-kì 週記
weekly salary chiu-sin 週薪
weekly, every week tak lé-pài 每星期
weep profusely bak-sái nih-nih-lǎu 眼淚不停的流
weep, cry khàu 哭泣
weep, shed tears lǎu bak-sái 流淚
weevil chhiūⁿ-phīⁿ-thǎng 象鼻蟲
weft, dominating position of wife in the family thài-chō 太座
weigh anchor tiáⁿ, têng 碇, 錨
weigh how heavy or how serious pōng-tāng 磅重
weigh in the hand tì, sì 量, 用手量
weigh one's words khó-lí ka-tī ẽ oē 考慮自己說的話

well

weigh oneself pōng khòaⁿ thé-tāng lōa tāng
磅看看體重多重

weigh to see how heavy it is nīu khòaⁿ ũ lōa tāng
秤看有多重

weigh with beam scale nīu 衡量

weigh with small steelyard ēng téng-á téng
用戥子稱

weigh with steelyard or scale chhìn-tāng 稱量, 衡量

weigh, consider attentively khó-ī 考慮

weigh, measure weight or amount pōng, nīu
磅, 量

weigh, scales, steelyard, Roman balance
chhìn 秤

weighed, weighing kòe-pōng 過磅

weighing machine pōng-á 磅秤

weighing scale, steelyard, to weigh chhìn 秤

weight, counter weights of a steelyard
chhìn-thāu 秤得的重量

weight tāng, tāng-liōng 重, 重量

- equal in weight pēⁿ-tāng 一樣重
- personal weight thé-tāng 體重
- to attach weight to, regard as important, to care about khòaⁿ-tāng 看重
- to put on weight pūi-khí-lāi 胖起來
- to sell by weight chiàu chhìn-tāng bē 按秤重來賣

weight down, pendant thūi-á 墜子

weight, importance tiōng-iàu 重要

weight, responsibility, blame, duty chek-jīm
責任

weight, severity of the case, degree of seriousness, whether something is slight or serious khin-tāng 輕重

weightlifting kí-tāng 舉重

weights for holding down nets or fishing lines, sinkers ian-thūi 鉛墜

weighty argument ũ lát ě lūn-chèng 有力的論證

weighty, heavy, serious tāng 重

weighty, important, significant, major, powerful, forceful, vigorous tiōng-iàu, ũ lát ě
重要, 有力的

weighty, need to take into consideration su-iàu khó-ī ě 需要考慮的

weird talk, talk foolishly kòai-tām 怪談

weird, fantastic, bizarre, odd, peculiar shape kòai-hèng ě 奇異的形狀

weird, strange, odd kǐ-kòai ě 奇怪的

weird, unaccountable, supernatural, ghost, monster, monstrous, goblin, phantom
iau 妖

weird, weirdness, strange, monstrous iau-sia 妖邪

welcome hoan-gěng 歡迎

welcome party or dinner hoan-gěng-hōe 歡迎會

welcome respectfully kiong-gěng 恭迎

welcome, greet, meet and welcome guests
gěng-chiap 迎接

welcome, receive or entertain guests, entertainment for guests chiau-thāi 招待

welcomed, received or treated graciously, find favor in someone's eyes siu hoan-gěng 受歡迎

weld, combine, link, integrate kiap-hap 結合

weld, to smelt, to fuse sio, hō chiap-khí-lāi 銲接

weld, welding liām, iōng sio ě chiap-khí-lāi 焊接

welfare work hok-ī sū-giap, kiu-chè sū-giap, chū-siān sū-giap 福利事業, 救濟事業, 慈善事業

welfare, happiness, happy, blessed hēng-hok 幸福

welfare, material welfare, well-being hok-ī 福利

well acquainted road sèk-lō 熟路

well acquainted with the place tē-thāu sèk 地方熟

well behaved child koai 乖

well behaved, trust worthy sūn-liōng 純良

well containing water chúi-chéⁿ, kó-chéⁿ 水井

well developed hoat-iòk hó 發育好

well disciplined hó kui-kí 有規矩

Well done. Amazing. Kám-sim. 了不起。

well known, be famous chin chhut hong-thāu 很出風頭

well-mannered, well-disciplined ũ kui-kí 有規矩

well-mannered, courteous, polite ũ lé-sò 有禮貌

well off, well to do, rich, plentiful hù-chiok 富足

well up, gush forth chhèng chhut-lāi 湧出來

well versed in three languages cheng-thong saⁿ kok oē 精通三國語言

well water chéⁿ-chúⁱ, kó-chéⁿ-chúⁱ 井水

well, in good health kiān-khong 健康	well-mannered, courteous, well-behaved, elegant thài-tō hó 態度好
well, mouth of a spring chōa ⁿ 泉	well-mannered, elegant, refined bŭn-ngá ě 文雅的
well, then, it is quite right, thus it is quite right to-tiòh 對了,就是	well-mannered, upright, proper hěng-ũi toan-chiá ⁿ 行為端正
well, thorough, thoroughly, completely thiat-té 徹底	well-matched for marriage in social and economic status mng-tong hō-tui 門當戶對
well-advised sĭn-tiōng ě 慎重	well-meaning, goodwill, benevolence, kindness siān-ì ě 善意的
well-aired, house having plenty fresh air thang-hong 通風	well-meaning, kind-hearted hó-sim ě 好心的
well-balanced, correct, proper chèng-khak ě 正確的	well-off, lucky kĭa ⁿ -ūn ě 走運的
well-balanced, regular, normal, ordinary chèng-siōng 正常的	well-off, smoothly, without a hitch sŭn-lĭ ě 順利的
well-behaved and intelligent child koai-khiáu 又可愛又聰明	well-proportioned, well-fitting, well-matched, mutually compatible sù-phòe 相稱,合適
well-being, happiness, happy, blessed hēng-hok 幸福	well-read hák-bŭn chin pá ě 博學的
well-being, material welfare hok-lĭ 福利	well-thought-of bēng-bōng chin kōan ě 聲望高的
well-being, peaceful, tranquil, calm, composed, free from worry an-lěng 安寧	well-ventilated khong-khì ě liū-thong hó 空氣的流通好
well-bred, well-disciplined hó ka-kàu 好家教	- ill-ventilated khong-khì ě liū-thong bái 空氣的流通不好
well-chosen, carefully chosen handpicked, best of the bunch cheng-sóan ě 精選的	well-worn phò-a-kǒ-kǒ ě 十分破舊的
well-chosen, suitable, appropriate chin sek-tòng, chin tú-hó 適當的,恰當的	wend, making headway chiān-chìn, kĭa ⁿ hiòng chēng 前進
well-cut, well-fitted suit hah-su ě se-chong 合身的西裝	Wenzhou Un-chiu 溫州
well-disposed, good intentioned, kindness hó-ì ě 懷好意的	West Indies Se In-tō kŭn-tó 西印度群島
well-disposed, good temperament sèng-chēng hó ě 性情好的	West, the West, the Occident, Western countries, Buddhist paradise sai-hng, se-hong, se-iū ⁿ 西方
well-disposed, kind hearted hó-sim ě 好心的	western se-hng ě, se-hong ě 西方的
well-drilled, concise, succinct, terse, well-trained cheng-liān 精練	western clothes se-chong 西裝
well-educated or refined person ū kàu-ióng ě lāng 有教養的人	western cooking se-iū ⁿ liāu-lí 西洋料理
well-founded ū-pĭn ū-kì 有憑有據	Western Europe Se-Au 西歐
well-grounded in music, have some knowledge of music ū im-gák ě sò-ióng 有音樂的素養	western food, European or American meals se-chhan 西餐
well-guarded, secure, firm kióng-kò 鞏固	Western Hemisphere Se pò ⁿ -kĭu 西半球
well-informed siau-sit lěng-thong 消息靈通	Western influence Se-iū ⁿ ě éng-hióng 西洋的影響
well-informed, board experienced kiàn-sek chin khoah 見識很廣的	western medicines se-iòh 西藥
well-informed, board knowledge siau-sit lěng-thong ě 消息靈通的	western nations se-hong-kok-ka 西方國家
well-know college or university, a famous school bēng-hāu 名校	western part se-pō 西部
well-known chhut-mĭa 出名	- North West Sai-pak 西北
well-known, famous bŭn-bēng 聞名	- South West Sai-lām 西南
	western style se-iū ⁿ -sek, iū ⁿ -sek 西洋式
	western style toilet bowl, commode thiu-chúi bé-tháng 抽水馬桶

what

westerner se-hong-lǎng, se-pō ē lǎng 西方人, 西部的人

Westerners, especially the Dutch in old Taiwan, red-haired barbarians ǎng-mǒ-hoan 紅毛蕃

westernization se-iũⁿ-hòa 西洋化

westernize, western-oriented, influenced by the West hō se-iũⁿ-hòa 使西洋化

wet tǎm, sip 濕,潮濕

- **soaking wet** tǎm-lok-lok 濕漉漉

- **to get wet** tǎm-khì, sip-khì 濕掉,潮濕

wet and soft ground, muddy, boggy, depression, concave, low-lying lop, làm 陷, 凹,低窪

wet day loh-hō-thiⁿ 下雨天

wet nurse leng-bó 奶媽

wet the bed chhōa-jō 尿床

wet through tǎm-kō-kō 濕透,濕淋淋

wet through by rain lǎm-tǎm 淋濕

wet to the skin, wet through, dripping wet tǎm-thau-koe 濕透

wet weather loh-hō-thiⁿ ē 下雨天的

wet with some drops of rain, be spattered with rain phùn-hō 濺雨

wet, damp, clammy tǎm-tǎm 濕濕的

wet, moisten, sprinkle, dampen ùn-tǎm 沾濕

wet, soft uneven ground or road lop-lop 微凹

wetlands hái-pō sin-seng-tē 海埔新生地

whack, blow, bang, thump cheng 重擊

whack, strike a blow phah chit-ē 打一下

whale hái-ang 鯨魚

whale boat pō-keng-chũn 捕鯨船

whaler, one who works on a whale fishing boat pō-keng-chía, liáh hái-ang 捕鯨魚

whaler, whale fishing boat pō-keng-chũn 捕鯨船

wharf, dock, pier bé-thǎu 碼頭

wharf, jetty for passenger boats, ferry terminal tō-chũn-thǎu 渡船碼頭

what síaⁿ-mih, sím-mih 什麼

What a pity. Sít-chāi chin khó-ǎn. 實在很可憐.

What are you doing? Lí teh chhòng síaⁿ-hòe? 你在幹什麼?

What are you eating? Lí teh chiáh sahⁿ-hòe? 你在吃什麼?

What are you talking about? Lí teh kóng sahⁿ-mih? 你在說什麼?

What day of the week is it? Kin-á-jit pài-kúi? 今天星期幾?

What do you want to eat? What do you like to eat? Lí ài chiáh sahⁿ-mih? 你愛吃什麼?

What do you want? Lí ài sahⁿ-hòe? 你要什麼?

What does this area produce? Chit ē só-chāi chhut-sán sím-mih? 這個地方出產什麼?

What floor do you live on? Lí tòà tī tē kúi chàn? 你住在第幾樓?

What for? Why? ūi sím-mih? 為什麼?

What happened? What is the matter? siahⁿ tǎi-chi? 什麼事?

What he said is true. I só kóng ē sī chin ē. 他所說的是真的.

What is it all about? Kìu-kèng sī àn-chóaⁿ? 究竟是怎樣?

what is regular and necessary, moral basis of society, frequently, often keng-siōng 經常

What is that? He sī sahⁿ? He sī sím-mih? 那是什麼?

What is the man like? Hit ē lǎng sī sím-mih khóan-sit? 那個人是什麼樣子?

What is the matter? Sim-mih tǎi-chì? Síaⁿ-hòe? 什麼事,何物?

What is the necessity? hō-pit 何必

What is the use after all? Kìu-kèng ū sím-mih lō-ēng? 究竟有甚麼用?

What is your family name? Lí sèⁿ sím-mih? 你姓什麼?

What is your hobby? Lí ē chhù-bī sī sím-mih? 你的興趣是什麼?

What is your honorable age? How old are you? Kùi-keⁿ? Kùi-kiⁿ? 貴庚?

What kind of reasoning is that? How can this be so? preposterous, ridiculous, absurd Khí iú chhú-lí? 豈有此理?

What kind? What sort? Sím-mih khóan? 甚麼樣?

What line of business are you in? Lí chò toh chit hong-bīn ē sū-giap? 你做哪一方面的事業?

What military rank did you attain? Lí chò kun-koaⁿ chò kàu sím-mih kun-kai a? 你當軍官當到什麼軍階?

What movie is on today? Kin-á-jit teh chò sím-mih chhut? 今天演什麼片子?

What number in series? Kúi hoan? 幾號?

What per cent? kúi-sǎⁿ? 幾成?

What place? Toh-ūi? 哪裡?

- What sign of the Chinese zodiac indicates your year of birth?** Lí siuⁿ sím-mih? 你屬什麼生肖?
- What step should we take?** Lán tiòh chhái-chhú sím-mih chhò-si? 我們應採取什麼措施?
- what still is owed on an account** āu-chhiú 殘額, 餘額
- What will you bet?** Lí boeh su-iaⁿ sím-mih? 你要打賭什麼?
- What you have said** lí só kóng ě 你所說的
- What You See Is What You Get, WYSIWYG** khòaⁿ-ē-tiòh chhiu tit-ē-tiòh 所見即所得
- whatever, no matter what or how, regardless of...** bō-lūn sím-mih 無論什麼
- You may take whatever books you like.** Lí só ài ě chheh lóng ē-ēng-tit thèh. 你所喜歡的書都可以拿.
- Whatever chance you have don't miss it.** Jim-hō ki-hōe lóng m̄-thang sit-khì. 任何機會都不可失去.
- whatever one has** chhīn-ū 所有的
- whatever one knows** só-chai 所知
- whatever one sees** só-khòaⁿ 所看
- whatever one thinks** só-siuⁿ 所想
- whatever one wears** só-chhēng 所穿
- Whatever they said he believed.** In só kóng ě i lóng ū sìn. 他們所說的他都信.
- Whatever you wish, speak out.** Lí ài sím-mih, sùi-chāi lí kóng. 你要什麼, 隨你說.
- whatever, any, whichever, whatsoever** jīm-hō 任何
- What's the difference?** Ū sím-mih chha-piàt?, Ū sím-mih cheng-chha? 有什麼差別?
- What's the effects of doing this?** Án-ne chò ū sím-mih chok-iōng? 這樣做有什麼作用?
- What's the harm?** Hō-hōng? 何妨?
- What's the matter?** Sí-mih tai-chì? 甚麼事?
- What's your name?** Lí hō-chò sím-mih tōa mia? 您叫什麼大名?
- wheat** bēh, bēh-á, sío-bēh 麥, 小麥
- ears of wheat** bēh-á-sui 麥穗
- wheat bran** bēh-pho 麥麩
- wheat field** bēh-á-hng 麥田
- wheat flour** mī-hún 麵粉
- wheat or barley stalk without the ear** bēh-kó 麥稿
- wheat sprouts, malt, wheat gluten** bēh-gě 麥芽, 飴糖
- wheedle, entice, to tempt, induce** ko-chiaⁿ 用好話勸誘
- wheel** lián, chhia-lián 車輪
- man at the wheel** hū-chek ě lǎng 負責的人
- wheel and axle, wheel shaft** chhia-sim 輪軸, 車軸
- wheel spokes** lián-á ě hó-kut-á 輪子的輪輻
- wheelbarrow** chit lián-chhia 獨輪車
- wheelchair** lūn-í 輪椅
- wheels of vehicle** chhia-lián 車輪
- wheeze** hūⁿ-hūⁿ-kio, hūⁿ-hūⁿ-chhoán 哮喘
- whelp, puppy, conventional phrase for "my son"** siáu-khián 小犬
- When can you come?** Lí tang-sǐ ē-tàng lái? 什麼時候可以來?
- When can you deliver it to me?** Tang-sǐ ē-tàng kau góa? 什麼時候能交給我?
- When I've time I'll pick you up.** Góa nā ěng chiah lái chàì lí. 我若有空再來載你.
- when one gets old** lāu-lǎi 年老, 年老時
- when one was a child** sè-hàn ě sǐ 小的時候
- when the hot weather** tng-joah 正炎熱的天氣
- when the moon comes out** chhut-goeh 月亮出來
- when the most burning hot** tng-jiat 正在火熱中
- When the weather is bad you must be more careful.** Tú-tiòh pháiⁿ-thiⁿ ě sǐ-chūn tiòh-ài koh khah sè-jī. 遇到壞天氣的時候必須更加小心.
- when there is a rainbow** chhut-khēng 出彩虹
- When will the funeral be?** Tang-sǐ boeh chhut-soaⁿ?, Tang-sǐ boeh chhut-chòng? 什麼時候要出葬?
- When you are free, come to see me.** Nā ū ěng, tiòh lái chhit-thō. 若有空, 得來玩.
- when, at what time** sím-mih sǐ 什麼時候
- when, if, as** nā 若
- when, while** ě-sǐ 的時候
- When? What time?** Tī-sǐ? Tang-sǐ? 何時?
- whence** tui toh-ūi 從何處
- whenever, every time, on each occasion** kìn, kián 每, 每逢
- Whenever he comes, I am not at home.** I kìn lái, góa kìn bō tī lē. 每逢他來, 我都不在.
- Whenever he has some money, he goes to drink.** I nā ū chiⁿ, chhiu khi lim. 他假如有錢, 就去喝酒.

while

Whenever he is free, he sleeps as long as he can. I nā ũ ẽng ẽ sǐ ke-kiám khùn. 他要是一有空就盡量睡。

Whenever he prescribes, the patient recovers. Kiàn i, kiàn hó. 每醫每好。

Whenever she looks at this picture, she cries. I kiàn khòaⁿ-tiòh chit tiuⁿ siòng, kiàn khàu. 他每次見到這張照片就哭。

Whenever, no matter when bǔ-lūn sím-mih sǐ 不論何時

Where are you going? Boeh tó khi?, Boeh tá khi? Boeh khi tah? 要去那裏?

Where are you working? Lí tī toh-ūi teh chiah thau-lō? 你在那兒工作?

Where did you hear it? Lí tī tah-ūi thiaⁿ-kìⁿ? 你在那裡聽的?

Where do you live? Lí khia tī toh-ūi? 你住在那兒?

Where do you rank? Mía-chhù pǎi tē kúí? 排第幾次?

Where in the world have you been? Tàu-té lí sǐ khi toh-ūi? 你到底去那兒?

Where is he now? Chím-á i tī toh-ūi? 今何在?

Where is his grave? I ẽ hong-súi tī toh-ūi? 他的墳墓在那兒?

where one studied só chǐu-thòk ẽ 就讀

Where? Toh? Tah? Toh-ūi? Tah-ūi? 哪裡?

Where? What place? Sím-mih só-chāi? 甚麼地方?

whereabouts hē-lòh 下落

whereabouts not clear, unaccounted for hē-lòh-put-béng 下落不明

whereabouts unknown, missing I sit-chong khi 他失蹤了

whereabouts, at what place tī toh-ūi, tī tah-ūi 在何處

whereabouts, where one is going khi-hiòng 去向

whereas, actually, in fact, really kǐ-sit 其實

whereas, if nā-sǐ 若是

whereas, since, as, this being the case kǐ-jian 既然

whereby, how, what way, what ná 如何

whereby, why àn-chóaⁿ 為何

wherefore, therefore, as a result, so só-í 所以

wherefore, why àn-chóaⁿ 為何

wherein, among, in, included among these kǐ-tiong 其中

wherein, from whence, from where tī toh-ūi, tī tah-ūi 在何處

whereof koan-hē 關於

whereupon, therefore, as a result, so só-í 所以

whereupon, thus, consequently, as a result in-ūi án-ne 因此

wherever bǔ-lūn sím-mih só-chāi 無論何處

whet, grind, sharpen bǔa 磨

whet the appetite, appetizing, to amuse oneself at ssombodys expense, to tease khui-pǐ, khui-ūi 開胃

whether sǐ-m-sǐ 是否

whether willing or not willing to do something put-kóan gōan-ì á bǔ gōan-ì 不管願意與否

Whether you go or not is up to you. Boeh khi, m khi, chhut-chāi lí. 要去,不去,隨你便。

whetstone, grindstone to-chiòh 磨刀石

whetstone, to use a grinding stone e-chiòh-bō-á 磨石磨

which toh chit ẽ, tah chit ẽ 那一個

- **something which one cannot stand** tòng-bē-tiáu, tòng-bē-tiáu ẽ tǎi-chì 忍不住,忍不住的事情

- **Which way?** Toh chit tiáu lō? Tah chit tiáu lō? 哪一條路?

Which day of the week? pài-kúí? 星期幾?

Which is the right end of these chopsticks? Chit siang tī, toh chit thau sǐ chíaⁿ-thau, toh chit thau sǐ tò-thau? 這雙筷子哪一端是頭,哪一端是尾?

Which of the first ten days is it? chhe kúí? 初幾?

Which one of a series? Tē kúí...? 第幾?

Which one? Tah chit ẽ? Toh chit ẽ? 哪一個?

Which place, what place, where, whereabouts? Tah-ūi? 何處?

whichever bǔ-lūn sím-mih 無論什麼

- **Take whichever you wish.** Lí ài síaⁿ-mih chǐu thèh síaⁿ-mih. 你要什麼就拿什麼。

- **Whichever side wins it's all the same to me.** Bǔ-lūn toh chit pèng iǎⁿ góa lóng káng-khóan. 無論哪一邊贏我都一樣。

whiff, gently blowing khin-khin-á pǔn-khùi 輕輕的吹氣

whiff, a sniff of an odor or smell chit chūn khong-khì, khi-bī 一陣空氣,氣味等

while, time, when, hour, season, period sǐ, sǐ-kan 時,時間

while, time, length of time, moment, period ...ĕ sĭ-chūn ...的時候

- **to rest for a little while** hioh-khùn chit-ē-á 休息一下

- **while on earth** chāi-sè ĕ sĭ 在世的時候

- **While reading he fell asleep.** I thak-chheh ĕ sĭ tuh-ku. 他讀書的時候打瞌睡。

while alive, while in the life chāi-seⁿ 在世

while away the time siau-mō̃ 消磨

while he is in class... I teh siōng khò ĕ-sĭ... 他在上課的時候...

while yet young thàn siàu-liǎn 趁年輕

while, although, even though, even if sui-jiān 雖然

while, moment, for some time, in just moment tah-kú-á, tiap-á-kú 一會兒

while, temporary, provisional, for the time being chiām-sĭ 暫時

whim, capricious hóan-hok bŭ-siōng 反覆無常

whim, delusion, fantasy hòan-sióng 幻想

whim, eccentric notion chin kòai ĕ sĭuⁿ-hoat 怪念頭

whim, something done on the spur of the moment without much thought chit sĭ sĭuⁿ-boeh chò ĕ tǎi-chì 一時的興致

whimper, blubber, weep endlessly, interminable wailing chhng-chhng-háu 哭哭啼啼

whimper, low bark, woof of a dog hōm-hōm-kio 汪汪低吠

whimper, weeping, sob chhĭⁿ-chhng-kio 抽噎地哭,啜泣

whimsical, strange, odd, to marvel, to be baffled kĭ-kòai ĕ 奇怪的

whimsical, to attempt vainly, a vain attempt, delusional bōng-sióng ĕ 妄想的

whine, dog's plaintive wailing sound chhoe káu-lè 狗的哀鳴聲

whine, sound of crying be-be-kio 哇哇叫

whine, whimper hāiⁿ-hāiⁿ-kio, kĭ-káp-kio 抱怨聲

whip a horse, use a whip to get a horse to run ēng piⁿ phah bé 用鞭打馬

whip used to encourage an ox to move gŭ-sut-á 牛鞭

whip, a whip piⁿ 鞭

whip, to whip ēng piⁿ phah 鞭打

whirl a top phah kan-lòk 打陀螺

whirl around seh lin-long 轉圓圈

whirl, stir about kŏ 擾轉

whirl, turn round, go round in circle, planets revolving seh, tng 迴轉

whirlpool kng-lè-á-chūn, sŏan-o 漩渦

whirlwind kng-lè-á-hong 旋風

whisk or shake one's clothes gently to remove the dust pŏaⁿ seng-khu 拂身體

whisk, broom sàu-chiu, sàu-chhiu 掃帚

whisk, feather duster ke-mng-chhéng, ke-mŏ-chhéng 雞毛撻子

whisk, flick pŏaⁿ-pŏaⁿ le 拂一拂

whisk, to brush away pŏaⁿ 拂

whisk, to dash, to dart cháu chin hiōng 飛奔

whisk, to stir, to agitate lā 攪拌

whiskers chhùi-chhiu 鬍鬚

whisky ui-sū-kĭ (phonetic) 威士忌酒

whisper back and forth chhi-chhi chhū-chhū 低聲耳語

whisper, low voice sè-á siaⁿ 小聲

whisper, murmur chhih-bú-chhih-chhuh 細聲說話,耳語

whispering, talk in whispers kau-thǎu chiap-nĭ 交頭接耳

whispers of love chēng-oē 情話

whistle, to whistle kho-sut-á, kho-si-á, tǎn chú-lè 吹口哨,陳水螺

whistle, a whistle pi-á 哨子

- **to blow a whistle** pŭn pi-á, pŭn pi-pi-á 吹哨子

white ant pèh-hiáh 白蟻

white as snow pèh-sut-sut, pèh-chhang-chhang, pèh-liak-siak 白如雪

white blood cells pèh-hiat-kĭu, pèh-hoeh-kĭu 白血球

white calico pèh-pò 白布

white cloth covering the dead body in the coffin chú-phōe 蓋在屍體上的白布

white collar worker bŭn-sin 文身,非勞力工作者

white crane pèh-hòh 白鶴

white dress shirt oai-sía-chuh (phonetic) 白襯衫

white eyebrow pèh-bak-bǎi 白眉

white flag for surrender pèh-kĭ 白旗

white flow, vaginal discharge, leucorrhoea, leukorrhea pèk-tài 白帶

white frothy salivat the mouth pèh-pho-nŏa 口涎沫

white grape wine pèh-chiu, pèh phŏ-tŏ-chiu 白酒,白葡萄酒

whole

White House Pèk-kiong 白宮
white mold pèh-ko̍ 白黴, 白霉
white mushroom mǝ̂-ko̍ 蘑菇
white of eggs, albumen n̄ng-chheng, n̄ng-pèh
蛋白
white of the eye pèh-j̄n 白眼
white paper pèh-chóa 白紙
White Paper, an official government report
pèh-phóe-su 白皮書
white polished rice pèh-bí 白米
white race pèh-sek j̄n-chióng 白色人種
White Russia, Belarus Pèh-ngō̂-lō̂-su 白俄羅斯
white specks, white spots pèh-pan 白斑
white sugar pèh-thng 白糖
white, white color pèh-sek 白色
whitecap ũ pèh-pho ě hái-éng 有白泡沫的浪頭
whiten, to bleach phio-pèh 漂白
**whites of one's eyes showing as from death,
in pain or disappointment** péng-pèh-kǎiⁿ
眼珠翻白, 形容沒希望
whitewash, paint the wall with lime boah-
piah 刷牆壁
whitewash, to conceal a fault, to gloss over
am-khām 掩飾
**whittle, to lessen, to decrease, to reduce, to
lower** kiám-chío 減少
whittle, to scrape, to pare away siah, siu 削,
修
who sáng, chǎ, sím-mih-lǎng 誰, 何人
Who on earth are you? Tàu-té lí sǐ sím-mih-
lǎng? 你到底是誰?
Who will go? Síáⁿ-lǎng boeh khi? 誰要去?
WHO, World Health Organization WHO, Sè-
kài ōe-seng chor-chit WHO, 世界衛生組織
whoever bǝ̂-lūn sím-mih lǎng? 無論是誰?
whoever, whatever, in every case hōan-nā
凡是
whole, entire, complete lóng-chóng 全部
- **in the whole of Taipei** thong Tǎi-pak 全臺北
- **the whole body** kui seng-khu 全身
- **the whole day** kui-jit 整天
- **the whole life** it-seng, chiong-sin 一生, 終身
- **the whole night** kui-mě 整夜
- **the whole section** chǎn-pō 全部
- **the whole province** chǎn-séng 全省
- **the whole year** kui-nǐ 整年

- **to pay the whole debt** hěng-chheng chè-bū
還清債務
- **with the whole heart** chǎn-sim 全心
whole affair chǎn-pǎaⁿ 全盤
**whole army was lost, army was totally an-
nihilated** chǎn-kun hok-biát 全軍覆沒
whole body is soaked Chit seng-khu tám lok-
lok., Kui seng-khu tám lok-lok. 全身濕透了。
**whole body, everybody, in all, plenary as-
sembly, unanimously** chǎn-thé 全體
whole church chéng-kǝ̂ kàu-hōe 整個教會
whole class, whole squad chǎn-pan 全班
whole coastal region iǎn-hái it-tài 沿海一帶
**whole country or nation, national, nation
wide** chǎn-kok 全國
whole empire enjoying peace thian-hā thài-
péng 天下太平
whole face, all over the face bóan-bīn 滿面,
滿臉
whole family or household chǎn-ka, chǎn-
ke, kui-ke, chit ke-kháu, kui ke-kháu,
thong-ke 全家, 閤家
**whole family or husband and wife come
together and united harmoniously**
thoan-oǎn 團圓
whole group or procession kui-tūn 大伙兒, 一
群
whole island chǎn-tó 全島
whole line chǎn-sòáⁿ 全線
whole mind chǎn cheng-sin 全精神
whole mind, all one's heart sim-hiat 心血
whole nation taken together chǎn-kok it-tì
全國一致
**whole number, integral number, round
number** chéng-sò 整數
whole of something, the whole world chéng-
kǝ̂ 整個
whole of, all it-chhè 一切
whole region kui-phiàn 一大片
Whole room is filled with books. Chit pǎng-
keng lóng sǐ chheh. Kui pǎng-keng lóng sǐ
chheh. 整個房間都是書。
whole school chǎn-hāu 全校
whole set kui-thò 整套
whole sky kui-thiⁿ 滿天
whole society chéng-kǝ̂ sǐa-hōe 整個社會
**whole thick slice, over considerable sur-
face** kui-phíaⁿ 整片
whole town thong-ke-á 全街
whole village kui-chng 全村

- whole way, along the road, on the way** iǎn-lō̄ 沿途,沿路
- whole wheat** sūn bēh-á chò ǎ 純麥做的
- whole world** chǎan-sè-kài, thong sè-kài 全世界
- whole world joins in congratulation, celebration, rejoicing** phō̄-thian tǝng-khèng 普天同慶
- whole year through** kui-nǐ thàng-thiⁿ 一年到頭
- whole, all, every, complete** chǎan, thong 全
- whole, completely, fully** chǎan-pō̄ 全部
- whole, entire or full face** kui-bīn 滿臉
- whole, entire, total** kui 整個
- wholehearted, dedicated** jiāt-sǝng ǎ 熱誠的
- wholehearted, filled with, preoccupied with** móa-pak 滿腹,一肚子
- wholehearted, to concentrat, absorbed, concentration, engrossed** choan-sim ǎ 專心的
- wholehearted, with all one's heart** chǎan-sim chǎan-ì 全心全意
- wholeheartedly** móa-sim 滿心
- wholeheartedly, devotedly, with all one's mind, intently, with all one's heart** choan-sim, kui-sim 專心,全心
- wholesale, bulk trade, distribution** phe-hoat, phoe-hoat, phi-hoat 批發
- to buy wholesale bé kui tǝng 買整批
- to sell wholesale tōa-bē 批發販賣
- wholesale agent** téng-pǎaⁿ 上盤
- wholesale business** tōa-pǎaⁿ seng-lí 大盤生意
- wholesale dealer** tōa-bē-tiām, phoe-hoat-siong 批發商店,批發商
- wholesale price** tōa-bē-kè, phe-hoat-kè, phi-hoat-kè 批發價
- wholesale cost** sǝng-pún 成本
- wholesale warehouse, retail store, wholesale store** tōa-bē-tiūⁿ 大賣場,量販店
- wholesale, retail outlet** sío-bē-tiām 批零商店
- wholesome, robust, sound** kiān-chǎan 健全
- wholesome, healthy, sanitary** hah ōe-seng ǎ 合乎衛生的
- wholesome advice** liǝng-giǎn 良言
- wholesome and healthy thoughts** kiān-chǎan ǎ su-sióng 健全的思想
- wholesome place** tui kiān-khong ū hó-chhù ǎ só-chāi 對健康有好處的地方
- wholly advantageous** iú-ek bū-sún 有益無損
- wholly injurious** iú-hāi bū-ek 有害無益
- wholly, blindly, persistent** it-bī 一味,執著
- wholly, completely, all** oǎn-chǎan, chéng-kǎ, lǝng-chǝng 完全,整個,全部
- whoop** hoah-hiu 呼喊
- whooping cough** pah-jit-sàu, he-ku-sàu 百日咳
- whore, call girl** èng-tiàu lí-lǝng 應召女郎
- whore, prostitute** ki-lí 妓女
- whose** síaⁿ-lǎng ǎ, chǎa ǎ 誰的
- why** ná, àn-chóaⁿ, ū hǎ 為什麼,因何,為何
- why bother, quite unnecessarily** hǎ-mih-khó 何苦
- Why can't it be?** ná-bē? 怎麼不會
- Why didn't you come?** Lí ná bǎ lǎi? 你為什麼沒來?
- Why hasn't he come?** I ná bǎ lǎi? 他為什麼沒有來?
- Why is it necessary to steal?** Hǎ-pit tiǝh chǎo chhát-á? 何必得去當賊?
- Why is it so cold today?** Kin-á-jit àn-chóaⁿ chiah kǎaⁿ? 今天為什麼這麼冷?
- Why must you get angry?** Lí hǎ-pit síu-khì? 你何必生氣?
- wick of a candle** lah-chek-sim 燭心
- wick of a lamp** teng-sim 燈心
- wicked scheme, cunning trick** kan-kè 奸計
- wicked, bad man, fierce, savage man, overbearing, imperious man** ok-lǎng 惡人
- wicked, bad, evil** pháíⁿ, ok 壞,惡
- wicked, cruel evil** hiong-ok 兇惡
- wicked, cruel, injurious heart and conduct** pháíⁿ-sim tok-hēng 壞心腸,狼心狗肺
- wicked, cruel, malicious, viciousness** ok-tòk 惡毒
- wicked, evil-minded** pháíⁿ-sim 壞心腸
- wicked, evil, black-hearted** o-lok sim 心黑,壞心腸
- wicked, evil, malignant** ok-chit 壞心腸
- wickedness, crime, evil, sin** chōe-ok 罪惡
- wickedness, sinister, vicious, evil** sía-ok 邪惡
- wide** khoah 闊
- Open your mouth wide. Chhùi khui-khui. 把嘴打開.
- The door is wide open. Mǎng-khui-khui. 門開著.
- wide awake** bak-chiu kim-kim 眼睛睜開著
- wide awake, clear-minded, sober** chheng-chhéⁿ 清醒
- wide band** khoan-pǎn 寬頻

wild

wide cloth used to hold baby on the back

āiⁿ-kin 背巾,揸巾

wide screen motion picture, 3D motion picture, Cinerama lip-thé tiān-iaⁿ 立體電影

wide use chin chē iōng-chhù 很多用處

widely hōan-ūi khoah 範圍廣的

widely reported tōa-hù-pò-tō 大幅報導

widely rumored, all sorts of rumors going the rounds iāu-giān móa-thiⁿ-poe 謠言滿天飛

widen hùn-khoah, thok-khoan 加寬,拓寬

widen gap or distance chhek khah khui 隔開一點

widen, to expand, to enlarge khòng-tōa 擴大

widespread, popular, to popularize phó^o-kip 普及

widespread, universal, general, common phó^o-phiàn 普遍

widow chiú-kóaⁿ cha-bó^o, kóaⁿ-hū 寡婦

widow remaining unmarried síu khang-pāng 守空閨

widow, survivors ũi-song, bī-bōng-jīn 遺孀,未亡人

widower sí-bó^o ě, koan-hu 鰥夫

width khoah, khoah-tō^o 闊,寬度

wield, control, dominate, allocate chi-phòe 支配

wield, to brandish a sword lāng-kiām 揮舞

wield, to use, to employ, to apply, to make use of su-iōng 使用

wife thài-thài, bó^o, khan-ě, chhe-chú 太太,妻子

- **elder brother's wife** a-só 嫂嫂

- **my wife** góa ě cha-bó^o-lāng, góan thài-thài 我內人,我太太

- **second wife married after the death of the first one** aū-sīu 繼室

- **wife and child** bó^o-kiaⁿ 妻兒

- **wife's father** tūⁿ-lāng, gák-hū 岳父

- **wife's mother** tūⁿ-m, gák-bó 岳母

- **wife's younger sister** ĩ-á 小姨子

- **wife's younger brother** kū-á 小舅子

- **wife's older sister** tōa-ĩ 大姨子

- **wife's older brother** tōa-kū 大舅子

- **wife of mother's brother** a-kim 舅媽

- **wife of father's elder brother** a-m 伯母

- **wife of father's younger brother** a-chím 孀

- **wives of brothers** tǎng-sāi, tǎng-sāi-á 妯娌

- **to take a wife** chhōa-bó^o 娶妻

- **your wife** lín thài-thài 你太太

- **younger brother's wife** tē-hū-á 弟媳婦

wife and children ka-siòk, ka-kòan 家屬,家眷

wife and children, husband and wife ka-sek 家室

wife and concubines chhe-chhiap 妻妾

wife and family, family dependent kòan-siòk 眷屬

wife of doctor, wife of one's teacher, master sian-siⁿ-niū 師母,醫師娘

wife of grandfather's older brother, grand aunt m-pǒ 伯祖母,伯奶奶

wife of her younger brother kīm-á 弟媳

wife of husband's younger brother sió-chím 小孀

wife of maternal grandmother's brother kīm-pǒ 舅婆,舅奶奶

wife of paternal grandfather's younger brother chím-pǒ 孀奶奶

wife of second oldest brother jī-só 二嫂

wife of the boss thǎu-ke-niū 老闆娘

wife of the young lord or master siào-nái-nái 少奶奶

wife of wife's brother chhe-kīm 內弟媳

wife of wife's elder brother, wife of mother's eldest brother tōa-kīm 大舅母,內兄嫂

wife of wife's younger brother sè-kīm-á 內弟媳

wife who sleeps alone khùn-khang-pāng 妻守空房

wife, to hold another's hand khan-chhiú 妻子,牽手

wife's brother chhe-kū 內弟

wife's family of origin āu-thǎu-chhù 娘家

wife's help, better half lōe-chō 內助

wife's nephew gōe-seng-á 外姪

Wi-Fi bǒ-sòⁿ chhiūⁿ-bāng 無線上網

wig ké-thǎu-mo 假髮,假頭髮

wiggle khìh-khòk-iǒ 搖動

Wiki Encyclopedia, Wikipedia ũi-ki-pah-kho 維基百科

wild, uncivilized bǒ khai-hò^a ě 未開化的

- **to grow wild** ía-seng 野生

wild animals ía-siù 野獸

wild beast béng-siù 猛獸

wild bees ía-phang 野蜂

wild boar ía-ti, soaⁿ-ti 野豬,山豬

wild buffalo, bison, wild ox ía-gǔ 野牛

wild cat, harlot, vile scolding bǎ 狸貓,淫婦

wild dog iá-káu 野狗	will do, can be done, its O K ē-sái-tit 可以,行
wild duck chiá ⁿ -hoan, hoan-ah 番鴨	will fail, will not be successful bē sǝng-kong 不會成功
wild excitement, grow excited, feverish delirium, frantic jiát-kǝng 熱狂	will get stronger ē khah íong 會較強壯
wild fancies, give oneself over to wild fancies bǝng-síong 妄想	will most certainly win, cannot fail or be defeated pit-sǝng 必勝
wild field, plain, open space, limit, boundary, rude, feral iá, iá-sǝng 野,野性的	will not act honorably according to the agreement in paying, common expenses or gambling debts m̄-tam su-ia ⁿ 輸不起
wild flowers iá-hoe 野花	will not adhere, stick together liám bē-tiáu 黏不住
wild goat soa ⁿ -iũ ⁿ 山羊	will not come, will not able to, cannot because of intrinsic difficulty bē-lái 不會來,不會
wild goose gān 雁	will not go, will not able to go, cannot go because of excessive quantity bē-khì 不能做完
wild honey iá-bít 野蜜	will not hesitate to, won't refuse chāi só put-sǝ 在所不辭
wild men iá-bǎn-lǎng 野蠻人	will not listen, will not take advice, will not obey m̄-thia ⁿ 不聽
wild nature, jungle instincts, ungovernableness, untamed iá-sǝng 野性	will not permit m̄-chún, put-chún 不准
wild pear chiáu-lǎi-á 梨的一種,小梨	will of dead person, instruction of dying person úi-chiok 遺囑
wild pigeon, ringdove, wood pigeon pan-kah 斑鳩	will of Heaven thian-ì 天意
wild plant-life iá-sǝng sít-bút 野生植物	will power, fortitude sim-chì 心志
wild swan thian-gǝ 天鵝	will succeed ē-sǝng 會成,會成功
wild, feral sǝa ⁿ -hoat 野生	will, ambition, resolve, backbone, drive, spirit chì-khì 志氣
wildcat, leopard, mountain cat, bobcat soa ⁿ - bǎ 山貓	will, can, be possible, be able to ē 會
wildcat, stray cat soa ⁿ -niau 野貓	will, intention, imperial decree or God's will chí-ì 旨意
wilderness, desert hong-ia 荒野	will, meaning, idea, opinion, wish, desire ì- sù 意思
wilderness, desert, prairie khǝng-ia 曠野	will, to demand, to request, to coerce boeh, beh, ài 要,必須
wilderness, desolate area hong-kau iá-gōa 荒 郊野外	willful offense, break law purposely bǝng-ti kò-hoān 明知故犯
wildly acting or talking without regard to common practice or propriety put-sǝng thé-thǝng 不成體統	willing kam-gōan, gōan-ì, khéng 情願,願意,肯 - not be willing m̄-khéng 不肯 - perfectly willing sim-kam chǝng-gōan 心甘 情願 - willing or not beh á-sī m̄ 要或是不
wiles, trick, ruse, crafty scheme kúi-kè 詭計	willing to do khéng-chò 肯幹
wiles, trickery, wickedness, viciousness, villainy chhát-sǝng 賊性	willing to do good and give help to the poor, charitable, benevolent lók-siān hò ⁿ -si 樂 善好施
wilful thiǎu-kang ǝ, kò-ì ǝ 故意的	willing to endure kam-sim jí-m-siū 甘心忍受
wilful, stubborn kò-chip 固執	
will, willpower, determination ì-chì 意志 - free will ì-chì chū-iũ 自由意志 - strong willed person ū chì-khì ǝ lǎng 有志 氣的人 - to follow one's own will chiáu ka-tī ǝ ì-chì lǎi chò 按自己的意志來做 - to sacrifice one's own will hi-sǝng ka-tī ǝ ì- sù 犧牲自己的意願	
will, last will and testament úi-chiok 遺囑 - to do God's will chiáu Thi ⁿ -ì, sít-hǝng Siōng-chú ǝ chí-ì 按照天意,實行上主的旨 意	
will be successful ē sǝng-kong 會成功	

wind

willing to endure hardship khéng chiáh-khó
肯吃苦

willing to take an inferior position, concede defeat willingly kam pái hā-hong
甘拜下風

willingly chū-gōan, kam-gōan, kam-sim, gōan-ì
自願, 情願, 願意

willow líu-chhū 柳樹

willow branch líu-ki 柳枝

willow eyebrows, eyebrows of beautiful woman líu-bái 柳眉

willow lane, brothel líu-hāng 柳巷

willow leaves líu-hiòh 柳葉

willow tree, pleasure, dissipation, gaiety líu-chhū 柳樹

willpower, perseverance gē-lék 毅力

willpower, self-control chū-chè-lék 自制力

willpower, will power ì-chì-lék 意志力

wilt, to wither, wilted, withered, drained, enervated, exhausted ta-khì 枯萎

wilt, wither and fall lian-khì, sīa-khì 凋謝

wily, resourcefulness ū tì-bō̂ ẽ 有智謀的

wily, treacherous, devious, a rogue kan-chà ẽ 奸詐的

win a lottery prize tiòng-chióng 中獎

win a medal tit-chióng 得獎

win a race cháu-iáⁿ 跑贏

win back after having losing like in gambling or competition phah-pěⁿ 拉平, 平手

win battle after battle lián-chiàn lián-sèng 連戰連勝

win championship iu-sèng, thǎu-kǐ 優勝, 爭第一

win glory cheng-kong 爭光

win in combat or fight, win game, conquer, gain victory phah-iáⁿ 打贏

win in debt, controversial win chèn-iáⁿ 爭論贏了

win in gambling iáⁿ kiáu 賭贏

win lawsuit sèng-sò 勝訴

win money back, to recover the capital phēⁿ-pún 扳本

win on one's own merits ēng sít-lék lǎi iáⁿ 用實力來贏

win or lose, succeed or fail sèng-pāi 勝敗

win the war thǎi-iáⁿ 戰贏

win victory chiàn-sèng 戰勝

win, obtain tit-tiòh 獲得

win, triumph over an enemy or opponent tit-sèng 得勝

win, victorious iáⁿ, phah iáⁿ 贏, 打贏

wince, to cower, to flinch, to quail, to recoil, to shrink kiu, kiu-kiu 畏縮

wind hong 風

- favorable wind sūn-hong 順風
- no wind tiām-hong 沒有風

wind, to rotate, to revolve, to spin, to whirl seh 旋轉, 盤旋

wind up, to turn chūn 轉動

wind, to wrap round, to coil tǐⁿ 纏

- The vine winds around the tree. Tǐn tǐn tǐ chhū-á. 藤盤在樹上。
- to wind a clock chūn sǐ-cheng 轉動時鐘
- to wind around the foot of the mountain seh tui soaⁿ-kha kòe 繞過山腳下
- to wind up, bring to a conclusion, to liquidate kiát-sok, chheng-sng 結束, 清算

wind and rain hong-hō, hong-ú 風雨

wind and rain suitable in season and quantity hong tiau ú sūn 風調雨順

wind and stormy waves kōng-hong tǎi-lōng 狂風大浪

wind and waves hong-éng 風浪

wind and waves, quarrels, disturbances hong-pho 風波

wind bell hong-léng 風鈴

wind blowing from the south lǎm-hong 南風

wind direction change tng-hong 風向轉變

wind gauge, wind force gauge hong-lék-pío 風力計

wind gauge, wind speed gauge hong-sok-pío 風速計

wind instrument kóan-gák-khì 管樂器

wind is blowing thàu-hong 颳風

wind power hong-lék-hoat-tián 風力發電

wind proof, stuffy bē thàu-hong 不透風

wind resistance khong-khì ẽ chók-lék 空氣阻力

wind thread tǐⁿ sòⁿ 纏線, 繞線

wind up an affair or job suitably siu-soah 完竣

wind up case, conclude case kiát-àn 結案

wind up legal case or let it drop, close case siau-àn 銷案, 消案

wind up, to close, put an end to kiát-sok 結束

wind velocity hong-sok 風速

wind, breath chhóan-khùi 呼吸

wind, to break wind, fart chhàu-phùi 臭屁	wine and women, drink and lust chiu-sek 酒色
windbag ke-kui-á-sian 吹牛大王	wine at meal, clear distilled wine sio-chiu 燒酒
windbreak hōng-hong-lim 防風林	wine barrel or cask, drunkard chiu-tháng 酒桶, 酒量大
winding oan-khiau 彎曲	wine cups chiu-poe 酒杯
- a winding road oan-oan khiau-khiau ẽ lō 彎彎曲曲的路	wine drinking game in which two contestants guess at the number of fingers about to be deployed hoah chiu-kun 划酒拳
winding like a path, stream oan-oan oat-oat 彎彎曲曲	wine served at congratulatory feast like wedding hí-chiu 喜酒
winding, crooked, curved, distorted au-oan 彎曲	wine shop, hotel, pub chiu-tiam 酒店
winding, curved, meandering, zigzagging sa ⁿ -chat-lát-khiau 彎彎曲曲	wing sit 翅膀
winding, devious, dishonest oai-ko chhìh-chhoah 彎彎曲曲, 不正直的, 不老實的	- left wing tò-sit, tò-pěng 左翼
windmill hong-chhia 風車	- right wing chia ⁿ -sit, chia ⁿ -pěng 右翼
window, a window on a computer screen, Windows the Microsoft operating system sī-thang 視窗	- to spread the wings thī-sit, thian-sit 展翅
window thang-á, thang-á-mng 窗子, 窗戶	wing feathers sit-kó-mo 翼毛
- display window po-lě-tũ 玻璃櫥	wing flap or flutter, to flap the wings phiát-sit 撲翼
- glass window po-lě thang-á 玻璃窗	wing of a bird sit-kó 翅膀
- window curtain thang-á-lí, thang-á-pò 窗簾	wing of a chicken ke-sit 雞翅
window frames thang-á-mng-kheng 窗戶框	wing of a traditional house, side room hō-lěng 廂房
Windows Explorer tòng-àn chóng-kóan 檔案總管	wink nih, nih-bak 眨眼
windpipe, throat, larynx, gullet nã-au-kng 喉管	- in a wink chit bak-nih-á 一瞬間
windpipe, trachea, respiratory tract khi-kng, hi-kng 氣管	- to wink at somebody kā lǎng nih-bak 對著他人眨眼暗示
windshield chah-hong ẽ po-lě 擋風玻璃	winner sèng-lí-chia, iã ⁿ ẽ lǎng 勝利者, 贏的人
windstorm hong-thai-hō 暴風的	winner, champion iu-sèng-chia 優勝者
windward, the direction from which the wind comes hong-thau 風頭, 上風	winner, winning candidate jip-sóan-chia 入選者
windy thau-hong ẽ 颶風的	winning bid koat-pio 決標
windy, a person who exaggerates things pún-ke-kui 誇口的	winnow grain chhiu ⁿ 颶
wine chiu 酒	winnow rice chhiu ⁿ -chhek, chhiu ⁿ -chhek-á 颶穀子
- altar wine Mǐ-sat chiu (Catholic) 彌撒酒	winnow rice by tossing in the wind pò-a-bí 簸米
- grape wine phũ-tō-chiu 葡萄酒	winnow unhulled rice kó ⁿ chhek-á 簸穀
- rice wine chheng-chiu 清酒	winnow wheat by pouring out in the wind chhiu ⁿ bēh-á 颶麥, 簸小麥
- to drink wine until drunk lim kah chiu-chui 喝到醉	winnow, toss kó ⁿ , pò-a 簸
- wine bottle chiu-kòan-á 酒瓶	winnowing machine hong-kó 簸穀機
- wine glass chiu-poe 酒杯	winsome chin khó-ài 可愛的
wine and tobacco hun-chiu 煙酒	winsome child chin tit lǎng thia ⁿ ẽ gín-á 很值得疼愛的小孩
wine and tobacco tax hun-chiu-sòe 煙酒稅	winter tang-thi ⁿ , kōa ⁿ -thi ⁿ 冬天
wine and water each in part tim pò-a ⁿ -chiu-chui 酒水各一半來燉	winter bamboo shoots tang-sún 冬筍

winter clothes kōaⁿ-thiⁿ-saⁿ 寒衣
winter curfew imposed annually to guard against undesirable elements tong-hōng 冬防
winter in the lunar calendar, the period from the 10th to the 12th moon tang, tong 冬
winter season tang-thiⁿ-sǐ, tang-kùi 冬季
winter season about to begin kau-tang 進入冬季
winter solstice tang-cheh 冬至
winter vacation hǎn-ká, hioh-kōaⁿ 寒假
wipe chhit 拭
wipe away tears chhit bák-sái 擦眼淚
wipe clean chhit hō· chheng-khì 擦乾淨
wipe dry chhit ta, chhit hō· ta 擦乾
wipe furniture with wet cloth duster jiu í-toh 擦桌椅
wipe mouth chhit-chhùi 擦嘴
wipe off perspiration chhit kōaⁿ 擦汗
wipe out kóaⁿ-chīn-sat-chòat 趕盡殺絕
wipe out an entire clan biát-chòk 滅族
wipe the bottom of a baby or old person, to deal with failed situation chhit-kha-chhng 擦屁股,收拾殘局
wipe with wet cloth, duster or wet towel jiu, liu 擦
WIPO, World Intellectual Property Organization sè-kài tì-hūi chái-sán-kōan chor-chit 世界智慧財產權組織
wire, metal wire thih-sòàⁿ 鐵絲
 - **brass wire** tǎng-sòàⁿ 銅線
 - **to connect a wire** chiap-sòàⁿ 接線
 - **lead wire, fuse** iǎn-sòàⁿ 鉛線
 - **electric wire** tiān-sòàⁿ 電線
wire cutter thih-sòàⁿ chián-á 剪鐵絲的用具
wire netting thih-sòàⁿ-bāng 鐵絲網
wire rope kng-soh 鋼索
wire tapping thau-thiaⁿ tiān-ōe, chiap lǎng ẽ tiān-ōe-sòàⁿ 竊聽電話
wire, a telegram tiān-pò 電報
wire, to send a telegram phah tiān-pò, khà tiān-pò 打電報
wireless bū sòàⁿ ẽ 無線的
wireless office, telecommunications office tiān-sìn-kiòk, bū-sòàⁿ tiān-sìn-kiòk 電信局
wireless telegram, cable, telegraph tiān-pò, bū-sòàⁿ tiān-pò 電報

wiring, hookup electrical wiring khan tiān-sòàⁿ 裝電線
wiring, wire a house or building phòe-sòàⁿ 配線
Wisdom Literature Tì-hūi bǔn-hák 智慧文學
wisdom teeth aū-chan 智齒
wisdom teeth coming in thiⁿ āu-chan 長智齒
wisdom, Book of Wisdom Tì-hūi-phian 智慧篇
wisdom, knowledge, intelligent, intelligence tì-hūi 智慧
wisdom, sensible, wise, judicious, sagacious bēng-tì 明智
wise gǎu, chhong-bēng 聰明
wise and virtuous women hiǎn-siok 賢淑
wise man, worthy scholar, holder of the master's degree, master's degree, M.A. sèk-sū 碩士
wise saying, aphorism, maxim keh-giǎn 格言
wise saying, good counsel kim-giǎn giòk-gí, kim-giǎn-giòk-lút 金言玉語,金言玉律
wish for long life thiam hòe-siu 添壽
wish or desire ì-gōan 意願
wish to be a great or influential person tōa-thǎu-pēⁿ 大頭病
wish, a desire gōan-bōng 願望
wish, a hope, wish for, to desire hi-bōng 希望
wish, regard, kindly feelings, intention sim-ì, sim-gōan 心意,心願
wish, to congratulate respectfully, to wish good luck and success, sincerely kèng-chiok, kiong-chiok 敬祝,恭祝
wish, to express good wishes, to pray chiok 祝
 - **I wish you good health.** Chiok lí kiān-khong. 祝你健康。
wish, to request, demand, important, vital, to want, will, going to ài, beh, boeh 要
wishbone chǎu-á ẽ khím-heng-kut 又骨
wishful, to eagerly anticipate chhiat-bōng ẽ, chin hi-bōng 切望的
wishful, to thirst for, to long for khat-bōng ẽ, siǎu-siuⁿ 渴望的
wisp of hair chit chhok thǎu-moⁿ 一縷頭髮
wisp of straw chit pé chháu-in 一把稻草
wisp, lock chhok 縷
wisp, to bind, bunch, bundle pé, sok 把,束
wit, quick-witted, tact, witty, resourceful ki-tì, piàn-khiau 機智

- to be at wit's end tì-kiōng chǎi-chīn, sīuⁿ bō
pān-hoat 智窮才盡,無計可施
- wit, effort, heart, mind, intention, centre,
core sim-lèk 心力
- wit, intelligence, intellect tì-lèk 智力
- witch bǔ-pō, lí-bǔ, ang-ǐ 巫婆, 女巫, 巫婆
- witch doctor bǔ-i 巫醫
- witchcraft bǔ-sút 巫術
- witchcraft, sorcery, sorcerers sǎ-sút 邪術
- with, plus, to put in, to add, to add on, to
add into, in addition, on top of that
chham 加上
- with, because, owing to, on account of in-ūi
因為
- with, and kap, hām 和, 同
- with, for, to face tui 對
- with, to have, to use ū, iōng 有, 用
- to cooperate with somebody hiáp-chō
lǎng 協助他人
- to look with favor khòⁿ-tāng 看重
- to sympathize with others tōng-chēng lǎng
同情他人
- with all one's might, gather all one's
strength, as when raising heavy thing
or suffering from constipation tēⁿ-lāt 用
力
- with all one's strength, with whole hearted
dedication chǎn-lèk 全力
- with fixed purpose, with determined mind
kian-sim 堅心
- with head bowed thǎu-khak lě-lě 頭低垂
- with illuminations and decorations tiám-
teng kat-chhái 張燈結彩
- with money, spend money iōng-chǐⁿ 用錢, 花
錢
- with no further resource, desperate spot,
the end of one's rope, helpless situa-
tion chīn-pō 盡頭, 絕境
- with no one to turn to or rely on, completely
helpless bǔ-i bǔ-khò 無依無靠
- with no resource, to watch helplessly nih-
chhiauh nih-chhiauh 乾瞪眼
- with one heart siāng-sim, tǎng-sim, tōng-sim
同心
- with one mind and united strength tǎng-sim
hiáp-lèk 同心協力
- with one's hands behind one's back chhiú
iap-aū 手藏在背後
- with one's own eyes chhin-bák 親眼
- with proud air, to show off, vigorous or en-
ergetic hong-sin 誇大, 愛出風頭, 神氣
- with tears in the eyes hām-lūi, bák-sái kām le
含淚
- with the exception, only if, unless tǐ-hui 除非
- with the same intellectual capacity and
scholastic achievements tōng-téng hák-
lèk 同等學力
- with these two hands one can work mira-
cles siang-chhiú bān-lěng 雙手萬能
- with undue familiarity, get fresh siuⁿ khò-siòk
太隨便
- withdraw blood from a vein thiu-hoeh 抽血
- withdraw for the moment chiām-sǐ thè-těng
暫時退庭
- withdraw from the presence of others, re-
tire from banquet before it is finished,
to walk out of a meeting in protest thè-
sèk 退席
- withdraw from, evacuate thiat-lí 撤離
- withdraw money from the bank tui gín-hǎng
nía-chǐⁿ 從銀行提款
- withdraw one's hand, withdraw chhiú kiu
khí-lǎi 撒手, 縮手
- withdraw one's shares from company thè-
kó 退股
- withdraw or cancel a license, recall, turn
back, send back thiat-hōe 撤回
- withdraw the garrison thiat-siú 撤守
- withdraw troops thiat-peng, thè-peng 撤兵, 退
兵
- withdraw, fall back, to go in reverse tò-thè,
thiat-thè 倒退, 撤退
- withdraw, pull out thiat-cháu 撤走
- withdraw, retreat, to decline, to move back
thè 退
- withdraw, to shrink kiu 縮
- withdraw, to take back, to revoke siu tò-tíng
收回
- withdrawal, pullout thiat-chhut 撤出
- withdraw, cancel, cancellation, annul chhú-
siau, thiat-siau 取消, 撤消
- withdrawal, retreat thiat-thè 撤退
- to make a strategic withdrawal chiàn-liòk-
siōng ẽ thiat-thè 戰略上的撤退
- withdrawal symptoms khí-giàn 癮發作
- wither and die ta-khì 枯萎
- wither, decline, recession soe-thè 衰退
- wither, fade ta-khì, lian, sīa 枯萎, 凋謝
- withered hoe sīa-khì 花謝了

withstand

withered old person lāu-kǎu-pó 癯老頭

withered, decayed consumed with dry rot
pó-khì, pó-khì 枯了

withhold one's consent m̄-chún 不准

withhold payment m̄-khéng hù-khóan, kī-
choát hù-khóan 不肯付款, 拒絕付款

withhold, refuse, reject m̄-khéng, kī-choát 不
肯, 拒絕

withhold, suppress, to inhibit, to stifle ap-
chè 壓制

within a week tī chit lé-pài lāi 在一個禮拜以內

within country, domestic kok-lāi 國內

within definite period of time it-tēng ẽ kǐ-kan
lāi 一定的期間內

within here, inside here chit lāi-bīn 這裡面

within one's duty hūn-lāi 份內

within or inside the school hāu-lāi 校內

within the boat chūn-lāi 船內

within the border, in the country kēng-lāi 境
內

**within the bounds of propriety in speech
and behavior** hun-chhùn 分寸

within the circle khōan-lāi 圈內

within the city walls sǎaⁿ-lāi 城內

within the county kōan-lāi 縣內

within the first ten days of the month chhe-
nih 月初, 初旬

within the year nǐ-lāi 年內

within three days' time hān saⁿ jīt 限三天

**within, inside, inner, internal, within, inte-
rior** lāi, lāi-bīn 內

**within, on the bottom, the inside, the inte-
rior** lāi-té 裏面, 內面

within, within, less than í-lāi 以內

**without, apart from, other than, except for,
external, outside of** í-gōa 以外

- **never a day without** bǒ chit jīt bǒ, làng-sǐ
bǒ làng-jīt 沒有一天沒有

without a companion bǒ-phōaⁿ 沒有伴

without ability bǒ lēng-lék 沒能力

without affinity bǒ iān 無緣

without an equal, certainly, absolutely
choát-tui 絕對

**without any previous thought about it, as
something coming unexpectedly** bǒ
chhūn-pān 不打算

without anyone to depend on bǒ-i bǒ-óa 無
依無靠

without awareness put-ti put-kak 不知不覺

without beginning without end, eternal bǒ-sí
bǒ-chiong 無始無終

**without capability, self depreciating term
referring to oneself** put-chǎi 不才

without capital bǒ-pún 沒有本錢

**without cause or reason, no relationship,
without rhyme or reason** bǒ-iān bǒ-kò,
bǒ-iān bǒ-kò 無緣無故

**without conditions or stipulations, uncondi-
tionally** bǒ tiāu-kīaⁿ 無條件

without delay, immediately má-siōng, kóaⁿ-
kín, liām-piⁿ 馬上, 趕緊

without dissenting voice, unanimous bǒ-ĩ-gī
無異議

without distinction of sex bǒ lǎm-lí ẽ khu-
piát 沒有男女的區別

without efficacious power bǒ-siāⁿ 不靈

without energy or strength bǒ-khùi-lát 無氣
力

without friends or helpers bǒ lǎng-bīn 無人事
關係

without human feelings, unkind, ungrateful
bǒ-chēng 無情

without interruption liǎn-siok 連續

without kin or friends bǒ-chhin bǒ-chhek 無
親無戚

without limit bǒ-hān 無限

without luster, dull, matte bǒ-bīn 無光澤的

**without party affiliation of any sort, non-
partisan** bǒ-tóng bǒ-phài, bǒ-tóng bǒ-
phài 無黨無派

without pause or intermission bǒ-sǐ-thēng 不
停的

**without permission, without reason, at ran-
dom, recklessly** lām-sám, lōan-sú 亂, 胡亂

**without promise of achievement, good-for-
nothing** put sēng-khì 不成器

without rest or stopping bǒ hioh-khùn 不休
息

**without spontaneity, in forced manner, in-
voluntarily** ngē-tō 勉強

**without stopping, without pause or inter-
mission** bǒ-thēng 不停

**without the knowledge of anybody else,
secretly, unbeknown to others** jin put-ti,
kúi put-kak 人不知鬼不覺

**without, haven't, hasn't, doesn't exist, to
not have, to not be** bǒ 沒有

withstand hardship nāi-khóⁿ nāi-lǒ 耐苦耐勞

withstand, resist, resistance tí-khòng 抵抗

- withstand, show restraint, repress anger, exercise patience** nāi, jí-m-nāi 忍耐
- witness, proof, certificate, identification, testimonial, to prove, to testify, to confirm the truth of** cheng-bêng 證明
- **false witness** gūi-cheng, kan-cheng, bong-cheng lang, oan-ong lang, ong-khut lang, chò ké cheng-jin 偽證, 偽證人
- **to give witness on behalf of** ūi...chò-cheng 為...作證
- witness at a wedding** cheng-hun-jin 證婚人
- witness battle, observe military operation** koan-chian 觀戰
- witness something, see with one's own eyes** chhin-bak khò-a-kì 目睹
- witness stand or box in court** cheng-jin-sék 證人席
- witness, a witness to an event** kian-cheng-jin, cheng-jin 見證人, 證人
- witness, evidence, proof, testimony** cheng-kì 證據
- witness, give witness or testimony** chò-cheng 做證
- witness, testimony** kian-cheng 見證
- witnesses, testimony given by witnesses** jin-cheng 人證
- witticism, a saying** beng-gian 名言
- witticism, clever expression** biāu-gí 妙語
- witticism, pun, wisecrack, sarcastic remark, double entendre** giat-khiat-ōe 俏皮話
- wittingly, deliberately, on purpose** kò-ì, thiau-ì-kò, thiau-kang 故意的
- witty person** gāu pian-khiàu ě lǎng 機智的人
- witty remark** giat-khiat-á ōe 詼諧的話
- witty, humorous, jocular, zany** giat-khiat 詼諧的
- witty, quick-witted, tact, resourceful** gāu pian-khiàu 機智的
- wives of husband's brothers, sisters-in-law** tang-sāi-á 妯娌
- wizard, sorcerer** chò sǎ-sút ě lǎng 行邪術的人
- wizard, spirit, fairy, elf, sprite, genie** cheng-leng 精靈
- wobble, rickety, rock, to shake, to sway** pian-lǎi pian-khi, tian-kòe-lǎi tian-kòe-khi 搖搖晃晃
- wobbly, shaky** khong-khong-hian 搖晃的
- wobbly, unstable** bē-chāi, bō ún-teng ě 不穩定
- woe, a disaster, catastrophe** chai-lān 災難
- woe, pitiful, woeful, pathetic, to have pity on** khó-lin, khó-liān 可憐
- woe, to be worried, to be distressed, worries** hoan-ló 煩惱
- woe, woeful, grieved, sorrow** pi-ai 悲哀
- woeful, misfortune, adversity, unfortunate, sad, unfortunately** put-heng 不幸的
- wolf** lǒng, iá-lǒng 狼, 野狼
- wolf dog, German Shepherd dog** lǒng-káu 狼狗
- wolf in sheep's clothing** chhiò-bin-hó 笑面虎
- wolf pack** lǒng-kun 狼群
- wolfish, tiger-like appetite, grasping** lǒng thun hó iàn 狼吞虎嚥
- wolves** chhǎi-lǒng 豺狼
- woman** cha-bó-lǎng, hū-jin-lǎng, hū-lí 女人, 婦人, 婦女
- **chaste or virtuous woman** chiat-hū 節婦
- **holy woman** Seng-hū 聖婦
- **married woman** kiāt-hun ě hū-jin-lǎng 結婚的婦人
- **old woman** a-pǒ-á, a-pǒ, lāu-a-pǒ 老太婆
- **young woman** siàu-liān hū-lí 年輕婦女
- woman beggar** khít-chiāh-pǒ 乞丐婆, 乞婦
- woman dressed as man** lí pān lǎm chong 女扮男裝
- woman head servant** lí kóan-ke 女管家
- woman married to an unworthy husband** hó-hoe chhah tóa gū-sái 好花插在牛糞上
- woman of easy virtue supposed to be fox in disguise, enchantress** hǒ-ǎ-chiā 狐狸精
- woman of peerless beauty, the fairest of the fair** choát-sè ě bí-jin 絕世的美人
- woman of the street** thàn-chiāh cha-bó 妓女
- woman school principal** lí hāu-tiū 女校長
- woman seeks paramour** thó khè-hiā 紅杏出牆
- woman who talks in shrill high pitched voice** háu-ke-bó 大嗓婆
- woman with lustful looking face** tài-thó-hoe 女人好淫之相
- woman, female, daughter, girl, maiden, feminine** lí, lú, hū-lí, hū-lú 女, 婦女
- woman, women** lí-jin 女人
- womanhood** lí-seng 女性
- womanhood, a woman's nature** lí-chú ě seng-chit 女子的性質
- womanizing, gambling and drunkenness** phiáu, tó, im 嫖, 賭, 飲

wood

womanly virtues, chastity lí-tek 女德

woman's handbag kha-báng-á 手提袋

woman's mourning head-dress kám-thāu-á
首經, 頭蓋

woman's reproductive organ devoid of pubic hair pèh-hó· (slang) 白虎

woman's secret savings, mad money, nest egg sai-khia 私房錢

womb chú-kiong 子宮

womb of non-human mammalian seⁿ-tng 生腸

women disguised as men lí pān lǎm-chong
女扮男裝

women fickle and lascivious chú-sèng iǒng-hoa 水性楊花

women's apartments kui-pǎng 閨房

women's association hū-lí-hōe 婦女會

women's complaint, diseases specifically of women hū-jín-pēⁿ 婦人病

Women's Day, March 8 Hū-lí-chiat, Sam-pat-chiat 婦女節, 三八節

Women's Health Care Center Hū-lí Pó-kiāntiong-sim 婦女保健中心

women's lib lí-kōan ūn-tōng 女權運動

women's movement hū-lí ūn-tōng 婦女運動

women's panties saⁿ-kak-khò· 三角褲

women's rights lí-kōan 女權

women's suffrage hū-lí sóan-kí-kōan 婦女選舉權

wonder, strange event kǐ-sū 奇事

- I wonder if m̄-chai... 不知...

- no wonder they can speak so well bók-kòai in chin gǎu kóng 難怪他們很會說

- to be filled with wonder kám-kak chin kǐ-kòai 覺得很奇怪

- to do wonders chò kǐ-chek, chò-chhut kiaⁿ-lǎng ẽ tǎi-chì 行奇蹟

wonder drug, patent medicine tèk-hāu-iòh 特效藥

wonder drugs, magic pill sǐn-iòh 神藥

wonder drugs, antibiotics khòng-seng-sò· 抗生素

wonder, miracle, odd, weird, wonderful kǐ-chek 奇蹟

wonder, mystery kǐ-biāu 奇妙

wonder, strange, odd, marvel, to be baffled kǐ-kòai 奇怪

wonder, to be amazed, to be surprised tiòh-kiaⁿ 驚奇

wonder, to doubt, to suspect, doubt, suspicion, skeptical giǎu-gǐ 懷疑

wonderful dinner chiok phong-phài ẽ iàn-sèk 很豐盛的宴席

wonderful sound of music bí-biāu ẽ koa-siaⁿ 美妙的歌聲

wonderful, amazing, astonishing kiaⁿ-lǎng ẽ 驚人的

wonderful, extraordinarily good liáu-put-khí 了不起

wonderful, fabulous, superb, excellent chiok hó ẽ, chiok chán ẽ 極好的

wonderful, fantastic kǐ-biāu 奇妙

wonderful, strange, odd kǐ-kòai 奇怪

wonderfully excellent and efficacious medicine sǐn-biāu 神妙

wonderland kǐ-kéng 奇境

wonderment, marvels kǐ-sū 奇事

wonderment, surprised kiaⁿ-kǐ 驚奇

wonderment, wonders, spectacle kǐ-koan 奇觀

wonder-struck tōa kiaⁿ chit-ē 大吃一驚

won't bōe, bē 不會

won't endure long tòng bē kú 撐不久

won't have anything to do with anyone ké-sí la-lí 裝死

won't last long, not durable bǒ-nāi-ēng 不耐用

won't live up to an agreement, won't pay gambling debts m̄ tam su-iáⁿ 沒有擔當

won't starve, cannot be starved to death gō bē sí 餓不死

wood chhǎ, bók-chhǎi 木材

- to collect wood khioh-chhǎ 撿柴

- to walk through the woods tui chhīu-nǎ kiaⁿ-kòe 從樹林走過

wood carver tiau-khek ẽ sai-hū 雕刻的師父

wood carving, carved of wood chhǎ khek ẽ 木雕的

wood chips chhǎ-sap-á 木屑

wood engraving, woodcut bók-tiau 木雕

wood flooring, boarded floor tē-pán 地板

wood material bók-liāu 木料

wood pile chhǎ-tui 木材堆

wood products bók-chè-phín, chhǎ chò ẽ 木製品

wood shed khng chhǎ keng-á 放木材的房間

wood vessels, furniture bók-khì, chhǎ-liāu 木器

wood, bundle of firewood chhǎ-pé 一捆一捆的木柴

wood, trees bák 木

woodcarving bók-tiau 木雕

woodcock, bamboo chicken tek-ke-á 竹雞

woodcraft tiau-khek-sút 雕刻術

woodcut bók-pán, khek ǎng-á-tǒ 木刻畫

woodcutter chhò-chhǎ-ě 樵夫

wooded land, forest lím-tiūⁿ 林場

wooden bók-chō, chhǎ chò ě 木造, 木製的

wooden bench without back í-tiǎu, í-liǎu 長板凳

wooden block for cutting things upon chhǎ-tiam 木砧

wooden box chhǎ-siuⁿ 木箱

wooden bridge chhǎ-kio, bók-kio 木橋

wooden clogs or wooden shoes worn in Taiwan bák-kiáh, chhǎ-kiáh 木屐

wooden coarse comb chhǎ-se 木梳子

wooden door chhǎ-mǎng 木門

wooden fish used by bonze as drum or hand metronome to keep time when chanting prayers bók-hǐ 木魚

wooden floor frame on which tatami are placed chóng-pho 大臥鋪

wooden framework chhǎ-kè 木架

wooden furniture store bók-khì-hǎng 木器行

wooden horse for gymnastics, hobbyhorse, logs cut and fitted for transfer to lumber collection point bók-bé 木馬

wooden idol chhǎ-pút-á 木雕神像

wooden idol, wooden figure, people who have no feeling chhǎ-thau-ang-á 木頭人, 無感情的人

wooden image chhǎ-siōng 木像

wooden pail chhǎ-tháng 木桶

wooden partition pang-á-piah 板壁

wooden peg chhǎ-teng-á 木釘

wooden person, rigid, fixed and unchangeable, monotonous sí-pán 死板

wooden pestle, beetle, heavy stick for beating things chhǎ-thui 木槌

wooden pillar chhǎ-thiǎu 木柱子

wooden rake, termagant chhǎ-pě 木耙, 悍婦

wooden stake, pile or post chhǎ-khit-á 木樁

wooden stocks for punishment kha-kǒng, kha-khǒng 腳梏

wooden stool í-thǎu-á 凳子

wooden sword bók-kiám 木劍

wooden wedge chhǎ-chiⁿ, chhǎ-chiⁿ-á 木楔, 木樁, 木栓

woodpecker tok-bók-chiǎu, tok-ku-chiǎu 啄木鳥

woods, grove, forest chhīu-nǎ 樹林

wood-shavings khau-to-lian 刨屑

woodwork, carpentry bák-kang 木工

woodwork, wooden part of the house bók-chō ě pō-hūn 木造部份

woodworking plant or shop bók-kang-tiūⁿ, bók-kang-chhiúⁿ 木工場, 木工廠

wool iūⁿ-mǒ, iūⁿ-mǎng 羊毛

wool textile mǒ-chit-phín 毛織品

wool, knitting wool, wool yarn phòng-se 毛線

woolen, fleece iūⁿ-mǒ ě 羊毛的

woolen, weaved, knitted mǒ-chit ě 毛織的

woolen fine cloth jiǒng-pò 絨布

woolen blanket mǒ-thán 毛毯

woolen material mǒ-liǎu 毛料

woolen sweater, woolen clothing iūⁿ-mǒ-saⁿ 羊毛衣

woolen yarn for knitting jiǒng-sòⁿ 絨線

word, letter symbol oē, jī 話, 字

- **in a word** chóng kóng chit kù 總歸一句話, 總而言之
- **man of few words** chin tiām ě lǎng 很文靜的人
- **to come to words** cheng-lūn, sio-chèⁿ 爭論, 爭辯
- **to give one's word** tah-èng 答應
- **to take one at his word** sìn lǎng ě oē 相信別人的話
- **to send word** thǎn-giǎn 傳言
- **to write a few words** sía kúi-jī-á 寫幾個字
- **new word** sin-jī 新字
- **without a word** bǒ kóng pòⁿ kù 沒說半句話

word of command, an order hō-lēng 號令

Word of God Thian-chú Sèng-giǎn (Catholic) 天主聖言

word, news, information siau-sit 消息

word, password used by sentry kháu-lēng 口令

word, speech, talk giǎn-gí 言語

wording, grammar, syntax gí-hoat 語法

wording, words and phrases sǔ-kù 詞句

wordless, speechless bék-bék bǔ-giǎn 默默無言

words bǔn-sǔ 文詞

workers

words and actions giǎn-hěng 言行

words and speech, conversation, talk giǎn-tām 言談

words of exhortation khòan-giǎn, khó-khng ẽ oē 勸言

words of promise or consent, pledge lók-giǎn 諾言

words of scolding woman phò-a-bá 罵壞女人之詞

words said in anger khi-oē 氣話

words spoken from force of habit, words which one uses constantly, but means nothing oē-bó 口頭語, 口頭禪

words, language giǎn-sǔ 言詞

words, phrase, expressions, to talk, speak or tell, part of speech, grammar sú 詞

words, phrases gí-sǔ 語詞

work, job, construction, task kang-khòe, kang-chok 工作

work, occupation, profession, vocation, professional thau-lō 職業

- **construction work** kang-thěng 工程

- **good works** siān-kong 善功

- **hand work** chhiu-kang 手工

- **to collaborate by dividing the work** hun-kang háp-chok 分工合作

- **to begin work** tāng-kang 動工

- **to finish work** hā-pan 下班

- **to go to work** siōng-pan 上班

- **hard working** kut-lát 認真

work aimlessly bóng-hōe 做這做那

work ambitiously chōng-tang chōng-sai 為生計奔波

work as a welder hān-chiap-kang-chok 焊接工作

work as prostitute bē-chhiò 賣笑

work day kang-chok-jit 工作日

work diligently mǐ-nōa chò kang-khòe 努力做事

work for relief of victims of natural disaster chin-chai, chìn-chai 賑災

work hand in glove in evil ways with someone, gang up with somebody lōng-pōe ui-kan 狼狽為奸

work hard pah-piàⁿ 努力

work hard and hurry about constantly without resting chāu-chōng 奔波

work hard, study hard iōng-kong 用功

work hours kang-chok sǐ-kan 工作時間

work in a mine khui-khòng 開礦

work in an office pān-kong 辦公

work in exchange for food ōaⁿ-chiah 用工作來換食物

work iron, to forge ironware, blacksmith pah-thih 打鐵

work miracles hián kǐ-chek 顯奇蹟

work of art gē-sut-phín 藝術品

work of writer or artist chok-phín 作品

work on a dictionary phian jī-tián 編字典

work on boat, sail or steer boat kǐaⁿ-chún 行船

work one's way through school khó-hák 苦學

work out teaching schedule at school pǎi-khò 排課

work paid by the day jít-kang 日工, 按日計酬

work place chit-tiūⁿ 職場

work schedule chìn-tō-pió 進度表

work that can't be done or impossible to finish kām-lān (coarse expression) 比喻辦不到的事(粗話)

work the fields choh-sit 從事耕作

work very hard, to toil, traveling about in search of employment, be on the run constantly phun-pho 奔波

work which doesn't need much effort or is done easily nng-sè 輕力

work while studying at school pòⁿ-kang-pòⁿ-thák 半工半讀

work without achieving anything, to labor without success, vain efforts tō-lō bū-kong 徒勞無功

work without attaining good or desired results pèh-chò-ě 白做的

work, skill, art, kung fu, labor, effort kang-hu 功夫

work, toil, physical labor lō-tōng 勞動

workbook liān-sip-phō 練習簿

workbox, toolbox ke-si-siuⁿ-á 工具箱

worker, craftsman, skilled laborer sai-hū 師, 匠

worker, laborer lō-tōng-chia 勞動者

- **office worker** chit-oán 職員

worker, staff member kang-chok jǐn-oán 工作人員

worker, temporary job, odd job worker chhiu-bīn thàn-chiah 打零工

worker, unskilled worker kang-á 工人

workers' health insurance lō-pó 勞保

workers, workers assigned to do specific task of job kang-chok jīn-oǎn 工作人員

working kang-chok ework 工作的

working class lǒ-tōng kai-kip 勞動階級

working clothes kang-chok-hók 工作服

working day kang-chok-jit 工作日

working for the post-office tū iū-kiók hók-bū 在郵局工作

working women, career or professional chit-giap hū-lí 職業婦女

working hours chok-giap sǐ-kan, kang-chok sǐ-kan 作業時間, 工作時間

working man kang-lǎng 工人

working mother chit-giap ma-mah 職業媽媽

working women, laborers lí-kang 女工

workman kang-lǎng 工人

workman, craftsman, skilled workman sai-hū 師, 匠

workman, employee chhìàⁿ ework 雇員

workman, laborer lǒ-tōng-chíá 勞動者

workman's hut, shelter kang-liǎu 工寮

workmanship whether good or bad chhíu-lō 手藝

workmanship, artistry, skill chhíu-hoat 手法

workmanship, craftsmanship, handicraft, trade chhíu-gē 手藝

workmanship, skill, art ki-gē 技藝

workmanship, works of art chok-phín 作品

workmen who studied and worked under the same master sai-hiaⁿ-tū, su-hiaⁿ-tū 師兄弟

workroom kang-chok-sek 工作室

works of calligraphy and painting su-ōe 書畫

works of charity chǔ-siān sū-giap 慈善事業

works of merit, repair or build bridges and mend roads siu-kiō pó-lō 修橋補路

works, work of art, opus chok-phín 作品

workshop, discussion forum, seminar, assembly káng-síp-hōe 講習會

workshop, factory kang-chhíuⁿ, kang-tūⁿ 工廠, 工場

workshop, seminar, symposium gián-thó-hōe 研討會

workshop, workplace khang-khòe-tūⁿ 工作場

work-study system kiàn-kàu 建教

world, the living place sè-kài 世界

world, earth, the planet tē-kiū 地球

- a world of trouble chin chē mǎ-hōan 很多麻煩

- commercial world siong-kài 商界

- famous all around the world sè-kài chhut-mia ework 世界出名的

- end of the world sè-kài boat-jit 世界末日

- man of the world sè-siok ework 世俗的人

- people in the world sè-kan-lǎng 世間人

- the whole world chōan sè-kài, phó-thian-hā 全世界, 普天下

- the Saviour of the world Kiu-sè-chú 救世主

World Bank Sè-kài Gín-hǎng 世界銀行

World Court Kok-chè Hoat-těng 國際法庭

World Health Organization Sè-kài ōe-seng-chor-chit 世界衛生組織

world is for everyone thian-hā ũi-kong 天下為公

World Meteorological Organization (WMO) Sè-kài khi-siōng-chor-chit 世界氣象組織

world nowadays, present hiān-sè 現世

world of art, fine arts bí-sút-kài 美術界

world of art, artistic circles gē-sút-kài 藝術界

world of criticism, tribune of opinions lūn-tōaⁿ 論壇

world of labor lǒ-tōng-kài 勞動界

world of mortals jīn-kan 人間

world of movies tiān-íáⁿ-kài 電影界

world peace sè-kài hō-pěng 世界和平

world political situation, world events, state of the world sè-kiók 世局

world record sè-kài kí-liòk 世界紀錄

world situation or circumstances sè-kài ework hēng-sè 世界的形勢

World Trade Organization, WTO WTO, sè-kài bō-ék chor-chit WTO, 世界貿易組織

world trends, trend of the times sè-kài tiǎu-líu 世界潮流

world view, the big picture sè-kài-koan 世界觀

World War I, the European War Au-chiàn 歐戰

World War II tē-jī-chhù sè-kài tǎi-chiàn 第二次世界大戰

world where harmony, equality and justice prevail, universal brotherhood, political utopia tǎi-tōng sè-kài 大同世界

world wide, universal phó-phian ework 普遍的

world-famous būn-běng thian-hā 聞名天下

worldliness sè-siok 世俗

worldly affairs sè-sū, siok-sū 世事, 俗事

worldly desires sè-siok ework iók-bōng 世俗的慾望

worst

worldly, profane, secular sè-siòk 世俗的
worldly, secular hiān-sè 現世的
world-wide sè-kài-sèng 世界性
worm, roundworm, intestinal worm, a human parasite bīn-thǎng 蛔蟲
 - **earth worm** tō-ún 蚯蚓
 - **to eliminate worms** thāu bīn-thǎng 驅除蛔蟲
 - **to examine for worms** kiam-cha bīn-thǎng 檢查蛔蟲
 - **for something to be full of worms** seⁿ-thǎng 生蟲
 - **to pass worms** pàng bīn-thǎng 排泄蛔蟲
 - **worm eaten** chiù 蛀
worm, small bug, worm or insect, base person thǎng, thǎng-thōa 蟲, 蟲多
worms, long creeping insects like worms, caterpillars, maggots thǎng, thiōng 蟲
wormy, eaten by worms thǎng chiah 蟲吃的
wormy, to have worms ū thǎng 有蟲的
worn away by rubbing ui, ui-khì 磨損
worn out from use iōng hāi-khì 用壞了
worn out, thoroughly tired thiám-sí 累透了
worn out, weak, feeble soe-jiòk 衰弱的
worn out, wear and tear, worn out by abrasion ui-khì 磨損的
worn out, wear old clothes chhēng kū-khì 穿舊了的
worn, but still quite usable pòⁿ-kū-lòh 半新不舊
worried chhau-hōan, hōan-ló 操心, 煩惱
worried and grieved iu-siong 憂傷
worried to death hōan-sí 煩死人
worries of every day tàk jít 每天的憂慮
worries, anxiety, to be worried, to be distressed, troubles hōan-ló 煩惱
worrisome, anxious, worried, apprehensive hō- lǎng sim-koaⁿ phī-phók-chháiⁿ 令人焦慮的
worrisome, disturbing hō- lǎng hōan-ló 令人煩惱的
worry chhau-sim 操心
worry about someone or something khòa-lī, khòa-lū, kòa-lī 掛慮
worry, trouble, anxious, keep in mind, trouble speaking, distress hōan-ló, khòa-sim, khòa-lī, chhau-hōan, khó-náu 煩惱, 掛心, 掛心, 掛慮, 操煩, 苦惱

worse koh khah pháiⁿ, koh khah m̄-hó 更壞, 較不好
worse, more grave, serious, severe, critical khah siong-tiōng 較嚴重
 - **to go from bad to worse** lú lǎi lú pháiⁿ 越來越壞
worsen ok-hòa 惡化
worsening day by day, getting more critical every day, getting more and more serious chit-jit chit-jit ok-hòa 日趨惡化
worship ancestors, reverence, honor the ancestors pài kong-má, pài chó-sian, chè-chó 拜祖先, 祭祖
worship and feast on the anniversary of person's death chò-kī 忌辰祭拜
worship at the graves, visit ancestral tomb pài-bōng 拜墓
worship Buddha pài-hút 拜佛
worship false gods pài sǎ-sǎn 拜邪神
worship God, adore God pài Tian-chú (Catholic) 拜天主
worship gods or idols pài-pài, pài sǎn, pài sǎn-bēng 拜拜, 拜神, 拜神明
worship Heaven and Earth pài thiⁿ-tē 拜天地
worship idols hòk-sāi sǎn-bēng 供奉神明
worship idols, idol worship pài pùt-á, pài ngó-siōng 拜偶像
worship of mammon pài-kim chú-gī 拜金主義
worship on seventh day after death chò-chhit 做七, 亡者死後每七天的祭拜
worship the Dipper pài-táu 拜斗
worship the Eucharist tiǎu-pài Sèng-thé 朝拜聖體
worship the gods kèng-sǎn, pài-sǎn 敬神, 拜神
worship the moon pài goéh-niū 拜月亮
worship with offerings, offer, to sacrifice, an oblation, holocaust chè-hiàn, hiàn-chè 祭獻, 獻祭
worship with reverence, venerate with bow kèng-pài 敬拜
worship, adoration pài, chǒng-pài, kèng-pài 拜, 崇拜
worship, honor by service or rite, offer sacrifices to chè-sū 祭祀
worship, respect, to revere chun-kèng 尊敬, 敬拜
worship, sacrifice to the gods or ancestors chè 祭
worst siōng-bái, kék pháiⁿ 最壞, 極壞

- in the worst case chòe phái ⁿ ẽ chǎng-hǎng lǎi kóng 最壞的情形來說	- to wound the feelings of another siong lǎng ẽ kám-chǎng 傷害別人的感情
- to prepare for the worst ĩ-hǒng bān-it 預防 萬一	wound another's pride siong lǎng ẽ chū- chun-sim 傷別人的自尊心
worth kè-tát 價值	wound infected by water chúi-hǒng 傷口因觸 水而發炎
- How much is it worth? Tát lōa-chē chí ⁿ ? 值 多少錢?	wound is very nearly healed up khang-chhùi siu-sok 傷口收縮
- five hundred N.T. worth gō-pah kho ẽ kè- tát 五百塊的價值	wound with a knife or sword thǎi-tiòh-siong 割傷,殺著傷
- It is worth reading. Ū thak ẽ kè-tát. 值得讀 的.	wound, major wound chǎa ⁿ -khang 有傷口
worth it, worthy of, deserve tát-tit 值得	wound, pain, suffering, painful thòng-khó ⁿ 痛 苦
worth a million dollars ū chit pah bān ẽ kè-tát 有一百萬的價值	wound, to damage, to injure sún-hāi 損壞
worth more khah tát 較值得	wound, to hurt siang, siong 傷
worth taking note of, considerable amount, impressive khó-koan 可觀	wound, to hurt, injured by blow phah-siong 打傷
worthless bǒ kè-tát, bǒ lō-ēng 無價值的,無用 的	wounded by dart tiòh-pio 中鏢
worthless books bǒ kè-tát ẽ chheh 沒有價值 的書	wounded by fragment from bottle hō kòan- á-phòe koah-tiòh 被玻璃片割傷
worthless effort pèh-kǎa ⁿ 白走	wounded or cut to the bone chek-tiòh 扭傷
worthless man bǒ lō-ēng ẽ lǎng 沒有用的人	wounded slightly by knife hō to koah-tiòh 被 刀割傷
worthless, of no value m̄-tát-chǎ ⁿ 不值錢	wounded soldiers siong-peng 傷兵
worthwhile ū kè-tát 有價值	wounded, be wounded, injury tiòh-siong 受 傷
- not worthwhile m̄-tát, bǒ kè-tát 不值,沒有價 值	wrangle, altercation, angry argument sio-mē ⁿ 口角
worthy of or to tng-ē-khí 當得起	wrangle, quarrel angrily, to haggle, to bicker cheng-lún, kè-kàu 爭論,計較
- not worthy of or to tng-bē-khí 當得起	wrangle, quarrel, argue, debate, contend, argument, contention, controversy oan- ke, sio-chè ⁿ 吵架,爭論
worthy, have value ū kè-tát, ū-tát 有價,值得	- Don't wrangle over such a trifle. Mài kè- kàu hiah-nih sè ẽ tǎi-chì. 別計較瑣碎的事.
- worthy of respect khó-kèng 可敬	- They started to wrangle among them- selves. In soah khí sio-chè ⁿ . 他們卻起了爭 論.
worthy friends, beneficial friends liǒng-iú 良 友	wrap, to bandage, to pack, to surround, to encircle, to hem in pau-ũi, pau-chat 包圍, 包紮
worthy of praise or commendation khó- chú 可取	wrap, to cover, to bundle pau, khún, pāk, chat 包,捆,縛,紮
worthy of praise, commendable khó-ka 可嘉	- to be wrapt up in one's thoughts chǎan- sim lǎi siu ⁿ 專心思考
worthy of, able to bear or to hold ē-kham-tit 值得,配得	- to wrap the rest into packages chhun ẽ chit-pau chit-pau pau hō hó 剩餘的一包一 包包好
worthy son-in-law, your son-in-law hiǎn-sài 賢婿	wrap glutinous rice in bamboo or palm leaves pāk-chàng 綁粽子,包粽子
would beh, boeh 要	wrap up kauh 捲,包
wound, cut siong-chhùi, khang-chhùi 傷口	
- mortal wound tì-mǎa-siong 致命傷	
- the five wounds of Jesus lǎ-sō ngó-siong 耶穌五傷	
- to dress a wound siong-chhùi kǒ iòh-á 在 傷口上敷藥	
- severely wounded tāng-siong ẽ 重傷的	

write

wrap up spring cakes kauh chhun-píāⁿ, kauh lūn-píāⁿ 捲春捲
wrath of heaven, God's punishing hand thian-khián 天譴
wrath, become angry siū-khì 生氣
wrathful khì-phut-phut 盛怒的
wreak hoat-siáp 發洩
wreath, garland, floral hoop hoe-khōan, hoe-kho̍ 花環, 花圈
- **make a wreath, garland** chò hoe-kho̍ 做成花圈
wreathe, to coil around something, to twine, to weave khūn 盤繞
wreck or hurt family hōng-hāi ka-tēng 妨害家庭
wreck, destruction, damage, to wreck, to break, to destroy phò-hāi 破壞
wreck, to perish, to ruin, to destroy húi-biát 毀滅
wreckage, remains chān-hāi, húi-biát 殘骸, 毀滅
wrench, a sprain, a crick, to sprain chōaiⁿ-tiōh 扭傷
wrench, spanner lián-chì (phonetic) 螺旋鉗
wrest justice toát-lí 奪理
wrestle with a problem bú-lèk kái-koat bŭn-tě 以武力解決問題
wrestle, throw down, lay down, to overthrow ián 舂, 推, 扶
wrestle, to strive, to struggle hùn-tàu 奮鬥
wrestle, trial of strength sio-ián, kak-lèk, sut-kak 摔角, 角力
wrestler sut-kak-ka 摔角家
wretch excites and inflames quarrel by slandering each side to the other siang-bīn-to-kúi 雙面刀鬼, 居中破壞者
wretch, base, mean, contemptible person pi-phí ě lǎng 卑鄙的人
wretch, poor, miserable, pathetic person khó-lián ě lǎng 可憐的人
wretched circumstances chhám-chōng 慘狀
wretched person khó-lián ě lǎng 可憐的人
wretched traitor pi-phí ě bē-kok-chhát 卑鄙的賣國賊
wretched weather pháiⁿ thiⁿ-khì 壞天氣
wretched, base, mean, contemptible, despicable pi-phí ě 卑鄙的
wretched, misfortune, adversity, unfortunate, sad, unfortunately chheⁿ-chhám 不幸的人

wretched, pitiful, pathetic khó-lián ě 可憐的
wriggle sǒ 蠕動, 蜿蜒
wriggle out of a difficulty bān-bān siat-hoat thoat-lī khùn-lán 慢慢設法脫離困難
wring chūn 扭絞
wring out a towel chūn bīn-kin 扭絞毛巾
wring out clothes chūn-saⁿ 擰乾衣服
wrinkle jiǎu-hŭn, jiǎu-khì, jiǎu-jiǎu, jiǎu 皺紋
wrinkled face bīn-phōe jiǎu 臉皮皺
wrinkles at outer side of eyes, crow's feet bák-bóe jiǎu 眼尾起皺
wrinkles, lines liap-kéng 皺紋
wrinkles, lines hard to disappear sí-sŭn 不輕易消失的線條
wrist chhiú-oán 手腕
wrist band chhiú-ńg-ki 袖子的帶子
wrist watch chhiú-pío 手錶
wrist watch band píó-á-tòe 錶帶
writ phìo, thōan-phìo, khu-phìo téng 票, 傳票, 拘票等
- **to serve a writ on a person** sàng thōan-phìo hō lǎng 送傳票給人
writ of summons thōan-phìo 傳票
writ of summons, subpoena, summons for appearance in court tiàu-toaⁿ 召集令, 傳票
writ, script, written language, writing style, phraseology bŭn-jī 文字
write a book sía-chheh 寫作
write a confession and repent sía chū-pèk-su kah hóe-kò-su 寫自白書與悔過書
write a few words sía kúi jī á 寫幾個字
write a prescription khui iòh-toaⁿ, khui iòh-hng 開藥方
write again tēng-sía 重寫
write an inscription for tablet tē-pián 題匾
write an invoice khui hoat-phìo 開發票
write by hand chhiú-sía 手寫
write characters sía, sía-jī 寫, 寫字
write check khui chi-phìo 開支票
write clearly sía-bēng 寫明
write composition, compose an essay chò-bŭn, chok-bŭn 作文
write contracted forms, write briefly, abbreviate kán-sía 簡寫
write down sía kái-lái 寫下來
write down name lòh-miá 寫上名字
write down or record one's name kì-miá 記名

- write down or memorize incorrectly** kì m̄-tiòh 記錯
- write down, memorize** kì-teh, kì-lè 記著
- write down, to register** kì-liòk khí-lái 記錄下來
- write for another, be ghost writer** tai-pit 代筆
- write from a copy, to make a copy** chhau-sía 抄寫
- write from memory** àm-sía 默寫
- write good hand** sía-jī chin khiàng 善於寫字
- write horizontally** hōaiⁿ-sía 橫寫
- write in blood in great desperation or extreme indignation, petition, letter written in blood** hiat-su 血書
- write in confused or scribbled manner, scribbled writing** ló-chhó-sía 潦草寫
- write a letter** sía-phe, sía-phoe 寫信
- write literary essay** sía bǔn-chiuⁿ 寫文章
- write medical prescription, medical prescription** chhù-hong 處方
- write on a drawing, painting** tē-jī 題字
- write or offer detailed account or description of something** sía bēng-sè-píó, khui bēng-sè-píó 寫明細表, 開明細表
- write or wipe hastily** chut 塗抹
- write original works of literature, an original work of literature or art** chhòng-chok 創作
- write play, playwright, dramatist** pian-kiòk, pian-kiok 編劇
- write poetry** chò-si 作詩
- write prescription for medicine** hē-iòh 下藥
- write with one's own hand** chhin-pit 親筆
- write with pencil** lōng iǎn-pit sía 用鉛筆寫
- writer, author** chok-ka, tū-chok-chía 作家, 著作者
- writer, copyist, recorder** kì-liòk 記錄
- writer, reporter, journalist** kì-chía 記者
- writhe in pain, suffering, painful** kan-khó 痛苦
- writhe, to wriggle** ngiauh-ngiauh-soan 滾動, 蠕動
- writhe, wriggle like an eel or snake, climb up like a climbing vine, sneak away** soan 溜, 滾動, 蔓爬
- writing, written works** sía, sía-chok 寫, 寫作
- foreign writing gōa-kok bǔn 外國文
- writing desk** chheh-toh-á, sía-jī toh-á 書桌
- writing in vernacular Chinese** pēh-ōe-bǔn 白話文
- writing method, way of writing** sía-hoat 寫法
- writing, article, essay, literary works, writings, hidden meaning** bun-chiong, bun-chiuⁿ 文章
- writing, handwriting** chhiu-pit, pit-chek 筆跡
- writing, literary work, compose, write** tì-chok 著作
- writing, technique of writing, calligraphy or drawing** pit-hoat 筆法
- writing, works of art, opus** chok-phín 作品
- written** sía ē 寫的
- written answer** hōe-sìn, hōe-phoe 回信
- written application** sin-chhéng-su 申請書
- written challenge** thiau-chiàn-su 挑戰書
- written Chinese** Hàn-bǔn 漢文
- written complaint, petition, written accusation** sō-chng 訴狀
- written confession** chū-pék-su 自白書
- written consent given by the patient for surgery** chhiu-sùt chhiat-kiat-su 手術切結書
- written agreement, consent, letter of authorization** tōng-ì-su 同意書
- written contract** khè-iok-su 契約書
- written declaration of war** chiàn-su 戰書
- written English language** Eng-bǔn 英文
- written estimate** kó-kè-toaⁿ 估價單
- written examination** pit-chhì 筆試
- written explanation, written instructions attached to merchandise** soat-bēng-su 說明書
- written in one's own hand, one's own handwriting** chhin-pit 親筆
- written language** bǔn-jī 文字
- written language used in old China which is vastly different from spoken language** bǔn-gián, bǔn-gián-bǔn 文言, 文言文
- written narration, narrative writing** kì-sū-bǔn 記敘文
- written oath** soan-sè-su 宣誓書
- written off** it-pit-kau-siau 一筆勾銷
- written opinions, proposals submitted in written form** ì-kiàn-su 意見書
- written or printed character of the ordinary square form** khái-su 楷書
- written or printed prayer, read and burned, prayers said at the offering of any sacrifice** chē-bǔn 祭文
- written prayer** kǐ-tó-bǔn 祈禱文

written prayer read aloud and then burned, as in worship of Sages, congratulatory message, oration chiok-bún 祝文
written prayers, classical text keng-bún 經文
written prescription ioh-toaⁿ 藥單
written proof jī-kì 字據
written refutation to verbal attack or charge tap-piān-su 答辯書
written repentance pledging not to commit the same offense again hóe-kò-su 悔過書
written report, speech, talk, lecture su-bīn pò-kò, pò-kò-su 書面報告, 報告書
written resignation sǐ-chit-píio, sǐ-chit-su 辭職表, 辭職書
written security pact or promise chhiat-kiat-su 切結書
written statement, declaration tǐn-sút-su 陳述書
written Taoist charm hǔ-á 符
written text of speech ián-káng-kó 演講稿
written vindication sin-piān-su 申辯書
wrong, error, mistake m̄-tiòh, chhò-gō 錯的, 錯誤
 - **to not admit he is wrong** i m̄ jīn-chhò 他不認錯
 - **to know right from wrong** hun-piát sī-hūi 分別是非
 - **to take a wrong road** kǐaⁿ m̄-tiòh lō 走錯路
 - **to wrong people** oan-óng lǎng, chò pháiⁿ tǎi-chì hāi pat-lǎng 冤枉他人, 做壞事陷害別人
wrong action put-chèng hěng-ūi 不正行為
wrong direction, wrong side up, wrong end m̄-tiòh thǎu 方向不對
wrong doing, fault, mistake, error kòe-chhò 過錯
wrong or reversed side of anything, left side tò-bīn 反面, 左面
wrong path bě-tin 迷津
wrong, evil, demonic, iniquitous, nefarious sǐa, put-chèng 邪, 不正

wrong, faulty, defective ū m̄-pēⁿ 有毛病
wrong, lawless, illegal, unlawful put-hoat 不法
wrong, mistake, error, mistaken, erroneous tāⁿ 錯誤
wrong, mistake, fault, error, blunder chhò 錯
wrong, receive unjust treatment, injustice óng-khut 冤屈
wrong, unjust treatment, wronged oan-óng (v) 冤枉
wrong, unjust, injustice put-gī 不義
wrongdoer, criminal perpetrator, offender hōan-chōe-chía 犯罪者
wrongdoer, perpetrators ka-hāi-chía 加害者
wrongdoer, scoundrel, evil-doer, malefactor, gangster, hoodlum pháiⁿ-lǎng 歹徒
wrongful exercise of authority loān-iōng chit-koān 濫用職權
wrongful, illegal, unlawful hui-hoat ẽ 非法的
wrongful, mistaken, false, error chhò-gō ẽ 錯誤的
wrongful, not right, just or correct put-chèng ẽ 不正的
wrought, forge, discipline, exercise thòan-liān ẽ 鍛鍊的
wrought, manufactured, made chè-chō ẽ 製造的
wrought, processing ka-kang ẽ 加工的
wrought, refined cheng-chè ẽ 精製的
wry oai 歪
 - **to make a wry face** bīn-aù bīn-chhàu, kek siáu-kúi-á-bīn 生氣的板著臉, 裝鬼臉
WTO, World Trade Organization WTO, Sè-kài Bō-ék Chō-chit WTO, 世界貿易組織
Wufeng Gǔ-hōng 吳鳳
Wulai U-lǎi, O-lǎi 烏來
wu-long noodles ō-liōng-mī 烏龍麵
WWW, World Wide Web WWW, Chōan-kǐu Chu-sin-bāng WWW, 全球資訊網