













## Chinese Character Strokes List

#1 Main Stroke: “一” (横) Horizontal			
	Stroke Variations	Names of Strokes	Examples
1		横 (héng) Horizontal	一, 二, 三, 王, 工
2		提 (tí) Rising Stroke	习, 地, 冷, 冰, 刁




#2 Main Stroke: “丨” (竖) Vertical			
	Stroke Variation	Name of Stroke	Examples
1		长竖 (cháng shù) Long vertical	书, 快, 师, 十, 市
2		短竖 (duǎn shù) Short vertical	刊, 修, 候, 刚, 利
3		竖钩 (shù gōu) Vertical hook	小, 水, 求, 寸, 找






#3 Main Stroke: “丿” (撇) Left falling			
	Stroke Variation	Name of Stroke	Examples
1		撇 (piě) Left falling	月, 木, 大, 人, 个
2		横撇 (héng piě) Shorter and more horizontal left falling	千, 舌, 毛, 白, 禾

#4 Main Stroke: “丶” (点) Dot			
	Stroke Variation	Name of Stroke	Examples
1		短点 (duǎn diǎn) Short dot	主, 广, 心, 注, 文
2		长点 (cháng diǎn) Long dot	双, 不, 贝, 头

3		左点 (zuǒ diǎn) Left dot	办, 刃, 心, 必, 小
4		平捺 (píng nà) horizontal right falling	之, 延, 这, 走
5		斜捺 (xié nà) slanted right falling	又, 义, 个, 人, 大






### #5 Main Stroke: “㇇” (折) Turning

	Stroke Variation	Name of Stroke	Examples
1		横折 (héng zhé) Horizontal turning	口, 问
2		横折提 (héng zhé tí) Horizontal turning and rising	说, 话, 讨, 论, 讲
3		横撇 (héng piě) Horizontal and left-falling	又, 反

4		横折钩 (héng zhé gōu) Horizontal turning and hook	刀, 门, 也
5		横钩 (héng gōu) Horizontal hook	买, 皮, 卖
6		横折斜钩 (héng zhé xié gōu) Horizontal and slanted hook	飞, 风, 凤, 凰
7		横折弯钩 (héng zhé wān gōu) Horizontal turning and curved hook	几, 九, 匹
8		横折弯 (héng zhé wān) Horizontal turning and curved turning	朵, 铅

9		横折折 (héng zhé zhé) Horizontal turning and turning	凹
10		横折折撇 (héng zhé zhé piě) Horizontal turning and turning left-falling	廷, 建
11		横折折折 (héng zhé zhé zhé)	凸
12		横折撇弯钩 (héng zhé piě wān gōu)	阵, 队, 除
13		横折折折钩 (héng zhé zhé zhé gōu)	乃, 奶

14		竖折 (shù zhé) Vertical turning	山, 匹
15		竖弯 (shù wān) Vertical curved turning	四
16		竖提 (shù tí) Vertical and rising	民, 切
17		竖折折 (shù zhé zhé) Vertical turning and vertical	鼎
18		竖折折撇 (shù zhé zhé piě) Vertical turning and left-falling	专, 传
19		竖弯钩 (shù wān gōu) Vertical curved hook	儿, 乱

20		竖折折钩 (shù zhé zhé gōu) Vertical turning and turning hook	与, 马
21		撇折 (piě zhé) Left falling and turning	么, 公
22		撇点 (piě diǎn) Left-falling and dot	女, 巡
23		弯钩 (wān gōu) Curved hook	家, 了, 子
24		斜钩 (xié gōu) Slanted hook	戈, 我, 伐