

Unit 24, Part 3: Transformation and Response Drills

1. Respond in the affirmative to the woman's questions, but qualify your answers by stating that "the majority" of the people or items mentioned are that way. Each of your responses should begin with the words **Dà duōshù**.

Tóngxuémen dōu jìnbùle ba?

"I guess the students all made progress?"

Dà duōshù jìnbùle.

"The majority made progress."

Nǐmen dàxuéde xuésheng dōu shì Měiguó rén ba?

"I guess all the students at your college are Americans?"

Dà duōshù shì Měiguó rén.

"The majority are Americans."

Suǒyǒude wèntí dōu néng jiějué ma?

"Can all problems be solved?"

Dà duōshù néng jiějué.

"The majority can be solved."

Bǔxíbān dōu zhuànqián ma?

"Do all cram schools earn money?"

Dà duōshù zhuànqián.

"The majority earn money."

Zhōngguóde nánrén dōu xǐhuan hē jiǔ ba?

"I guess all Chinese men like to drink booze?"

Dà duōshù xǐhuan hē jiǔ.

"The majority like to drink booze."

Zhèxiē shūcài dōu shì jìnkǒude ba?

"I guess these vegetables are all imported?"

Dà duōshù shì jìnkǒude.

"The majority are imported."

Diànyǐng míngxīng dōu zhǎngde hěn hǎokàn ma?

"Are movie stars all good-looking?"

Dà duōshù zhǎngde hěn hǎokàn.

"The majority are good-looking."

Bīngchéngde jūmín dōu shì cóng Zhōngguó nánfāng láide ma?

"Did the inhabitants of Penang all come from southern China?"

Dà duōshù shì cóng Zhōngguó nánfāng láide.

"The majority came from southern China."