

Unit 19, Part 1: Transformation and Response Drills

1. Transform the sentences with STATIVE VERB + **duōle** to STATIVE VERB + **-de duō**.

Zhèizhǒng hǎo duōle.

“This kind is much better.”

Zhèijīān wòshì dà duōle.

“This bedroom is much bigger.”

Zhèige cài hǎochī duōle.

“This dish is much more delicious.”

Zhèicì zhōukǎo nán duōle.

“This week’s weekly test is much harder.”

Nèiwèi jiàoshòu qíguài duōle.

“That professor is much stranger.”

Nèige xiǎoháir cōngmíng duōle.

“That kid is much smarter.”

Zhèizhǒng hǎode duō.

“This kind is much better.”

Zhèijīān wòshì dàde duō.

“This bedroom is much bigger.”

Zhèige cài hǎochīde duō.

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“That kid is much smarter.”

2. Add **zhí dào** “until” to the sentences that you hear.

Wǒ jīntiān cái lái.

“I only came today.”

Wǒ zuótiān cái zhīdao.

“I only knew yesterday.”

Tā jīntiān cái kāishǐ shàngbān.

“She only started working today.”

Timmy xiànzài cái kāishǐ duì Zhōngwén gǎn xìngqù.

“Timmy only started to become interested in Chinese now.”

Lǎo Lín sānshìsùì cái kāishǐ chōuyān.

“Old Lin only started to smoke when he was 30.”

Wǒ dào dàxué sīniánjí cái kāishǐ xuéhuì zuòfàn.

“I only started to learn how to cook when I was a senior in college.”

Bái Tàitài dào wǔshísuì cái kāishǐ xué Yīngwén.

“Mrs. Bai only started to learn English when she was 50.”

Wǒ zhí dào jīntiān cái lái.

“I didn’t come until today.”

Wǒ zhí dào zuótiān cái zhīdao.

“I didn’t know until yesterday.”

Tā zhí dào jīntiān cái kāishǐ shàngbān.

“She didn’t start working until today.”

Timmy zhí dào xiànzài cái kāishǐ duì Zhōngwén gǎn xìngqù.

“Timmy didn’t become interested in Chinese until now.”

Lǎo Lín zhí dào sānshìsùì cái kāishǐ chōuyān.

“Old Lin didn’t start smoking until he was 30.”

Wǒ zhí dào dàxué sīniányíjí cái kāishǐ xuéhuì zuòfàn.

“I didn’t start to learn how to cook until I was a senior in college.”

Bái Tàitài zhí dào wǔshísuì cái kāishǐ xué Yīngwén.

“Mrs. Bai didn’t start to learn English until she was 50.”

3. Transform the sentences you hear from the forms with **měi-** to the corresponding reduplicated forms.

Wǒmen měitiān kǎoshì.

"We have tests everyday."

Tā měinián dōu lái.

"She comes every year."

Wǒ měiběn dōu yǒu.

"I have every volume."

Měige rén dōu zhīdao.

"Everyone knows."

Tā měizhāng dōu yào.

"He wants every page."

Wǒ měige yuè dōu dēi fù shuǐdiànfèi.

"I have to pay for water and electric every month."

Wǒmen tiāntiān kǎoshì.

"We have tests every day."

Tā niánnián dōu lái.

"She comes every year."

Wǒ běnběn dōu yǒu.

"I have every volume."

Rénrén dōu zhīdao.

"Everyone knows."

Tā zhāngzhāng dōu yào.

"He wants every page."

Wǒ yuèyuè dōu dēi fù shuǐdiànfèi.

"I have to pay for water and electric every month."