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### 妈妈 MOM MAMA 妈妈 MOM MAMA

mǐ qīn jié kuài lè 母亲节快乐!

**Happy Mother's Day!** 



### On Raising Children: Soft or Tough, Handle with Care

A US president once advocated a policy called "No child left behind". In a system of free competition, that is technically impossible. What a society should do is make sure those who want to advance are given fair opportunities. Just as there are children who are self-galvanizing and need no inculcation, there are those no amount of persuasion can affect. If they are determined to stay behind, either by choice or by influence, a teacher or parent can do little, especially when that kid reaches the legal age of an adult.

http://www.chinadaily.com.cn/life/2014-03/22/content\_17370497.htm



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# hat's in a Chinese Character What's in a Chinese Character





你 you



Written character: 7 strokes

Word of the Month

你们: you (plural)

The classical character for "you", an equal, was \$\overline{a}\$, a pictograph of a balance loaded with 'x' equally on both sides and topped by a phonetic. By adding 人 (person) to 尔, man introduced the human element and came up with 你, a person who carries the same weight: you.



.Practice Chinese Characters here:

### RCS Calendar and Holidays

May 2014

**June 2014** 

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### shì shàngzhǐ yǒu mā ma hǎo

## 世上只有妈妈好

- 1. shì shàngzhǐ yǒu mā ma hǎo 世 上 只有 妈妈好 Mom is the dearest in the world
- yǒu mā de hái zi xiàng gè bǎo有 妈 的 孩 子 像 个 宝Child blessed by mom's love is as precious as gold
- 3. tóu jìn mā ma de huái bào 投进 妈妈的怀抱 To be held in the mom's arms
- 4. xìng fú xiǎng bù liǎo 幸福 享 不 了 All the happiness is yours
- 5. shì shàng zhǐ yǒu mā ma hǎo 世上 只有妈妈好 Mom is the dearest in the world
- 6. méi mā de hái zi xiàng gēn cǎo 没妈的孩子像根草 Child without mom's love is like weed
- 7. lí kāi mā ma de huái bào 离开妈妈的怀抱 Without mom's loving hug
- 8. xìng fú nǎ lǐ zhǎo 幸 福 哪里 找 Happiness nowhere to be found