



Survival Phrases S1

Riding the Rails in the Cantonese World 2

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Traditional Chinese

地鐵飛
火車飛
一張飛去尖沙咀幾錢
一張飛去尖沙咀幾多錢
一張飛
兩張飛

Jyutping

dei6 tit3 fei1
fo2 ce1 fei1
jat1 zoeng1 fei1 heoi3 zim1 saa1 zeoi2 gei2 cin2
jat1 zoeng1 fei1 heoi3 zim1 saa1 zeoi2 gei2 do1 cin2
jat1 zoeng1 fei1
loeng5 zoeng1 fei1

English

subway ticket
train ticket
how much is a ticket to Tsim Sha Tsui
how much is a ticket to Tsim Sha Tsui
one ticket
two tickets

Vocabulary

Traditional	Jyutping	English
飛	fei1	ticket
張	zoeng1	measure word for ticket
地鐵	dei6 tit3	subway
火車	fo2 ce1	train
尖沙咀	zim1 saa1 zeoi2	Tsim Sha Tsui
幾錢	gei2 cin2	how much money

Vocabulary Sample Sentences

有冇飛？ 我要一張飛。 我想搭地鐵。 坐火車要幾耐？	jau5 mou5 fei1 ? ngo5 jiu3 jat1 zoeng1 fei1。 ngo5 soeng2 daap3 dei6 tit3。 co5 fo2 ce1 jiu3 gei2 noi6 ?	do you have ticket? I'd like a ticket. I want to take the subway How long does it take to go by train?
一張飛去尖沙咀幾錢？	jat1 zoeng1 fei1 heoi3 zim1 saa1 zeoi2 gei2 cin2 ?	How much is one ticket to Tsim Sha Tsui?
兩張飛幾錢？	loeng5 zoeng1 fei1 gei2 cin2 ?	How much are two tickets?

Cultural Insight

Quick Tip 1

The Hong Kong railway system is the KCR, which also belongs to the MTR (subway) group and has done so for a few years. (<http://www.hong-kong-travel.org/MTRKCR.asp>). It is the cheapest way, but was also for many years the slowest. They have made many efforts to improve both the vehicles and the network. It is generally a bit slower than the subway, but the view is great!