

# 茶

## Teacast

When I was little, I liked herbal tea a lot. I drank a lot of mint tea and some lemon tea too. The Celestial Seasonings tea company is not far from where my family lives. My grandfather took me to the factory and they talked about how they make tea. It was very interesting. I used to drink a lot of bagged tea, but when I was in high school I tried some loose leaf tea. Since then, I have liked many types of tea.

小的時候，我很喜歡水果茶。我喝很多薄荷茶有時也喝一點兒檸檬茶。Celestial Seasonings 企業離我的家不太遠，我爺爺帶我去那兒參觀。他們告訴我怎麼做茶，很好玩兒。我喝了很多茶包，可是中學的時候我喝了用茶葉泡的茶。從那時候開始，我喜歡很多不同的茶。

I don't have a favorite tea; I like them all! Oolong tea is nice to drink when relaxing, green tea is convenient to take to class, black tea is best to drink when I am doing homework (because I have a lot of black tea bags, bringing it to the classroom is very easy.) I like Chinese and Japanese tea...I even like Indian tea. English people like tea a lot, but they only drink black tea. Sometimes they add milk and sugar. I think that English tea isn't bad, but I prefer Chinese tea. Taiwanese teas are also good—they have a lot of oolong. Aside from water, tea is the most commonly drank drink in the world. Americans prefer coffee, though. I hope that someday they will like tea more.

我沒有特別喜歡哪一種茶，每一種茶我都喜歡！輕鬆的時候，烏龍茶很好喝。上課的時候，綠茶很容易帶去，做功課的時候，喝紅茶最好，因為我有很多紅茶包，帶去教室很方便。中國茶和日本茶我都喜歡，我也喜歡印度茶。

英國人很喜歡喝茶，可是他們只喝紅茶，有時候在紅茶裏加上牛奶和糖。我覺得英國茶也不錯，可是我還是比較喜歡中國茶。台灣茶葉好，有很多烏龍茶。除了水，茶是人們最常喝的飲料。美國人比較喜歡咖啡。日後我希望喜歡喝茶的人會多一點。

I want to own my own tea shop. I want to give people good tea to drink and teach them about tea. I also want to sell books so that people can read while they drink their tea. I will sell many kinds of tea, even iced tea! Tea makes me happy and so I hope it can make other people happy, too.

我想要開一家茶店。我想給人們嚐試好茶，教他們關於茶的知識。我會賣很多種茶，也賣冰茶！茶讓我很高興，所以我希望茶也可以讓很多別的人高興。

爺爺 yéye paternal grandfather

薄荷茶 bòhe chá mint tea

檸檬茶 níngméngchá lemon tea

企業 Qǐyè company

茶包 chábāo tea bag

茶葉泡的茶 cháyè pào de chá loose leaf tea

不同 bùtóng different

種 zhǒng type (as in type of tea)

輕鬆 qīngsōng relaxed

裏加上牛奶 lǐ jiāshàng niúǎi to add milk

糖 táng sugar

希望 xīwàng hope

關於茶的知識 guānyú chádezhi shi information pertaining to tea

日後 rìhòu someday

嘗試 cháng shì try

教 jiāo teach

