Sentence Pattern 48. (是。。。的 used to highlight a correction) Make your own sentence, e.g., how you would respond if someone said you come from Canada when actually you come the United States.



Sentence Pattern 49. (N_s gěi $N_{ido} N_{do}$) Make your own sentence about how somebody does something for you that you could not do for yourself, e.g., "Teacher explained (\ddot{a} jiǎng) it for us."



Sentence Pattern 50. (SENT = N_s TV N_o TV dé PRED) Make your own sentence about how somebody does or can do something well, quickly, messily (| luàn), etc.



Sentence Pattern 51 (Using 對 to indicate who was the target of some action) Make up your own sentence about how one person was impolite (or whatever) to someone else. 4.



Sentence Pattern 52 (SENT = $N_{\rm s}$ ITV dé bi $N_{\rm standard}$ RESULT). Say something about who buys or sells the most.



Sentence Pattern 53 ($place = noun_{reference place}$ yǐ $noun_{compass direction}$) Give the location of one place relative to another (e.g., 加拿大 Jiā Ná Dà)



7. Sentence pattern 54

 N_s Verb dé/bù result NOUN_{destination} NOUN_{complement}

Try using the word "to crawl" 爬 pá.



8. Sentence pattern 55 The aspect marker 過 guo coming after a verb gives a positive answer to the implicit question, "Have you done it (within a specified or implicit time period)?" Try asking somewhether s/he has eaten chicken (雞肉 jī ròu) this week (星期 xīng q í).



9. Sentence pattern 56 (SENT = $y\bar{i}n$ wèi SENT₁, suó yǐ SENT₂) Make a sentence such as, "Because I did not have money, therefore I didn't go."



10. Sentence pattern 57 ${\rm SENT}=N_{s}~({\rm z}{\rm \dot{a}}{\rm i})$ event yı́ qián/hòu PRED

= (Zài) event yǐ qián/hòu, N_s PRED

This pattern works just like the one for locations in space. Make up your own example, something like, "You should wash your hands before you eat."

