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Words

抹布
mābù cleaning rag

> 快拿抹布擦擦桌子吧。
> Kuài ná mābù cā cā zhuōzi ba.
> Hurry and get a rag to wipe the table!

扫帚 掃帚
sàozhou broom

> 拿扫帚把院子扫一扫。
> Ná sàozhou bǎ yuànzi sǎo yì sǎo.
> Take the broom and sweep the yard.

微波炉 微波爐
wēibōlú microwave oven

> 我们是时候买新的微波炉了。
> Wǒmen shì shíhou mǎi xīn de wēibōlú le.
> It is about time we bought a new microwave oven.

窗帘 窗簾
chuānglián window curtains

> 他躲在窗帘后。
> Tā duǒ zài chuānglián hòu.
> He hid himself behind the curtain.

地毯
dìtǎn carpet / rug

> 他卖旧地毯。
> Tā mài jiù dìtǎn.
> He sells old carpets.

肥皂
féizào soap

> 饭前请用肥皂把手洗干净。
> Fàn qián qǐng yòng féizào bǎshou xǐ gānjìng.
> Please wash your hands clean with soap before eating.

熨
yùn an iron / to iron
yù apt and fitting (of wording) / settled properly (of a matter) / reconciled / smooth / calm and comfortable (of one's mood)
wèi to apply a hot medicinal compress

> 她熨了衬衫。
> Tā yùnle chènshān.
> She ironed her shirt.

叠 疊
dié to fold / to pile up / repeated / classifier: stack, pile (of thin objects) / classifier for repeated sections in a musical composition

> 她叠好了被子。
> Tā dié hǎole bèizi.
> She folded the quilt.

水龙头 水龍頭
shuǐlóngtóu faucet / tap

> 修理厨房的水龙头。
> Xiūlǐ chúfáng de shuǐlóngtóu.
> Mend the tap in the kitchen.

马桶 馬桶
mǎtǒng chamber pot / wooden pan used as toilet / toilet bowl

> 你在通马桶。
> Nǐ zài tōng mǎtǒng.
> You were unclogging toilets.

天花板
tiānhuābǎn ceiling (of a room) / upper limit / (slang) the very best (in a given field)

> 天花板上有洞。
> Tiānhuābǎn shàng yǒu dòng.
> There's a hole in the ceiling.

地板
dìbǎn floor

> 地板上全是血。
> Dìbǎn shàng quán shì xuè.
> The floor was swimming with blood.

分担 分擔
fēndān to share (a burden, a cost, a responsibility)

> 我们同意分担家务。
> Wǒmen tóngyì fēndān jiāwù.
> We agreed to share the housework.

煤气 煤氣
méiqì coal gas / gas (fuel)

> 把煤气关了！
> Bǎ méiqì guānle!
> Turn off the gas.

灶
zào kitchen stove / kitchen / mess / canteen

> 灶里的火已经灭了。
> Zào lǐ de huǒ yǐjīng mièle.
> The fire in the stove has already gone out.

抽屉 抽屜
chōuti drawer

> 抽屉里面有什么？
> Chōuti lǐmiàn yǒu shénme?
> What's in the drawer?

保姆
bǎomǔ nanny / babysitter / housekeeper

> 保姆带孩子去公园了。
> Bǎomǔ dài háizi qù gōngyuán le.
> The nanny took the children to the park.

炉子 爐子
lúzi stove / oven / furnace

> 炉子的热向四周辐射。
> Lúzi de rè xiàng sìzhōu fúshè.
> The heat from the stove radiates in all directions.

宽敞 寬敞
kuānchang spacious / wide

> 新家的客厅很宽敞。
> Xīn jiā de kètīng hěn kuānchang.
> The living room in our new home is very spacious.

扫除 掃除
sǎochú to clean / to clean up / to eliminate / to wipe out

> 这项政策要扫除贫困。
> Zhè xiàng zhèngcè yào sǎochú pínkùn.
> This policy aims to wipe out poverty.

寝室 寢室
qǐnshì bedroom / dormitory

> 寝室晚上十一点就要关门。
> Qǐnshì wǎnshang shíyīdiǎn jiùyào guānmén.
> The dormitory locks its doors at eleven every night.

冷气 冷氣
lěngqì cold air / air conditioning

> 请你把冷气调高点。
> Qǐng nǐ bǎ lěngqì tiáo gāo diǎn.
> Please turn up the AC a little bit.

灯泡 燈泡
dēngpào light bulb / third-wheel or unwanted third party spoiling a couple's date (slang)

> 三个灯泡烧坏了。
> Sān gè dēngpào shāo huàile.
> Three bulbs have burned out.

家政
jiāzhèng housekeeping

> 她大学学的是家政。
> Tā dàxué xué de shì jiāzhèng.
> What she studied in college was housekeeping.

供暖
gōngnuǎn to supply heating (in a building) / heating

> 供暖费每年都要提前交。
> Gōngnuǎn fèi měinián dōu yào tíqián jiāo.
> The heating fee has to be paid in advance every year.