

Course Description, Fee and Textbook

Course Name	Brief Description	Date	Price	Textbook
Beginning Chinese	This is an entry-level course in Modern Standard Chinese (Mandarin) for students with little or no prior experience in the language. The course was designed with standard-based curricular through immersion environment. Simplified Chinese characters will be introduced and practiced. The emphasis will place on standard pronunciation, vocabulary and sentences; basic speaking (conversations) and listening according different backgrounds.	Any time	Small Group (3-10 students): \$460 per 15 weeks. Meet once week for 1.5 hours. Individual (3-10 students): \$680 per 15 weeks. Meet once week for one hour.	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. <i>Kuaile Hanyu I, II</i> (\$45 each) 2. <i>Beginner's Chinese</i> (\$30) 3. <i>Hanyu Pinyin</i> (\$20)
Intermediate Chinese	<p>Intermediate Level I: Comprehensive intermediate level course covering listening, speaking, reading, and writing. This course will prepare the student to use the language in a variety of everyday situations, discuss topics with accurate Chinese, and improve reading and writing skills. Upon completion of this course the student should be able to read and comprehend a 300 character article in 5 minutes and write a 500 - 800 character article in Chinese.</p> <p>Intermediate Level II: Comprehensive intermediate level course covering listening, speaking, reading and writing. This course will prepare the student to use the language in a variety of everyday situations, discuss topics with accurate Chinese, as well as improve reading and writing techniques. Upon completion of this course the student should be able to read and comprehend a 500 character articles in 5 minutes and write an 800 - 1000 character essay in Chinese.</p>	Any time	<p>Small Group (3-10 students): \$460 per 15 weeks. Meet once week for 1.5 hours.</p> <p>Individual (3-10 students): \$680 per 15 weeks. Meet once week for one hour.</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. <i>Kuaile Hanyu III</i> (\$45) 2. <i>Intermediate Chinese</i> (\$22) 3. <i>Modern Chinese IB and 2A</i> (\$65 each) 4. <i>Integrated Chinese, level 1 part 2, level 2 part 1</i> (\$60 each) 5. <i>China's Culture, History and Geography</i> (\$40)
Advanced Chinese	This comprehensive advanced level course will train the student to confidently carry on discussions covering an extensive range of topics with accurate Chinese, to read a variety of authentic source material	Any time	Small Group (3-10 students): \$460 per 15 weeks. Meet once	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. <i>Integrated Chinese level 2 part 2</i> (\$60) 2. <i>Zhong Wen 6-12</i>

	including newspapers, magazines, and novels and to write 1000 - 1500 character articles in Chinese.		week for 1.5 hours. Individual (3-10 students): \$680 per 15 weeks. Meet once week for one hour.	(\$20 each) 3. <i>Selected authentic Chinese newspapers, magazines, and novels</i>
Business Chinese	Any economic and commercial transaction between China and foreign country may be viewed as cross-cultural activities in nature. The removal of language barriers and difficulties that lie in the understanding of the culture, subtle points and principles expressed by a target language will be greatly beneficial for one's commercial success. This course is designed to teach business Chinese in three-in-one training pattern that combines the language as a carrier with commercial activities and cross-cultural knowledge with a focus on vocabulary and conversation for the business professional. Students will increase Chinese proficiency in the areas of international business, economics, trade and finance. Students will explore both language and cultural aspects of doing business in China.	Any time	Small Group (3-10 students): \$460 per 15 weeks. Meet once week for 1.5 hours. Individual (3-10 students): \$680 per 15 weeks. Meet once week for one hour.	1. <i>Gateway to Business Chinese-Regular Formulas and Etiquette</i> (\$30) 2. <i>Gateway to Business Chinese-Daily Communication</i> (\$30) 3. <i>Sun Tzu on The Art of War</i>
Course for Teacher	Two college level courses for foreign language teachers: 1. Methods of Teaching Foreign Languages 2. Teaching Special Students in Regular Classroom	Late June to Early July	It will be free if you join our STARTALK program. Meet two weeks, M.-F., 9-3:30	1. <i>Teaching Language in Context</i> (\$140) 2. <i>Teaching Chinese as a Foreign Language</i> (\$30) 3. <i>Teaching Students with Special Needs in Inclusive Classrooms</i> (\$100)