

Chinese 301: Advanced Speaking, Reading, and Writing

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Course Description:

The aim of this course is to continually improve the students' reading, writing, speaking, and listening skills, with extra emphasis placed on speaking and writing proficiency. It also intends to deepen students' knowledge of Chinese Language and Culture. By the end of this course students will be able to understand more complex sentences in Chinese, read and understand more complex texts in Chinese, and write more complex sentences and paragraphs in Chinese, at a higher level than they did in the 200 level. Also, students will have a deeper and broader knowledge of Chinese and Chinese culture than they did in the 200 level. The students' language proficiency in reading, writing, speaking, and listening will be assessed throughout the semester in the form of vocabulary dictations, oral exams, two compositions (in 300-400 Chinese characters), a presentation (4-5 minutes), and a comprehensive final exam.

Grading Policy

Participation & Effort	6%
Homework	15%
Quizzes	10%
Tests (2)	30%
Composition (2)	8%
Oral Exams & Presentation	6% + 5%
Final Examination	20%

A=90%-100% B=80%-89% C=70%-79% D=60%-69%
F= below 60%

General policy

1. If you miss more than 20% of the classes, whether for valid reasons or not, you will receive an "F" due to absences. Please keep your instructor advised of why you are missing class.

2. Tardiness and sleeping during the class time will **not** be tolerated. Chronic sleepers will be awakened. Students who can not stay conscious and repeatedly ignore the rule may be dismissed from class by the instructor.

3. No make-up tests or quizzes unless a student provides an acceptable reason 24 hours before the scheduled exam. **Students must take the final exam on the day it was scheduled by the administration.**

4. If you made an appointment with the instructor to meet, please make sure to show up on time. If you have an emergency, and not be able to make the appointment, **please inform the instructor ahead of time via either email or phone.**

5. **No cell phone** is allowed during the class time. All cell phones need to be appropriately kept either in your pocket or in your bag. If you don't have a watch to track the time, please DO NOT use your cell phone to do so.

6. **Translation Programs:** Use of online translators, translation software, etc. is cheating and will not be tolerated. This includes using an online dictionary to translate even a single phrase from English into Chinese.

7. **Cheating/Plagiarism:** All work submitted must be your own. Use of online translation programs is cheating. Using Chinese phrases and expressions you have learned from the textbook is not plagiarism, **as long as you are personalizing** the information.

Course Schedule

第一周: Lesson 19

日期	学习内容	预习	作业
W 8/26	Lesson 19 旅行 Dialogue I: 去北京旅行 生词 1-22	pp. 260-261	
F 8/28	语法 1: 不得了 课文 练习: A-G	p. 262 pp. 258-259 pp. 26-263 pp. 263-267	p.181 III B, C p. 184 IV A p. 179 I A,B,C p. 186 IV D,E

第二周: Lesson 19

日期	学习内容	预习	作业
M 8/31	Discussion: Your Summer 台北是个什么样的城市?		Composition I 我的暑假
W 9/2	Dialogue II: 旅行计划 生词 1-19	p. 271	p. 190 III A
F 9/4	语法 2-5 课文	pp. 272-275 pp. 268-269	p.191 B p.189 I A,B,C

第三周: Lesson 19, Lesson 20

日期	学习内容	预习	作业
M 9/7	练习 Discussion: 买飞机票	pp. 276-280	p. 197 C, D p. 199 E 1
W 9/9	Lesson 20 在机场 Dialog I: 在机场办理登机手续 生词: 1 - 13	p. 290	
F 9/11	语法 1, 2 课文	pp. 291-294	

第四周: Lesson 20

日期	学习内容	预习	作业
M 9/14	练习 Discussion	pp. 295-298	
W 9/16	Dialog II 到北京 生词: 1- 8 语法: 3	p. 301 p. 302	
F 9/18	练习 课文	pp. 305-308 pp. 299-300	

第五周: Lesson 20

日期	学习内容	预习	作业
M 9/21	Discussion: Kinship Terms	pp. 303-304	
W 9/23	Review L19 & L20		
F 9/25	Test 1		

第六周: Lesson 1 为什么尊敬老人?

日期	学习内容	预习	作业
M 9/28	生词 常用的有关年纪的词语		Composition 1 due
W 9/30	课文 语法		
F 10/2	讨论		

第七周: Lesson 2 狗是人的好朋友

日期	学习内容	预习	作业
M 10/5	生词 常用的有关动物的词语		
W 10/7	课文 语法		
F 10/9	讨论		

第八周: Lesson 3 你喜欢什么颜色?

日期	学习内容	预习	作业
M 10/12	生词 常用的有关颜色的词语		
W 10/14	课文 语法		
F 10/16	讨论		

第九周: Lesson 4 喝茶喝酒喝咖啡

日期	学习内容	预习	作业
M 10/19	生词 常用的有关饮料的词语		
W 10/21	Leadership Day No Class		
F 10/23	课文 语法		

第十周: Lesson 4 and Test 2

日期	学习内容	预习	作业
M 10/26	讨论		
W 10/28	Review L1 to L4		
F 10/30	Test 2		

第十一周: Lesson 5 快餐盒饭汉堡包

日期	学习内容	预习	作业
M 11/2	生词 常用的有关快餐的词语		
W 11/4	课文 语法		
F 11/6	讨论		

第十二周: Lesson 6 挂件香包吉祥钱

日期	学习内容	预习	作业
M 11/9	生词 常用的有关挂件的词语		
W 11/11	课文 语法		
F 11/13	讨论		

第十三周: Lesson 8 星星的爱情故事

日期	学习内容	预习	作业
M	生词		

11/16	常用的有关感情的词语		
W 11/18	课文 语法		
F 11/20	讨论		

第十四周: (11/23 – 11/27) Fall Break

第十五周: Lesson 10 故宫长城兵马俑

日期	学习内容	预习	作业
M 11/30	生词 常用的有关名胜古迹的词语		
W 12/2	课文 语法		
F 12/4	讨论 中国的朝代		

第十六周:

日期	学习内容	预习	作业
M 12/7	Oral Presentation Final Review		
W 12/9	Final Review		

Final Exam (期末考试): 13:00 pm, 12/14