

Bilingual I Syllabus

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Instructor Information

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General Information

Description

This class will be an introduction to the Chinese language and culture for students age 6-8.

Expectations and Goals

By the end of the year, students should have a good foundation for the Chinese language. They will be able to recognize characters and hold basic conversations, such as introducing themselves, recognizing date/time, and talking about where they are going. The students will practice writing and reading both pinyin and characters. There will also be lessons on certain Chinese holidays and cultures.

Course Materials

Required Materials

You can purchase the textbook in the office (Room IRN131). The textbook is called Langlang Chinese Elementary 1A Textbook. It comes with two workbooks which we will get our homework from. Students are expected to bring their own pencils and other writing materials to class.

Optional Materials

There is also a CD that comes with the textbook. I do not believe it is being sold in the office, however I am currently trying to figure out how to make copies of it for the students to use. So, I will get back to everyone on that.

Additional Information and Resources

Emails

I will be sending out weekly emails for parents regarding what we have covered as well as the homework via the school website. Please make sure that the email on your account is the correct email to reach you.

Class Dojo

This semester I will be using an app called ClassDojo. This app allows me to motivate students with a point system that they can then use for rewards. The app will also let parents keep track of what their students are doing in class. The app is downloadable for both android and iphone, and I will be sending the class code once the class roster has been finalized.

Food and Drink

Students can bring water to drink in class. No food or drink (other than water) is allowed in the classroom, but students can still bring a snack if they eat it outside.

Course Schedule

Week	Topic	Homework
8/20	Introduction to Pinyin	Pinyin Printout Homework
8/27	Lesson 1: Hello	Character Writing Printout
9/03	Lesson 1: Hello (cont.)	Red Book pg. 2-9
9/10	Lesson 2: What is Your Name?	Character Writing Printout
9/17	Lesson 2 (cont.)	Blue Book pg. 2-9
9/24	Lesson 3: How Old Are You?	Character Writing Printout
10/01	Lesson 3 (cont.)	Red Book pg. 10-17
10/08	Fall Break	No Homework
10/15	Lesson 4: Boys and Girls	Character Writing Printout
10/22	Lesson 4 (cont.)	Blue Book pg. 10-17
10/29	Lesson 5: My Family	Character Writing Printout
11/05	Lesson 5 (cont.)	Red Book pg. 18-25
11/12	Lesson 6: Brothers and Sisters	Character Writing Printout
11/19	Lesson 6 (cont.)	Blue Book pg. 18-25
11/26	Thanksgiving Break: No School	No Homework
12/03	Review Day	Review Printout
12/10	Final Assessment	No Homework
12/17	Last day of the semester	No Homework