



The Beijing Center

北京中国学中心

TBC 1020 Chinese II

Please Note: This is a sample syllabus, and the course schedule is subject to change. Students will receive the updated syllabus prior to the start of first class.

Credit Hours: 3.0

Class Times: 3.75 hours per week (5 class sessions at 45 minutes = 225 minutes)

Instructor: TBD

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Required Textbook

Integrated Chinese, Level 1, Part 1, chapters 6-10; 3rd ed. (simplified character edition) Textbook, Workbook, and Character Workbook.

Authors: Liu / Yao / Bi / Ge / Shi. Publisher: Cheng & Tsui Co.

Course Description

In this course, on the basis of the systematic introduction of Chinese I, students will study Lessons 6 through 10 of *Integrated Chinese Level 1 Part 1*.

The course continues to expand the student's vocabulary and grammatical knowledge in order to increase their proficiency in listening comprehension, reading, speaking and writing. Students will deepen their understanding of daily life, particularly school life and culture, including making appointments, talking about studying Chinese, school life, shopping and transportation.

Learning Outcome

Students will enrich their grammatical knowledge and enlarge their vocabulary, gaining approximately 300 new expressions and phrases, which enables them to use their acquired vocabulary to communicate in different contexts including at school/university, when shopping, and when arranging and taking transportation.

Course Requirements

1. Private tutoring

Success in your classes will depend on your commitment to regular review and practice. TBC has a language tutor program (available free of charge) and you are strongly encouraged to make regular appointments with your own assigned language tutor, to review vocabulary and practice writing and reading. You should expect to spend no less than an additional 6 hours per week on revision and practice.

2. Attendance Policy

Attendance is mandatory and will count towards the final grade. Absences will be calculated as follows:

- 0.25% of students' final grade will be deducted for lateness (more than 10 minutes late) to each 1-hour session of classes.
- 0.5% of one's final grades will be deducted for unauthorized absence to each 1-hour session of classes.
- Medical absence: students with illness must present a doctor's note to be excused from absences. As far as possible, it is courteous to advise your instructor in advance if you will be missing class due to illness.

3. Grading

- 1) Attendance (10%)
- 2) Quiz (10%)
- 3) Class participation (10%)
- 4) Homework and assignments (10%)
- 5) Midterm exam including oral test and written test (30%)
- 6) Final exam including oral test and written test (30%)

A:	94% or above
A-:	90-93%
B+:	87-89%
B:	84-86%
B-:	80-83%
C+:	77-79%
C:	74-76%
C-:	70-73%
D+:	67-69%
D:	60-66%
F:	Below 60%

4. Academic Honesty Statement

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Course Schedule

Week 1

Chapter 6/第6课 约时间 重点：“给”

“要”(1) “别”

“得” “来”和“去”

Week 2

Review Chapter 6

Week 3

Chapter 7/第7课 学中文 重点:完成时

“太”和“真” 副词“就” (1)、和“才”的比较

排序 “有(一)点儿” “怎么”

Week 4

Review chapter 7

Week 5

Chapter 8/第 8 课 学校生活 重点:时间

副词“就”(2) 一边.....一边.....

动词+动词 间接宾语和直接宾语

“了”(2)的时候,正在..... 除了.....以外,还能、会(1)

Week 6

Review chapter 8

Week 7: Mid-term

Review and mid-term examination

Note: students should be available at the normal class meeting times

Week 8 no class in Spring/Fall break

Week 9

Chapter 9/第 9 课 买东西 重点:The Auxiliary Verb 要(2)

Measure Words (2)

的 Structure

多 used interrogatively

Amounts of Money 跟/和.....(不)一样 虽然.....,可是.....

Week 10

Review chapter 9

Week 11

Chapter 10/第 10 课 交通 重点:Topic-Comment Sentences

或者

先.....再..... 还是

每.....都.....

Week 12

Review chapter 10

Week 13

Review whole chapters 6-10;

Week 14

Final examination preparation

Week 15, Finals week

Final exams

Note: students should be available for exams at their normal class meeting times