

Chinese 2

Scope and Sequence 2024 – 2025

Course Description:

Level 2 provides opportunities to further develop students’ novice-level proficiency in speaking and listening as well as some opportunities to build proficiency in reading and writing. Emphasis is placed on expanding vocabulary from memorized words and phrases to sentence level discourse. Students will continue to gain insight into the culture perspectives, products, and practices of the countries where the language is spoken. By the end of the course, students are expected to reach a Novice High-Intermediate Low proficiency level in speaking and listening. Classes are conducted in the language as much as possible.

Texas Essential Knowledge and Skills:

In April 2014, the State Board of Education (SBOE) gave final approval to the revised LOTE TEKS. The revised TEKS are available online alongside the current TEKS. The revised TEKS are indicated by the phrase “Adopted, 2014” in the title.

Texas Essential Knowledge and Skills for Languages Other Than English Chapter 114

<http://ritter.tea.state.tx.us/rules/tac/chapter114/index.html>

| Instructional Units | | Days** | |
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| First Semester | | 81 | End Date |
| 1 st Grading Period | Unit 1: Life Abroad in Hangzhou (29 days) Describing and comparing cities, asking & answering questions about where to go and what to do, making plans, cultural festivities in Guatemala | 08/19/2024 | 10/18/2024 |
| *2 nd Grading Period | Unit 2: Around Town in Hong Kong (52 days) Places to go in a city (to eat or buy food), cultural insight into a market, night market, bakery, butcher, tea shop and food stand, , things to do in Hong Kong | 10/21/2024 | 12/20/2024 |
| Second Semester | | 92 | End Date |
| 3 rd Grading Period | Unit 3: The Holidays in Beijing (9 days) Things to do over a holiday / vacation, making comparisons, describing cities Unit 4: Accidents Happen (18 days) Telling stories of what happened in the past, explanations, cultural expressions / responses Unit 5: Discover Taiwan (19 days) Telling stories of what happened in the past, explanations, cultural insight into Taiwan | 01/07/2025 | 03/07/2025 |
| *4 th Grading Period | Unit 6 – 8: Numbers+ (47 days) Numbers, food, reading a Chinese menu, family members, introduction of Chinese characters | 03/17/2025 | 05/29/2025 |

* Includes time for Final Exams.

**The length of each unit is a specific number of days, but it is understood that there is a range of +/- a day. The purpose of the flexibility is meant to allow teachers the opportunity to plan for the needs of their students and to accommodate re-teaching or review when necessary. If pre-assessment indicates student mastery could be obtained in a fewer number of days, the additional time could be used for extension or carried into the next unit.

Instructional Material(s):

None