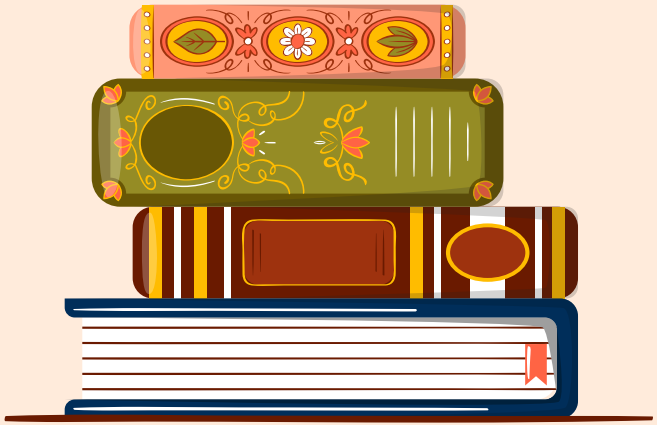
BUMI Mandarin Language Arts Program Pilot

Board Meeting Presentation
May 20, 2026

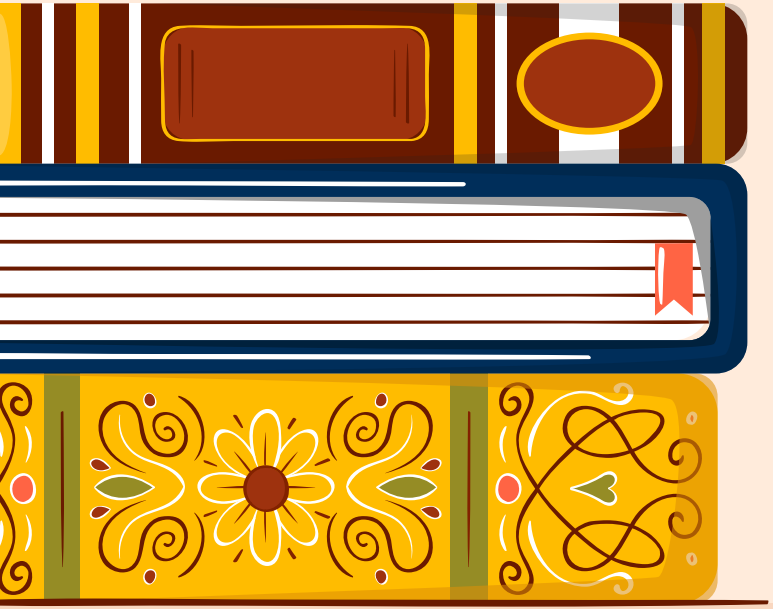


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Opened in August 2018

Mandarin Language Arts was supported using Better Immersion since that time





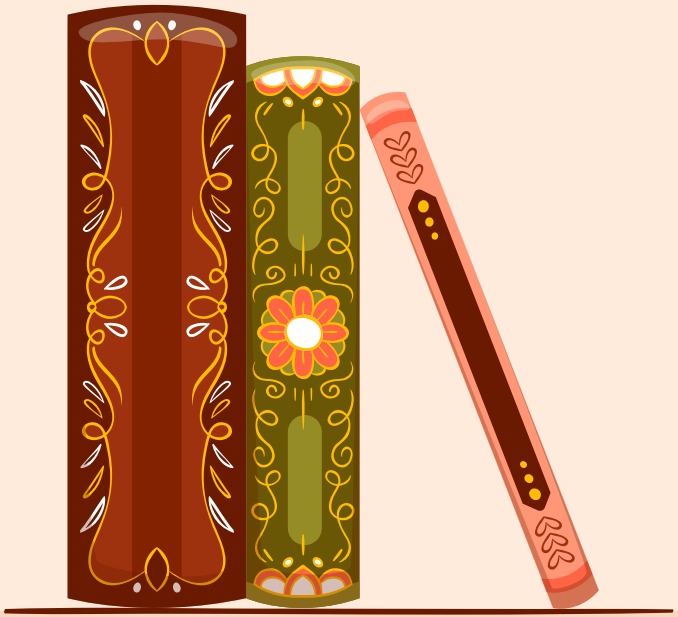
Level Learning

In 24/25 we transitioned from using the digital platform for Better Immersion to the digital platform for Level Learning.

- Better Immersion offered digital assignments but not differentiated supports

Level Learning

- Data informed placement for students
- Lessons at the students' level
- Actionable data and reports for the teacher
- At-home resources for non-Mandarin speakers



2025/2026

Desired a stronger language arts program to support students Mandarin language acquisition with improved instructional supports for teachers.

Pilot of two programs:
Level Learning
Mandarin Matrix

All teachers unanimously preferred Level Learning



Strengths of the Program

Text quality and cognitive complexity

Better alignment to American Council on the Teaching of Foreign Languages (ACTFL)

Student discourse & collaborative tasks

High leverage instructional strategies

Better teacher usability and instructional coherence

Improved assessment opportunities

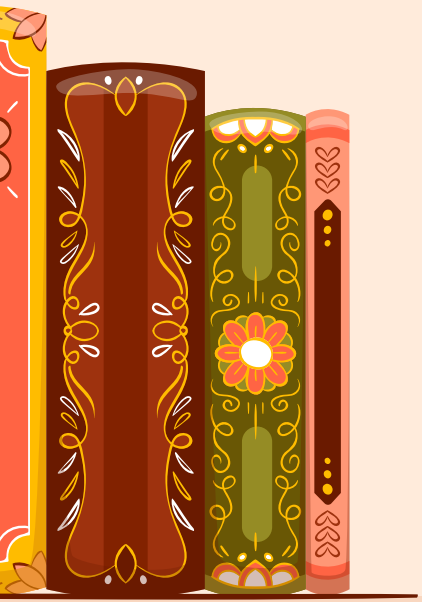
Program Limitations & Teacher Needs

Usability

Some usability limitations, such as, no lesson slides, and no hyperlinks to lesson/unit components

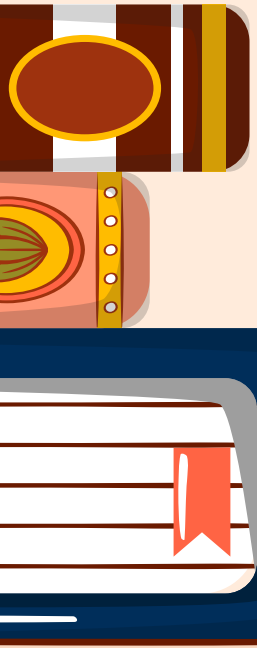
Continued PD

Teachers expressed interest in collaboration on use and refinement of instructional resources & shared best practices



Level Learning will support Mandarin Language Arts in the 26/27 school year.





What questions do you have?

