#### **COURSE OUTLINE**

# Chinese 102 Beginning Chinese II

## **Catalog Statement**

CHIN 102 continues to present the fundamentals of Chinese grammar within a cultural context. Students are further trained to pronounce Chinese (Mandarin) correctly, to build their conversational and written vocabulary, and to read and write approximately 150 more Chinese characters.

Total Laboratory Units: 0.0 **Total Course Units: 5.0** 

Total Lecture Hours: 80.0 Total Laboratory Hours: 0.0

Total Laboratory Hours To Be Arranged: 0.0

**Total Faculty Contact Hours: 80.0** 

Prerequisite: CHIN 101 or equivalent

Note: This course is offered during the Spring semester only.

## **Course Entry Expectations**

Prior to enrolling in the course, the student should be able to:

- utilize basic vocabulary and grammar to converse and write about various activities and social situations;
- identify important Chinese cities on a map as well as countries other than China that have large Chinese-speaking populations;
- employ basic vocabulary and grammar to express personal feelings, likes, and dislikes;
- identify and describe people, places, and things in oral and written communication;
- compare and contrast the Chinese culture with his or her own culture;
- pronounce the Chinese language correctly at an introductory level, with correct pronunciation of consonants, vowels, tones, and tone changes;
- read and write approximately 150 Chinese characters;
- utilize phonetic spelling of Chinese.

## **Course Exit Standards**

Upon successful completion of the required coursework, the student will be able to:

- describe the lunar calendar;
- identify and describe gift giving holidays in China;
- express clock time in a way that is unique in Chinese;
- order typical Chinese food in a Chinese restaurant;
- communicate in Chinese, both orally and in writing, using a more advanced and expanded vocabulary and more advanced grammar;
- identify and describe culturally significant topics;
- use Chinese idioms appropriately;
- pronounce Chinese correctly at advanced beginning level;
- read and write approximately 150 more Chinese characters.

## **Course Content**

## **Total Faculty Contact Hours = 80.0**

## Introduction (6 hours)

Explanation of procedures

Review of the Pinyin: initials, finals and tones

Review of Chinese 101

Character recognition

Character reading

Measure words and expressions

Double object structure

Review of the three methods to create characters

## Going Shopping (6 hours)

Expressions for shopping

Vocabulary for clothes and shopping

Introductions

Characters for tiao, qun, lijing, zheng, piao, jong, ju,win, shang, tai, cong, zhao, jiu, chuin, jian, chen, saon, lu, bai

## The Lunar Calendar (7 hours)

Order of the year, month, day, and hour

Sentences with anominal predicate

Chinese festivals: Chinese New Year, Moon Festival

Characters for yue, ri, fu, dao, kong, jin, nian, sui, zhu, he, wu, hui, con, jin, bun, tong, ding, yi, su, xing, qu, zhi dao, zho

## Making Appointments (7 hours)

Telling clock time and time expressions

Describing daily activities

Word order in time expressions: Chinese vs. English word order

Culture: How ancient Chinese hours are applied in Chinese culture

Characters for dion, shi, tang, chu, fin, ke, ku, yo, hou, shi, hui, gin, qu, dian, ying, ku, fei, ban, deng, zu

## Getting Up and Resting (5 hours)

Subject, predicate, object, attributive, and adverbial adjunct

Attributives and the structural particle

Character analysis

#### In a Restaurant (10 hours)

Vocabulary for commonly ordered Chinese dishes

Tag questions

Verbs or verb-object constructions as attributives

Relative clauses

How to indicate a past event

How to indicate the first event in two consecutive events

How to indicate "already"

Measure words

The progressive

Culture: Famous Chinese cuisines

Characters for yao, fu, wu, yuan, xiao, xo, hua, hong, ju, shuo, bui, ping, pu, jiu, tong, min, gu, go, yon, yue, dai, chung, rang, bie

## Gift-giving Holidays and Birthdays (6 hours)

Modal particles, adjectival predicates

Reduplication of verbs

Verbs, verbal construction of disyllabic adjectives as attributives

The Chinese zodiac

Characters for shu, song, zhun, fui, gin, gao, xing, qing, tiao, bi, gu, niang, piao, liang, geng, xiang, kui, men

## Houses (6 hours)

Describing rooms, furniture, and location in a typical Chinese house

Words indicating existence and location

Word order for phrases of location

Culture: Chinese Fengshui

Characters for bien, yuan, fang, ting, pang, yu, zhun, zong, zhong, chu, mian, bing, zhu, cun, zui, jian, wo, xu, zio, zun, yang

# Traveling and Visiting (5 hours)

The six types of questions

Attributives and structural particles

Word order of a series of attributives

Characters for xin, nong, hui, duan, lian, du, xin, nan, nian, lian, deng

#### Outdoor Activities (6 hours)

Indefinite measure words

Complement of degree

Preposed object

Characters for da, ting, you, yang, qian, he, zhun, bei, diao, yu, ting, wei, kuai, man, cuo, bao, tui, ni, lao, kuang, quan

## Sports (5 hours)

Sentence tunes

Intonation

Athletic vocabulary

Characters for zu, qiu, sai, zuo, tu, qi, ping, ging, pan, cai, bi, shu, hing, dui, zheng, qian, ban, deng, dong, xie, hua, bing, shung, mao

## Studying the Arts (6 hours)

Painting—vocabulary

Literature—vocabulary

Optative words

Culture: Chinese opera

Characters for yan, jin, zao, tan, fin, ye, rong, ki, liu, gui, ying, jiu, zhe, huo, jin, shun, neng, yi, cheng, jing

## Review (5 hours)

Request and prohibition

Intention and possibility

Invitation and acceptance

Compliments and responses

Past and future

Characters for xiao, ding, xi, ka, re, qing, zi, ji

## **Methods of Instruction**

The following methods of instruction may be used in the course:

- class lecture and discussion;
- group learning;
- question and answer sessions;
- multimedia presentations;
- educational technologies (e.g. Internet, grammar tutorials, online components that accompany the textbook).

# **Out of Class Assignments**

The following out of class assignments may be used in the course:

- two written compositions (e.g. describe your favorite sports activity or other outdoor activity);
- two group projects (e.g. describe your house, preparing for the Chinese New Year);
- two oral presentations (e.g. ordering food in a Chinese restaurant);
- vocabulary, grammar, and culture review homework assignments.

## **Methods of Evaluation**

The following methods of evaluation may be used in the course:

- class attendance and participation;
- weekly quizzes;
- individual and oral reports;
- individual and group recitation;
- midterm examination;
- final examination.

#### Textbook(s)

Chang, Chih-Ping. *Beginning Chinese 2*. Plymouth: Hayden-McNeil, 2013. Print. 12<sup>th</sup> Grade Textbook Reading Level ISBN #978-0-7380-5739-2

# **Student Learning Outcomes**

Upon successful completion of the required coursework, the student will be able to:

- pronounce the Chinese language correctly at an advanced beginning level;
- comprehend oral and written Chinese in the present and past tenses, and some uses of the subjunctive;
- use grammatically correct Chinese to communicate orally and write about simple topics in the present and past tenses, and some uses of the subjunctive;
- compare and contrast the Chinese language and culture with his/her own.