

9. Language and Culture

Dates: Aug. 2 - 20, 2021

Credits: 3

Language: Mandarin-taught (Language) / English-taught (culture)

Delivery: Synchronous online for Language, Asynchronous online for Culture

Total Hours: 54

Tuition Fees: USD 300 (Online)

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Asia University, one of the most beautiful campuses in Taiwan, provides you with a unique and diversified learning experience this summer. Our summer program (54 hours in total) is designed to meet the needs of those who want to explore the richness and diversity of Taiwanese community and culture in combination with the acquisition of Mandarin in Chinese, one of the world's major languages. Courses cover a wide range of topics, such as Taiwanese food, folk life and festivals, etc. Three academic credits will be awarded by the school after the completion of the program and students are expected to develop their cross-culture awareness and expand their international networking as well as their global perspectives.

About the Program

This 3-week program includes intensive Mandarin Chinese, Taiwan culture and society. The Mandarin Chinese class covers 3 topics: "Chinese for Daily Life", "Chinese for Travelling" and "Chinese for Campus Life". Our engaging language instructors will help you acquire some survival Mandarin Chinese and become familiar with various aspects of Taiwan culture and society.

The Program Features

In this program, you will attend class for six hours a day. All our Mandarin Chinese teachers are experienced in and passionate for teaching. A teaching assistant is assigned to each class to help students solve learning and technical problems to ensure maximum learning outcome. We also arrange 3 hours of tutorial time per week.



Curriculum for Language and Culture

Course Title	Hours	Module Components
Opening Ceremony & Introduction to the Course	3	Tutorials
Placement Text	3	Other
Tutoring Class	9	Tutorials
travel in Taiwan	3	Field Visits & Tutorials
culture in Taiwan	15	Lecture & Hands-on Tutorial
Chinese for Daily Life	6	Lecture
Chinese for Traveling	6	Lecture
Chinese for Campus Life	6	Lecture
Final Exam & Closing Ceremony	3	other
Total	54	

Module Components	Contact hours per week	Remarks
Lecture	18	-
Hands-on tutorial	15	-
Tutorials	12	
Field Visits	3	
Others	6	
Assignment Method	Percentage (in %)	Remarks
Assignments	25	-
Exam	25	-
Others	25	Participation

****For Language and Culture program, please visit the College webpage at**

<https://jclc.asia.edu.tw/bin/home.php>

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