

Chinese Courses at the Confucius Institute

11 weeks from January 23rd - April 6th 2023

Week 5 i.e. February 20th - 24th is non-teaching week

Registration deadline for all classes is February 3rd.

Morning Sessions

Chinese Beginners 2 (HSK level 1 Part 2)

The course is designed for those who have already completed Beginners Course or have studied Mandarin for at least 60 hours and have mastered 150 characters, or hold an HSK 1 certificate. By the end of this course (Chinese Post-beginner 1), students are expected to have mastered 60-70 new Chinese characters and will know how to use slightly more complex Chinese expressions for daily life for a range of topics. The course takes place twice a week.

UK time
Tues + Thurs
9:15-10:00



Cost: £20 per course

Teacher: Fangting Liu

Venue: Online Teaching via Zoom

Booking: <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/chinese-beginners-2-hsk-level-1-part-2-tickets-481508564077>

Contact: confuciusinstitute@hw.ac.uk

Chinese Post-Beginners 2 (HSK Level 2 Part 2)

The course is designed for those who have already completed Chinese Post-beginners 1 or have studied Mandarin for at least 90 hours. By the end of this course (Chinese Post-beginner 2), students are expected to have mastered 70-90 new Chinese characters and will know how to use a broader range of grammatical structures and expressions with some flexibility.

UK time
Tues + Thurs
9:15-10:00



Cost: £20 per course

Teacher: Fangting Liu

Venue: Online Teaching via Zoom

Booking: <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/chinese-post-beginners-2-hsk-level-2-part-2-tickets-481507069607>

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Intermediate 2 (HSK Level 3 Part 2)

The course is intended for students who have studied Chinese for about 100-120 hours and have mastered 450 characters. By the end of the course, students are expected to have mastered 150 commonly used words and related grammar patterns and enable them to understand the more complicated reading materials in Chinese Characters. This course will assist the students to prepare for the HSK level 3 exam.

UK time
Tues + Thurs
9:00-9:45



Cost: £20 per course

Teacher: Junyu Li

Venue: Online Teaching via Zoom

Booking: <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/intermediate-2-hsk-level-3-part-2-tickets-481510208997>

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Advanced Intermediate

The course is for students who have completed Intermediate one and two. The course may be of interest to those who are interested in passing HSK 3 exam. During the course students are encouraged to reflect and internalise grammatical devices and structures that they have studied and actively use them in conversations and writings.

UK time
Mon + Wed
10:15-11:00



Cost: £20 per course

Teacher: Wei Gu

Venue: Online Teaching via Zoom

Booking: <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/advanced-intermediate-tickets-481511211997>

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Lunch Hour Sessions

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UK time
Tues + Thurs
12:15-13:00



Cost: £20 per course

Teacher: Fangting Liu

Venue: Online Teaching via Zoom

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UK time
Tues + Thurs
13:15-14:00



Cost: £20 per course

Teacher: Yingyue Wang

Venue: Online Teaching via Zoom

Booking: <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/chinese-post-beginners-2-hsk-level-2-part-2-tickets-481513629227>

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Business Etiquette

This course is delivered in English. It introduces the basic structure of the Chinese economy, the business climate in China, essential aspects of contemporary Chinese cultural relations and behaviour, major business etiquette and more. The course will serve as a useful guide to those who are interested in conducting business in/with China, and it will also enhance the students' ability to communicate effectively with Chinese businessmen as well as Chinese people as a whole.

UK time
Tues
13:15-14:00



Cost: £20 per course

Teacher: Professor Ping Zhang

Venue: Online Teaching via Zoom

Booking: <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/business-etiquette-tickets-481561682957>

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Chinese Calligraphy 2

This course will start with an introduction of Chinese art history and an explanation as to how Chinese philosophy influences Chinese art. Then the course will move to Standard Script, which is the most practical script in Chinese Calligraphy. The course will cover the basic strokes, the rules for stroke order for writing common words, and the common techniques related to Chinese brushes and ink control.

UK time
Wed
13:15-14:00



Cost: £20 per course

Teacher: Yingyue Wang

Venue: Postgraduate Centre 102 at Heriot-Watt University

Booking: <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/chinese-calligraphy-2-tickets-481563678927>

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Mon + Fri
12:00-12:45



Cost: £20 per course

Teacher: Junyu Li

Venue: Online Teaching via Zoom

Booking: <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/intermediate-2-hsk-level-3-part-2-tickets-481627459697>

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Evening Sessions

Chinese Speaking Corner (Beginner, Post-Beginner, and Intermediate)

This activity is a tutors-led Chinese oral practice session in the format of role play on a range of topics such as introducing yourself and your family, asking for directions, discussion about your hobbies, talk about university life, discussing about a wide range of interesting topics. The teachers provide some useful expressions for each topic of the week at the start of the session and do a demonstration. The participants will be invited to take up a role and practise. The teachers will provide assistance to facilitate the conversation as required. There are two sessions each week. Tuesday sessions suits participants at beginners and post-beginners level. Wednesday sessions suit intermediate level learners.

Teacher: Fangting Liu

Venue: Postgraduate Centre 102 at Heriot-Watt University

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for Beginners and**

Pb corner: <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/chinese-speaking-corner-beginner-post-beginner-tickets-481628904017>

**Booking
for Intermediate
corner:**

<https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/chinese-speaking-corner-intermediate-tickets-482985802537>

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UK time
Tues
18:30-19:15



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Wed
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Teacher: Yingyue Wang

Venue: Online

Booking: <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/chinese-calligraphy-2-tickets-481640548847>

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UK time
Thurs
19:15-20:00



Cost: £20 per course

Teacher: Professor Ping Zhang

Venue: Postgraduate Centre at 102 Heriot-Watt University

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One to One Class

This is a series of tailored classes that are available from Monday to Friday during semester and non-semester time. These are arranged upon request. Each booking consists of 5 sessions at a price of £30. The teacher may get into touch with you either through emails or online meeting to gauge your learning needs in order to develop a teaching plan. This initial discussion is in addition to the 5 sessions.



Cost: £6 per session,
£30 for 5 sessions

Venue: Online teaching via zoom or in person

Booking: <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/one-to-one-class-tickets-482987948957>

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