



Asian Languages & Cultures  
Rutgers University  
Spring 2020

**Chinese 01:165:222 Section 2**  
**Intermediate Chinese Reading and Writing for Mandarin Speakers**  
**Syllabus**

**Class Meeting Time and Location**

Tuesday & Thursday, Period 5 (2:50–4:10pm), Scott Hall 104

**Teaching Staff**

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**Course Description**

This course is for students who have completed Chinese 121 or placed into the course via the placement test. This course aims to improve heritage language speakers' general Mandarin Chinese proficiency, including speaking, listening, reading and writing; however, the courses emphasizes on reading and writing skills.

**Course Materials**

Oh, China! Elementary Reader of Modern Chinese for Advanced Beginners, Revised Edition, Chih-p'ing Chou, Perry Link and Xuedong Wang. Princeton: Princeton University Press, 2011. (ISBN-13: 978-0691058788; ISBN-10: 0691058784)

**Class Attendance & Participation 出席于参与 10%**

Classes meet two times a week and you are expected to be in class **on time** and **actively** participate in the class activities. You are expected to come to class well prepared. Proper preparation for each class will take you a minimum of one to two hours. Please arrange your schedule so that you have enough time to prepare for this class. Language learning is a cumulative process and requires continuous, steady effort. Please inform the instructor of your absence in advance via Rutgers Online Absences Report System at <https://sims.rutgers.edu/ssra/>. (Please note: Reporting your absence does not "excuse" you). Absences can be excused only for religious reasons or by presentation of official documents explaining your absence (e.g., doctor's notes). If you miss class for more than 30 minutes, your lateness will be counted as a half absence. More than 3 (including 3) unexcused absences will lead automatically to an "F". Final grades will be lowered by 3% for each day of class missed.

### **Homework 作业 10% & Writing assignments 写作练习 10%**

Homework assignments will be announced in class. We will collect your homework and go over it in class after we hand it back to you. We have a writing assignment for each lesson, which is due at the beginning of the following lesson. Please submit your homework and writing assignment on time to receive full credit. Late submissions will receive no credit, but I would still be happy to review your work.

### **Quizzes 小考 10%, Unit tests 大考 30%, and Final Exams 期末考 20%**

There will be quizzes either on vocabulary, sentence patterns, or the lesson text. There will be 3 unit tests and one final exam. All unit tests and exams are cumulative. Therefore, you need to review earlier material frequently. Make-ups will be given for unit tests & exams only for officially excused absences or conflicts (official documents have to be provided). It is your responsibility to get in touch with the instructor and schedule a make-up.

Unit Test 1 第一次大考 (10%) Lessons 11-13

Unit Test 2 第二次大考 (10%) Lessons 11-15

Unit Test 3 第三次大考 (10%) Lessons 11-18

Final Exam 期末考 (20%) Lessons 11-20

May 8, 2020 (Friday), 12:00-3:00pm

### **Final Oral Presentation 期末口语报告 10%**

For the Final Oral Presentation, you will work in groups of 3-4 to write and perform a short skit in Chinese by using the phrases and grammar you learn. You will have opportunities in class activity time to prepare for the final oral presentation.

### **Grading**

Your final grade will be calculated as follows:

Attendance & Participation **10%**

Homework **10%**

Writing Assignments **10%**

Quizzes **10%**

Final Oral Presentation **10%**

Unit Tests **30%**

Final **20%**

Plagiarism/Cheating Policy Any form of Plagiarism/Cheating is strictly forbidden in this course. Plagiarism/Cheating on assignments, tests and exams will automatically result in an “F” for the task. Please visit Rutgers Academic Integrity website (<http://academicintegrity.rutgers.edu>) for details, and read in particular the “Policy on Academic Integrity” available at [http://academicintegrity.rutgers.edu/files/documents/AI\\_Policy\\_9\\_01\\_2011.pdf](http://academicintegrity.rutgers.edu/files/documents/AI_Policy_9_01_2011.pdf).

周次	日期	小考	上课内容	作业
第一周	1/21 (二)		课程介绍	
	1/23 (四)		11.1 《为什么学中文》	作业
第二周	1/28 (二)	小考	11.2	作业
	1/30 (四)	小考	12.1 《做孩子也不容易》	作业
第三周	2/4 (二)	小考	12.2	作业
	2/6 (四)	小考	13.1 《说标准的普通话》	作业
第四周	2/11 (二)	小考	13.2	作业
	2/13 (四)		**第一次大考 L11~13**	
第五周	2/18 (二)		14.1 《繁体字和简体字》	作业
	2/20 (四)	小考	14.2	作业
第六周	2/25 (二)	小考	15.1 《都怪你妈妈》	作业
	2/27 (四)	小考	15.2	作业
第七周	3/3 (二)	小考	课堂讨论	
	3/5 (四)		**第二次大考 L11~15**	

第八周	3/10 (二)		16.1 《我不要去中国城》	作业
	3/12 (四)	小考	16.2	作业
第九周	3/17 (二) 3/19 (四)		☺ 春假 ☺	
第十周	3/24 (二)	小考	17.1 《唐人街》	作业
	3/26 (四)	小考	17.2	作业
第十一周	3/31 (二)	小考	18.1 《饭桌上的客套》	作业
	4/2 (四)	小考	18.2	作业
第十二周	4/7 (二)	小考	课堂讨论	
	4/9 (四)		**第三次大考 L11~18**	
第十三周	4/14 (二)		19.1 《美国的华侨》	作业
	4/16 (四)	小考	19.2	作业
第十四周	4/21 (二)	小考	20.1 《华裔需不需要政治代表》	作业
	4/23 (四)	小考	20.2	作业
第十五周	4/28 (二)	小考	总复习	
	4/30 (四)		*期末口语报告*	
第十六周	5/8 (五)		12:00-3:00pm ***期末考 L11~20***	