

Chinese (Mandarin)

CHI 111: Integrated Chinese Vol. 1 Textbook, Integrated Chinese Vol. 1 Workbook, Integrated Chinese Vol. 1 Character Workbook

Write Chinese character in correct stroke order. Learn Mandarin pronunciation with Pinyin. Commonly used pronouns, verbs, adjectives, adverbs, question particles and measure words. Basic sentence structure and word order.

What students can do after CHI 111: Learn to read/write one's Chinese name. Exchange greetings. Learn basic kinship terms. Talk about personal information, hobbies, occupations of oneself and the family. Tell time and date. Invite, accept/decline invitations. How to be a host/hostess or gracious guest.

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More conjunctions, time expressions and measure words. Directional and descriptive Complements. Ongoing actions, simultaneous actions and sequence of actions. Topic-Comment sentences.

What students can do after CHI 112: In addition to above: Make/receive calls and phone etiquette. Set up appointments. Talk about college life and majors. Describe the experience of learning Chinese. Write simple journal entries, brief letters, and emails. Learn how to shop or exchange. Talk about the color/size/style/price of clothes/shoes. Learn the common means of transportation. Extend greetings, both oral and written. (Students can often pass the HSK/Chinese Proficiency Test Level 1 exam after CHI 112 .)

CHI 115: Integrated Chinese Vol. 2 Textbook Traditional, Integrated Chinese Vol. 2 Workbook Traditional, Integrated Chinese Vol. 2 Character Workbook

Comparative sentences. Resultative complements. Direction and location words. Duration of an action. More modal verbs, prepositions, and conjunctions.

What students can do after CHI 115: Describe basic weather conditions. Place order and pay bill at a Chinese restaurant. Talk about one's dietary preferences and restrictions. Ask for and give directions. Locate places using landmark references. Birthday party etiquette. Learn Chinese zodiac. Describe facial features in simple terms. Talk about allergies and cold symptoms.