

Summer Online Chinese Language Program (Program W)

After careful preparation, the International Cultural Exchange School of Donghua University has launched the Online Chinese Language Program (Program W) for the international students who already have a certain basic proficiency in Chinese. Session 1 has successfully come to an end, and session 2 is about to begin. Now we are glad to announce that ICES is going to launch session 3 and 4 - an upgraded version of the online program!

No matter where you are now located, if you plan to keep a proper learning pace, practice and improve your skills in Chinese listening, speaking, reading and writing, make progress together with the Chinese learners around the world and the teachers from China, experience the grand Chinese culture, you are welcome to join us!

Program Features

- **Real-time Interaction:** unlike the regular offline Chinese language programs, Program W is tailored based on the online teaching modes and features. Two teachers in charge of each class and the teachers will follow up on the learning situation of each student and will adjust the course accordingly to ensure the best learning outcomes.
- **Original Learning Resources:** original course materials are available for download anywhere and anytime. Practical and interesting course contents bring more social opportunities and meanwhile emphasize students' learning experience and a sense of achievement.
- **Rich in Culture Experience:** a variety of colorful Chinese cultural lectures and cultural activities will be held, and a mysterious cultural package from China will be delivered to you across the ocean. Regardless of the social distance, the cultural experience is still within reach.
- **Flexible Schedule:** multiple time slots are available. Students can choose one of the time slots according to their time zones and personal schedules.

Study Duration:

- Session 3: June. 22 – July. 24, 2020
- Session 4: July. 27 – Aug. 28, 2020

Online Course Schedule:

- From Monday to Friday, 3 hours per day, 75 hours per session
- Multiple time slots are available to choose, each time slot is three hours, during which teachers will keep online teaching and interaction. Students can choose to participate in a fixed time slot based on their time zones and their personal schedule. The online teaching schedule is in Beijing time, and the specific starting time will be slightly modified according to the operation of the platform or the network conditions.

Fees (/person):

- Application Fee: CNY 200 (Currently enrolled student: fully waived)
- Tuition: CNY 3000/session (Currently enrolled student : CNY 2800/session)
CNY 5800/two sessions (Currently enrolled student : CNY 5400/two sessions)
- Payment and Refund: students may audition online first (specific arrangements will be notified later). If the student confirms to participate in the program after the audition, he/she can pay the relevant fees online. The paid fees are non-refundable in any case.

Teaching Plan and Class Levels:

Program W does not accept learners with no basic proficiency in Chinese. Please refer to the descriptions of “Current Chinese Levels” below and evaluate your current Chinese ability and vocabulary objectively to help yourself enter the appropriate class level:

Levels Offered	Textbooks	Current Chinese Levels		Course Contents and Objectives	
		Language Ability	Vocabulary	Topics and Contents	Objective: Correspondent HSK Levels
W1	<i>Chinese in Real Life</i> Book One, Lesson 6-10	Have learned Pinyin and simple Chinese characters; can introduce yourself.	Around 150	Can use simple words to order food, buy clothes, ask direction, introduce family members, see a doctor	HSK Level 1-2
W2	<i>Chinese in Real Life</i> Book Two, Lesson 11-15	Can complete simplest daily conversations; can read simple texts without Pinyin.	Around 300	Can briefly introduce study, hobbies, transportation, weather, online shopping.	HSK Level 2
W3	<i>Chinese in Real Life</i> Book Two, Lesson 16-20		Around 450	Can introduce travel, house, and festivals, seek help, kid's education.	HSK Level 2-3
W4	<i>Chinese in Real Life</i> Book Three, Lesson 21-25	Can understand and use common sentences in daily life; able to describe life events in paragraphs.	Around 600	Can introduce changes, describe wearing and hair style, and discuss if has raised a pet.	HSK Level 3
W5	<i>Chinese in Real Life</i> Book Three, Lesson 26-30		Around 800	Can introduce sports, way of cooking, movie stories, online shopping, and event organization.	HSK Level 3-4
W6	Self-compiled Materials Lesson 31-35	Can understand and analyze some social phenomenon, find out the problem and raise solutions	Around 1000-1500	Can talk about online friendship, goals, job, children and holiday traditions.	HSK Level 4
W7	Self-compiled Materials Lesson 36-40			Can talk about trips, hygiene habits, garbage classification, online education, and stress in life.	
W8	Self-compiled Materials 5 Topics	Can briefly express ideas and describe reasons to general phenomenon.	Around 2000-2500	Can introduce in detail about studying abroad, weddings, changes, sharing bikes, animal protection, and Chinese cuisine culture.	HSK Level 4-5
W9	Self-compiled Materials 5 Topics			Can introduce in detail about the characteristics of a city, new energy automobiles, Double 11 strategies, the way of business survival, and the requirements of starting a business in China.	HSK Level 5

How to Apply: please submit an application on <http://admissions.dhu.edu.cn/>. After submission, the relevant teacher will contact you and help you to get into the class.

Application Deadline: Session 3: June. 15; Session 4: July. 20

Software & Hardware Support: mobile phones or computers, headsets and microphones, smooth Internet connection, which can support online voice interaction. Better install WeChat App and be able to use the relevant online teaching and interaction platforms.

Completion: after completing the courses and pass the evaluation, students will get a completion certificate of Program W (delivered in the electronic version).

Others: student visa and accommodation services are not involved in this program; hence the university will not provide any relevant proof documents.