Chinese Courses (Asian and Slavic Languages and Literatures) (CHIN)

This is a list of Chinese courses. For more information, see Asian and Slavic Languages and Literatures.

**CHIN:1000 First-Year Seminar**  1 s.h.
Small discussion class taught by a faculty member; topics chosen by instructor; may include outside activities (e.g., films, lectures, performances, readings, visits to research facilities, field trips). Requirements: first-semester standing.

**CHIN:1070 Asian Art and Culture**  3 s.h.
Art from India, China, and Japan in many media and forms, in their cultural and historical contexts; cultural distinctions of these Asian civilizations as seen through the visual arts; chronology used to highlight historical processes and provide perspectives on continuity and change. GE: Historical Perspectives; Literary, Visual, and Performing Arts. Same as ARTH:1070.

**CHIN:1101 Conversational Chinese I**  1 s.h.
Introduction to modern Chinese, with focus on communication "survival" skills for discussing oneself, family, daily activities, interests, personal preferences, food, shopping, travel, lodging; situational activities and performance.

**CHIN:1102 Conversational Chinese II**  1 s.h.
Continuation of CHIN:1101, with focus on speaking and listening.

**CHIN:1111 First-Year Chinese: First Semester**  5 s.h.
Sound system of Mandarin Chinese, basic sentence patterns; aural understanding, speaking, reading, writing. Offered fall semesters. Requirements: undergraduate standing. GE: World Languages First Level Proficiency.

**CHIN:1112 First-Year Chinese: Second Semester**  5 s.h.

**CHIN:1115 Beginning Chinese I**  3 s.h.
Beginning Chinese; offered through UI Confucius Institute; first of a four-course sequence.

**CHIN:1116 Beginning Chinese II**  3 s.h.
Continuation of CHIN:1115; offered through UI Confucius Institute; second of a four-course sequence. Requirements: CHIN:1115 or equivalent as demonstrated in written and oral exams.

**CHIN:1121 Beginning Chinese III**  3 s.h.
Continuation of CHIN:1116; provides instruction in all four language skills of listening, speaking, reading, and writing; students further develop their understanding of Chinese culture through language learning; offered through UI Confucius Institute; third of a four course sequence. Prerequisites: CHIN:1116.

**CHIN:1122 Beginning Chinese IV**  3 s.h.
Continuation of CHIN:1121; provides instruction in all four language skills of listening, speaking, reading, and writing through task-based and task-supported curriculum; students further develop their understanding of historical and contemporary Chinese culture; fourth in a series of beginning Chinese for high school students. Prerequisites: CHIN:1121.

**CHIN:1504 Asian Humanities: China**  3 s.h.
Literary and philosophical texts of China in English translation. GE: Values and Culture.

**CHIN:1702 Chinese Popular Culture**  3 s.h.
Introduction to popular culture from the People's Republic of China, Taiwan, Hong Kong, and the Chinese diaspora; shifting relationships among cultural production, media and technology, and political thought; influences of Japan, Korea, and the West; materials drawn from film, television shows, music, new media, popular literature, comics, magazines, advertising, fashion, art, and material culture; no previous knowledge of Chinese is required. GE: Literary, Visual, and Performing Arts.

**CHIN:1800 Chinese Character Writing and Calligraphy**  2 s.h.

**CHIN:2101 Second-Year Chinese: First Semester**  5 s.h.

**CHIN:2102 Second-Year Chinese: Second Semester**  5 s.h.

**CHIN:2103 Accelerated Second-Year Chinese: First Semester**  3 s.h.

**CHIN:2104 Accelerated Second-Year Chinese: Second Semester**  3 s.h.
Intermediate Chinese. Prerequisites: grade of C or higher in CHIN:2103. GE: World Languages Fourth Level Proficiency.

**CHIN:3101 Third-Year Chinese: First Semester**  3 s.h.
Reading of advanced modern Chinese texts; speaking, writing. Offered fall semesters. Prerequisites: CHIN:2102 or CHIN:2104.

**CHIN:3102 Third Year Chinese: Second Semester**  3 s.h.
Continuation of CHIN:3101. Offered spring semesters. Prerequisites: CHIN:3101.

**CHIN:3103 Business Chinese I**  3 s.h.
Skill development in communicating with Chinese counterparts on a number of domains in business translations; first of a two-course sequence. Prerequisites: CHIN:2102 or CHIN:2104.

**CHIN:3104 Business Chinese II**  3 s.h.
Skill development in communicating with Chinese counterparts on a number of domains in business translations; second of a two-course sequence. Prerequisites: CHIN:3102 or CHIN:3103.
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<td>Overview of goals, concepts, principles, research, and issues in assessment and testing of Chinese as a second language. Same as SLA:7804.</td>
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