Chinese Language and Culture Course for Children

By IBA Confucius Institute in Sønderborg

TIMETABLE

Wednesdays, 16:30-18.15

September 2019	11 - Sep	Chinese language learning & activities
	18 - Sep	Chinese language learning & activities
	25 - Sep	Chinese language learning & activities
October 2019	2 - Oct	Chinese language learning & activities
	9 - Oct	Chinese language learning & activities
	23 - Oct	Chinese language learning & activities
	30 - Oct	Chinese language learning & activities
November 2019	6 - Nov	Chinese language learning & activities
	13 - Nov	Chinese language learning & activities
	20 - Nov	Chinese language learning & activities
	27 - Nov	Chinese language learning & activities
December 2019	4 - Dec	Chinese language learning & activities

Chinese Language Course for Children, 4-12 years

At EUCSyd, Sønderborg IBACI's Teaching Spot

Target Group

The course is designed for children between the ages of 4 and 12.

Course Literature

The course is based on topics in the textbook "Chinese Paradise (1-3)" and other chosen storybooks for children.

Course Description

The course is designed for children between the ages of 4 and 12. The teaching of Mandarin Chinese begins with playful tools and games. The pupils engage in game-like activities and within a short time become familiar with the Chinese language. Without even realising, they are learning a second language; the children follow storybook adventures such as the "Chinese Paradise (1-3)". Spoken Chinese and Pinyin are practised and enhanced through songs, stories and nursery rhymes, and modelled and explored as the children take part in various role-plays.

Aim of the Course

The aim of this class is to expose children to Chinese as second language and help them learn about Chinese culture. Hearing a story, listening to music, or learning a few words in Chinese will give the children the skills for appreciating it now and learning to speak it later. Learning Chinese as second language is not only a linguistic activity but also a cognitive one, which involves memorising rules and vocabulary, which helps strengthen their mental muscle. When children join the preschool Chinese class, they are exposed to Chinese and English too.

FACTS ABOUT THE COURSE

Level	Beginner 1 and 2	
Lessons	24 lessons (the course consists of two lessons of each 45 minutes	
	and a 15-minute break)	
Time:	Every Wednesday 16:30-18:15	
Start date:	Wednesday, 11 September 2019	
Venue:	Confucius Classroom	
	EUC Syd Skolehjemmet, Søndre Landevej 28, 6400 Sønderborg	
Teacher:	Xia Wang	
Co-teacher:	Yurong Xu	
Teaching language:	Chinese & English	
Course fee*:	750 DKK + teaching material of 200 DKK	
Enrolment:		
Deadline for enrolment and payment:	10 September 2019	