



Mandarin Curriculum Overview

Mandarin

HT							X-mas							HT					Easter					HT															
Week Beg.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39
Year 7	JIN BU 1 Chapter 2 – Family & home, 家, jiā							JIN BU 1 Chapter 1 – Hi!, 嗨, Hai							JIN BU 1 Chapter 3 – Hobbies, 爱好, ài hào					JIN BU 1 Chapter 4 – School, 学校, xué xiào					Exam skills and fluency					Chapter 5 – Food & drink, 食品和饮料, shí pǐn hé yǐn liào									
	Introductions- a solid foundation in Mandarin Greetings, introductions, discovering China Family and home, pets, birthdays							Hobbies, opinions, TV							Hobbies continued					School subjects, timetables, describing school					Fluency and retrieval of chapters 1-3 in preparation for Hurdle tests					Food and drink, meal times, in a restaurant									
Year 8	Holidays and travel-countries, transport, places to visit, free time activities							All about me- physical descriptions, my bedroom, colours							Daily routines, clothes					Where I live, places in town, location, asking and giving directions, weekend plans					Jobs, lifestyles					JIN BU2 Fluency and enrichment									
Year 9	Shopping, foods, opinions, clothes, online, transactional language							Travelling in china, travel plans, sightseeing, shopping							Important Chinese Festivals and celebrations					Family, descriptions, hobbies, routines, homes, role models					Cultural life, literature, shopping, TV and films					Daily life, eating out, festivals and celebrations									
YEAR 10	Where I live, places in town, location, transactional language- dealing with problems, asking and giving directions							Holiday experiences, locations, travel, weather, Transactional holiday language - reservations, travel plans, complaints							School life, comparing schools in the UK with China, rules and problems at school, extracurricula activities					Being green, natural resources, global problems, protecting the environmentInternational sporting events, music events					Bringing the world together					Focus on application of exam skills and preparation for the PPEs									
YEAR 11	Jobs, preferences, career plans, applying for a job, Plans for future study, using languages beyond the classroom							Focus on application of exam skills and preparation for the PPEs							Revision of school					Revision of future studies and aspirations					Revision of town and local area					Focus on application of exam skills and preparation for the exams									

- Theme 1 - Identity and culture
- Theme 2 - Local area, holiday and travel
- Theme 3 - School
- Theme 4 - Future plans, study and work
- Theme 5 - Global dimensions