



Course: Chinese A1

Course Syllabus

I. COURSE DESCRIPTION:

This course is designed for beginners who have never learned Chinese before. It aims at learning basic pronouncing and writing rules of Chinese (Mandarin) language and developing elementary communicative skills and knowledge of the Chinese language and culture.

II. COURSE OBJECTIVES:

At the end of the course the student should be able

- to grasp the pronunciation and intonation of pinyin (the phonetic system of Chinese);
- to know expressions of greetings, how to introduce himself and his family;
- to deal with situations that are likely to arise while traveling in an area where the Chinese language is spoken, such as shopping, ordering dishes in restaurants etc.;
- to have a basic understanding of the structure and the meaning of common Chinese characters (ideograms) .

III. COURSE INFORMATION:

TEXT BOOK:

Il cinese per gli italiani(Livelli A1-A2 del Quadro Comune Europeo di Riferimento per le Lingue)
Federico Masini, HOEPLI

LESSON CALENDAR:

September, 2016 --- January, 2017

Every Tuesday evening, from 17:00 to 19:00, 2 hours per week, 15 weeks

TOTAL ACADEMIC HOURS: 30

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IV. LECTURE OUTLINE

WEEKS	TOPICS
Week 1-2	Lezione 1 Pronuncia e caratteri 1
Week 3-4	Lezione 2 Pronuncia e caratteri 2
Week 5-6	Lezione 3 Pronuncia e caratteri 3
Week 7	Lezione 4 Pronuncia e caratteri 4
Week 8-9	Lezione 5 Io sono Marco
Week 10-11	Lezione 6 Noi siamo tutti romani
Week 12-13	Lezione 7 Come ti chiami?
Week 14	Lezione 8 Ti piace guardare i film?
Week 15	Lezione 9 Vado in libreria a comprare dei libri