

2012



Summer camp

The best choice for your child this summer!



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Where you will always find...

Professional teachers ?

Varied courses to take ?

The best service ?

Programs 2012

WELCOME

iMandarin provides Mandarin courses every summer and winter for foreigners from all over the world. Our cozy learning environments and teaching facilities provide thousands of students with endless fun and a unique cultural experience. Students of all ages from different regions can not only participate in practical Mandarin courses but also have fun with various extracurricular interactive activities (designed to deepen their understanding of Mandarin, China, and to make friends from all over the world).



HIGHLIGHTS

Our camp provides students with an immersive Mandarin learning environment, featuring native speakers and our famous interactive teaching methodology.

The iMandarin Mandarin course:

Our course is designed to pique students' interest whilst improving their listening, speaking, reading, and writing abilities. We also aim to enhance their understanding of Chinese art, technology, geography, culture, and more. Studying at iMandarin is an unforgettable and effective Mandarin learning experience!

Interactive teaching:

Interesting and interactive teaching methodology combines with games to ensure every student masters Mandarin in a natural, comfortable (and fun!) way.

Professional teachers:

Experienced professional Mandarin teachers

who teach students in accordance with their children. aptitude and help every student achieve their goals in the shortest possible time.

Various activities:

Various cultural activities are tailor-made for

Day Camp (Students 7-16 years old)

Students study, play and take part in activities at school during the daytime, but spend time with family in the evening and on weekends.

Prices in RMB:

2 weeks	3 weeks	4 weeks	5 weeks	6 weeks	7+ weeks
6000	8700	11100	13300	15400	2000 per week

Day camp prices include: registration fee; 20 language lessons per week; textbook and materials; Lunch and snacks at school; 5 afternoon activities; supervision by local staff and monitors; high season charge; language proficiency certificate at the end of the program upon request.

Full-day Camp (Students 13-16 years old)

Students are immersed in a Mandarin language environment day and night, studying and living with teachers and peers to fully experience Chinese culture.

Prices in RMB:

2 weeks	3 weeks	4 weeks	5 weeks	6 weeks	+ week
12000	17500	22500	27300	31900	4400 per week

Full day camp price including: registration fee, 20 language lessons per week, textbook and materials; Accommodation with 3 meals and snacks daily; 5 afternoon activities weekly and Saturday excursion biweekly; High season charge; Language proficiency certificate at the end of program upon request.

NEW! Family Package

Specially designed for family learning.

Special accommodation placement: Will be arranged upon request. We can also tailor-make family packages upon request.

Prices in RMB:

Programs	2 weeks	3 weeks	4 weeks	5 weeks	6 weeks	7+ weeks
1 Adult + 1 Junior	10800	15800	20500	24800	28000	4500/week
1 Adult + 2 Juniors	16000	23000	29000	34500	39500	6500/week
+ Adult	2500	3800	4750	5950	7150	1150/week

Family package prices include: Registration fee; 20 language lessons per week for adults and children; (different classes for each); teaching

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materials; 5 afternoon activities for juniors weekly and 1 day excursion for adults and juniors biweekly; language proficiency certificate at the end of program upon request.

* **The prices above exclude:** Airfare, passport, visa, travel and medical insurance, airport transfer, additional costs and expenses for non program-related activities, spending money.

Start Dates: Every Monday from June 13 to August 15, 2012

Language Levels: 5 levels from Elementary to Intermediate

Group Size: Maximum of 10 Students per Class

Program Length: From 2 weeks to 2 months

All programs must be finished on August 26, 2012.

Arrival Day: Sunday before 3:00pm

Departure Day: Saturday before 12:00pm

Mandarin Courses in the Morning

- Vocabulary induction
- Listening comprehension
- Extensive reading practice
- Oral communication skills
- Grammar and sentence structure
- Chinese characters
- Exercises and Games

Detailed Schedule Example

7:30 – 8:00	Get up
8:00 – 8:30	Breakfast
8:30 – 9:00	Go to school and prepare for class
9:00 - 10:40	1st and 2nd class
10:40 – 11:00	Snack and rest
11:00 – 12:40	3rd and 4th class
12:40 - 13:30	Lunch
13:30 – 15:30	Culture class and activities
15:30 – 15:50	Snack and rest
15:50 – 16:50	Conversational practice, ask questions and do

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	homework.
Students for day camp leave school at 16:30	
16:50 – 19:30	Go back to camp for dinner
19:30 – 21 :00	Watch movie, tell stories and play games
21:00 - 22:00	Wash and go to bed

Culture Class & Social Activities in the Afternoon

(Different Arrangements for Different Age Levels)

- **Junior students:** Handicraft class (paper cutting, Peking opera face painting, making dessert, Chinese wash painting, making pearl jewellery, etc.); Literature and art (calligraphy, play musical instruments, etc.); Entertainment (cartoon movies, play chess, play cards, etc.); Outdoor activities (Kong-fu, swimming, basketball, visit scenic spots, etc.)
- **Senior students:** Culture class (Chinese history, politics, economy, general culture, customs, introduction of scenic spots. etc.); Handicraft class (paper cutting, Peking opera face painting, making dessert, Chinese wash painting, making pearl jewellery, etc.); Literature and art (calligraphy, play musical instruments, etc.); Visit scenic spots around the city, etc.

* Activities Schedule Sample for Full-day Camp in Shanghai

	Morning	Afternoon	Night
Mon.		Introduction of geography & tourist attractions in China	
Tue.		Handcrafts (Chinese knot, paper-cuts,	

	Mandarin	facial makeup in Beijing operas, flower arrangements, etc.)
Wed.	Lessons	History, Politics, Economy, Humanities in China
Thu.		Chinese folk music, Calligraphy, Ink & wash painting
Fri.		Sightseeing in Shanghai (Yu Garden, Shanghai Science & Technology Museum, Walter Sports Center etc.)
Sat.		Sightseeing around satellite cities (Zhouzhuang, Suzhou, Xitang, Hangzhou, etc.)

1. We will administer a placement test for students to determine

their level of Mandarin on the first day of school. Levels range from total Beginner to Advanced.

2. We will divide students into different classes according to their age and present Mandarin proficiency to ensure that the learning process proceeds effectively.
3. Our selected summer camp Mandarin teachers are all qualified to teach Mandarin as a foreign language and have years of experience teaching children. They teach Mandarin and Chinese culture according to the characteristics and needs of every each. The Mandarin classes in the morning, together with the Chinese culture classes and activities in the afternoon, enable students to practice what they have learned in daily life and to achieve their goals of Mandarin use.
4. We have designated summer camp supervisors who will be responsible for running the camp, ensuring the safety of all students, and being available for assistance under any and all circumstances.
5. iMandarin aims to make our students as comfortable as possible, and has arranged to have a student administrator placed in charge of meals, living needs, and travel issues.



Accommodation:

Students' living quarters are located within 20 minutes of the campus via walking or public transportation. Apartments are well appointed with television, air conditioning, etc. We provide shared rooms with 3 meals and 2 snacks per day, and a supervisor will accompany you upon request.

Airport Pick-up:

We provide airport pickup and transportation to your housing. RMB 400 / time (one-way) will be charged. Those interested should provide us with their detailed flight information at least 2 weeks before their arrival date. There is no refund for any change of flight within 2 days the scheduled time.

Students' Comments



陈美安

Japanese, 12 years old

毎年夏休みには私は必ず上海に来て愛マンダリンで3週間、中国語を勉強しました。ここには好きな先生がたくさんいます。先生たちは私のお姉さんのようで、よく一緒に遊んでくれました。私もいろいろ勉強になりました。毎朝中国語を勉強して、午後にわゲームをしたり、又時々プールへ連れて行ってくれました。とても楽しかったです。

Maria(in her mom's words)

American, 14 years old

Thank you for helping Maria learn Mandarin.

I feel she has really made progress and had a great time doing your summer courses as well as learning how to communicate with her new friends here in Shanghai. She also picked up a lot of the culture here and is fitting in better than me! Maria also got on very well with your staff and so please thank them for taking good care of her when I was late arriving from work. (although I think she didn't want to leave).

Once again thank you very much and I hope that Maria can learn with you again.

Application Form

Appendix I

GUARDIAN DETAILS			
Father's Name		Mother's Name	
Home Phone Number		Mobile	
Email		Resident Status	<input type="checkbox"/> Visitor <input type="checkbox"/> Permanent Resident
Home Address			
Student will be residing with	<input type="checkbox"/> Parent <input type="checkbox"/> Guardian <input type="checkbox"/> iMandarin		
Guardian's Name		Guardian's Mobile	
STUDENT DETAILS			
Name		Nationality	
Gender	<input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female	Date of Birth	(DD-MM-YY)
Email		Contact No.	
Education Background	Number of years study____ High-school____ College____ B.A.____ M.A.____ PHD____		
Present Chinese Level	<input type="checkbox"/> None <input type="checkbox"/> Beginner <input type="checkbox"/> Intermediate <input type="checkbox"/> Advanced Have you learned Pinyin <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No Number of Chinese words you know_____		
PROGRAM DATA			
Where would you like to study	<input type="checkbox"/> Shanghai <input type="checkbox"/> Beijing <input type="checkbox"/> Guangzhou <input type="checkbox"/> Dalian		
Program Applied For	<input type="checkbox"/> Day Camp <input type="checkbox"/> Full Day Camp <input type="checkbox"/> Family Package <input type="checkbox"/> Other, _____		
Course Duration	Star Date_____ (DD-MM-YY) End Date_____ (DD-MM-YY)		
Accommodation	<input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes		
OTHER			
How did you hear about iMandarin?			
<input type="checkbox"/> Internet	Website:		
<input type="checkbox"/> Advertisement	Publication:		
<input type="checkbox"/> Friend	Name:		
<input type="checkbox"/> Company	Name:		
<input type="checkbox"/> Brochure	Where:		

<input type="checkbox"/> Other	Please specify:
Payment:	<input type="checkbox"/> Bank Transfer <input type="checkbox"/> Pay Pal <input type="checkbox"/> Credit Card <input type="checkbox"/> Cash <input type="checkbox"/> Other_____
Airport Pick-up:	<input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes, please arrange an airport pickup for me. Airline: _____ Airport of Arrival: _____ Flight Number: _____ Arrival Date: _____(DD-MM-YY) Arrival Time: _____ <input type="checkbox"/> AM <input type="checkbox"/> PM
Questions & comments:	
I certify that the information supplied in this Application is complete and correct. I agree to abide by the school's rules.	
Student Signature:	Date: _____ (DD-MM-YY)

Terms & Conditions

Appendix II

I For courses

1. Group class schedules are fixed and rescheduling is not allowed.
2. If a group has less than 2 participants, iMandarin has the right to reduce the class time from forty-five minutes to thirty minutes.
3. Students will take responsibility for their missed group classes. If a student wants to make up the missed lessons with a private tutor, an extra private tutoring fee will be charged.
4. If students are not able to take private lessons due to unforeseeable causes, 24-hour prior notice must be given in order to cancel or reschedule classes. Cancellation within 24 hours will not be accepted and the canceled class hours will be regarded as having been used.
5. Students have the right to request a different instructor during the course duration with written reasons or explanations.
6. After a course begins, if the student needs to change his/her course program, USD 40 will be charged per time.
7. Student(s) should acknowledge and agree that the course should be finished within the valid time indicated.

II For Airport Pick-up & Accommodation

1. Application for airport pick-up or accommodation must be given 1 month in advance.
2. New students should pay at least 1 month's rent and 1 month's deposit.
3. Rent Settlement Time: Starts from 12AM on present day to 12AM on next day.
4. The price posted on the website is fixed unless special circumstances apply.

III For Conditions and Regulations of Refund

1. Regular refunds will be paid within 1 month of the application day. If a student paid by credit card, iMandarin cannot guarantee an accurate refund date due to uncertain transaction time between banks in two different countries.
2. Students who have paid tuition fees through agents must get refunds from agents.

A Course Refund Policy

1. The course application fee is non-refundable.
2. Tuition and teaching material fees are refundable for those who cancel courses 2 weeks or more before course starting dates, but no fee is refundable after starting dates.

B Airport Pick-up & Accommodation Refund

1. The 1 month accommodation fee and the 1 month deposit have not refundable unless students are failed to get a visa and provide us with a copy of the rejected visa.
2. Airport pick-up fee is refundable for those who cancel 1 week before course starting date.
3. Students who want to cancel accommodation arrangement after arrival need to submit a written application 1 month in advance. Otherwise, USD100 penalty fee will be charged.

IV Unusual Circumstance

If a student's program is disrupted by an unforeseen event, iMandarin will arrange the rest of the courses to accommodate the situation. If a student's program is disrupted by himself/herself, iMandarin will keep his/her status as iMandarin's student for one year. During this period, student can use rest of the course hours, but should bear all extra fees. In neither case above is, a refund allowed.

V Rights & Obligation

iMandarin has the rights to require the student to obey Chinese law and rules, school's rules and regulations. By agreeing these terms and conditions you agree that we may take photos and videos without interrupting classes and activities and use your personal information (such as name, nationality, hobby, etc...) for propaganda and teaching.

iMandarin has the obligation to properly accept students' suggestions and solve their problems to provide high quality environment.

Students have the rights to raise actual problems among teachers and staff, to ask school to settle properly.

Students have the obligation to obey Chinese law and rules, school's rules and regulations, and cooperate to do surveys.

I certify that the information supplied on this Confirmation Letter is complete and correct. I agree to abound by the Terms & Conditions of the school that are listed above.

Student Signature: _____

Date: _____ (mm/dd/yy)

Appendix III

General Summer Camp Waiver

I, the undersigned parent/guardian of _____ do hereby consent to his/her participation in iMandarin's Summer Camp.

I acknowledge that participation in this camp may expose the above named camper to the possibility of injury. I grant iMandarin's Summer Camp staff the authority to obtain emergency medical treatment as necessary to insure that the above named camper is safe from further injury.

In consideration of iMandarin allowing this camper to participate in its Summer Camp, I agree to waive and release iMandarin from all claims for damages that may arise, other than by negligence of iMandarin, its employees and agents, as a result of my child's participation in its Summer Camp.

Transportation Waiver

I acknowledge that the above named camper will be participating in activities, trips and events organized by iMandarin. I am aware that the participation of my camper may be outside the scope of his/her daily routine. I give permission for my child to travel by foot, automobile, bus or plane to a desired location.

Summer Camp Policy

1. **Discipline Policy-** Participants must attend classes and activities on time. Our staff must be informed in advance from parents/guardian if the participants are unable to attend. Full Day Camp participants must be in their rooms by 22:00 Sunday to Thursday and 23:00 Friday and Saturday. Overnight guests are not allowed. Illegal drug use and abusive behavior are forbidden, and alcoholic consumption is also forbidden to juveniles.
2. **Special Concerns-** Prior to the time of registration, any behavioral problems, or special physical, emotional, psychological, allergy related or medication needs of your child should be identified and discussed with iMandarin staff.

- 3. **Lost Items-** iMandarin is not responsible for items lost or stolen while participating in iMandarin programs.
- 4. **Extra Fees Policy-** Program fees cover program-related costs. The parents/guardian are responsible for providing spending money for any incidental expenses such as evening or weekend entertainment, shopping etc. Participants who wish iMandarin to organize extra trips or activities, if available, must pay for additional expenses.

I acknowledge and confirm that I have read this entire document prior to signing below.

Parent/Guardian (please print)

Signature of Parent/Guardian

Date

Signature of Witness

Appendix IV

MEDICAL RECORD

The following information is needed for the Summer camp, please assist us, as your child's health is our primary concern.

Name: _____
Passport #: _____

Nationality: _____
Visa #: _____

Persons to notify in an emergency:

Name: _____ Home Tel: _____ Mobile: _____
Name: _____ Home Tel: _____ Mobile: _____

Do your Child have Allergies? Yes No If yes, please list:

- 1. _____
- 2. _____

Do your Child have health problems? Yes No If yes, please list:

- 1. _____
- 2. _____

Is your child taking any regular medication? Yes No If yes, please list:

- 1. _____
- 2. _____

Do your child have dietary regulations? Yes No

If yes, please list:

1. _____

2. _____

In case of severe injury or acute illness at school that requires your child to be transferred to a medical facility, your child will be transferred to a certified medical facility. By signing this form you give iMandarin permission to contact a medical practitioner and/or transfer your child to a medical facility in case of emergency.

Parent Signature: _____

Date: _____ (mm/dd/yy)