

Chinese language courses

In our previous Chinese course (with credits) there were usually five or six students, however, after our publicity campaign, more than thirty people came to the first few lessons and we finally have around twenty registered learners.

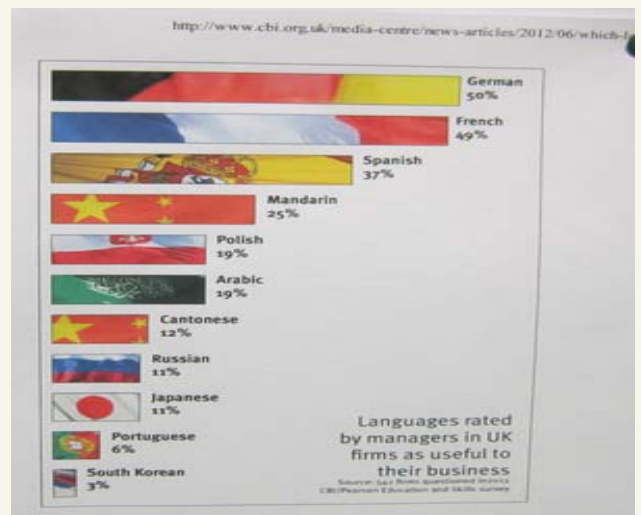
Our Chinese course with credits has started and now takes place every Tuesday at 6pm in the main Arts Building LR5.



The Chinese teacher Ms Qiuxia Zhai



Students practising Chinese in the class.



The survey shows that Chinese is among the top five most popular foreign languages for people to learn.



An academic from the law school at the class



Prof. Liying Zhang from the Confucius Institute



Dr Yan Ying



Students
learning and
having fun!



Group study

HSK Test



HSK Certificate

HSK Test is equivalent to TOEFL and IELTS. HSK stands for Chinese Proficiency Test.

There are six levels of written test from HSK Level 1 to HSK Level 6. There are three levels of oral test, namely HSK-Speaking (Basic), HSK-Speaking (intermediate) and HSK-Speaking (Advanced).

The Confucius Institute at Bangor University will offer the new HSK in 2013. Testing is open to anyone. This page provides general information about the HSK, including the new six levels of the writing test, three new levels of the oral test, the Bangor University testing dates, fees, and registration procedures.

- What is the HSK?
- What makes the new HSK different?
- How do I know which level to take?
- What are HSK test scores used for?
- Test dates at the Bangor University
- Fees
- How do I register?
- Test results



Hanban HSK Test Website

What is the HSK?

The HSK is a standardized international Chinese proficiency test for non-native speakers. The HSK tests students' ability to apply Chinese language in their studies, personal life and work.

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The new levels of the HSK written test were developed to match with Chinese Language Proficiency Scales for Speakers of Other Languages and The Common European Framework Reference for Language. A comparison of these measurements:

New HSK	Number of Characters	Chinese Language Proficiency Scales for Speakers of Other Languages	The Common European Framework Reference for Language , CEF
HSK- Level 6	Over 5000	Grade Five	C2
HSK- Level 5	2500		C1
HSK- Level 4	1200	Grade Four	B2
HSK- Level 3	600	Grade Three	B1
HSK- Level 2	300	Grade Two	A2
HSK- Level 1	150	Grade One	A1

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Fees for HSK

Written Test:

HSK Level 1 \$20 HSK Level 2 \$30

HSK Level 3 \$40 HSK Level 4 \$50

HSK Level 5 \$60 HSK Level 6 \$70

Oral Test:

HSK Elementary \$20 HSK Intermediate \$30

HSK Advanced \$40

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