

爾灣中文學校選課簡介

Irvine Chinese School Elective Curriculum

語言類 (Language)

#	選課名稱 Elective class	班組別 Level	選課簡介 Description
1	文化小學堂 Chinese Culture Class	小、中、大 All Levels	增進學生對中國歷史及文化的認識與瞭解，培養學生的興趣，內容包含了歷史、傳統美德、姓氏稱謂、節慶、科技發明、建築、文字語言、成語慣語...等等。 This class will help students gain better understanding and appreciation of Chinese history and culture. Topics include history, virtue, names and titles, holidays, technology and inventions, architecture, languages, proverbs and idioms, etc. Students may represent school in annual Chinese culture knowledge contest.
2	口語藝術 The Art of Speaking	小、中、大 morning Levels	加強學生中文口語表達能力，運用中文故事、成語故事、短劇等方法，讓學生輕鬆愉快的學中文。Motivate students to listen and speak Chinese through story telling.
3	中文故事趣讀 Chinese Story Telling	小、中、大 All Levels	藉由說故事的方式來增進學生中文使用的能力與經驗。 Students will develop language skills and cultural appreciation through storytelling.
4	領導才能班 Leadership Course	大 Upper Level	良好的組織能力，溝通能力和團隊精神不但使得自身素質提高，更可以使得學業和工作上同時具備做為領導者的基礎要素，和善用團隊合作精神。本課程在於培養孩子領導組織能力，學習和了解提高自身的溝通能力，服務精神，對於將來的發展有著不可忽視的作用。 ***限美校九年級以上學生*** To become a leader one requires good organization, communication, and team building skills. These skills not only improve oneself, they also help with one's study and work. Leadership course prepare children how to organize, learn and improve how to communicate better, and how to serve and show team building spirit, which are helpful in children's future development. *** This course is limited to students enrolling in high school level, 9th grade and up ***
5	SATII 中文加強班 SATII Chinese Preparation	大 Upper Level	教授內容與課程程度相當於 College Board 的 SAT II 中文測驗。其中包括聽力測驗、語文測驗、閱讀測驗。 *** 限美校九年級以上學生參加 *** This course prepares students for the College Board's Chinese SAT II exam. It teaches listening comprehension as well as usage and reading comprehension. The teaching and materials provided will improve students' exam taking skills for SAT II Chinese exam. ** This course is limited to students enrolling in U.S. high schools, 9th grade and up **
6	AP 中文輔導班 AP Chinese Preparation	大 Upper Level	高中學生 AP 中文輔導班，選課資格：通過 SAT-II Chinese Test 的高中生，或已完成本校高中部中文 II 以上課程的高中生。AP 考場錄取順序：以本校該學年度就讀高中生及其美制高中年級為考量 (Senior>Junior>Sophomore>Freshman)。 High school students who have passed SAT-II test and/or completed ICS Chinese II level class. AP Chinese test registration priority is given to students who are currently enrolled at Irvine Chinese School high school division and will further be determined by student's grade level (Senior>Junior>Sophomore>Freshman)

文化才藝類 (Cultural)

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1	國畫 Chinese Brush Painting	小、中、大 All Levels	研習中國傳統的繪畫，學習佈局及用墨的技巧，了解國畫的骨幹與意境，進而能欣賞畫中"留白"之藝術。藉控制墨的濃淡、紙的種類及毛筆的彈性，學習不同的畫風。 (另收額外的材料費) This class teaches the traditional Chinese brush painting, arrangement and shading techniques. Students learn to appreciate the design, display and the perspective intended by the artists. By controlling the concentration of ink, the thickness and absorbency of the paper, and the flexibility of the brush, students learn to produce an infinite variety of styles and forms. (extra material fee will be added)
2	中國象棋 Chinese Chess	小、中、大 All Levels	介紹棋藝基本佈局、棋法及策略，由下棋過程中訓練思考能力。 This class teaches basic Go game and Chinese chess strategies such as opening moves and combat tactics as well as analytical thinking.
3	中國串珠 Chinese Beading	小、中、大 All Levels	研習串珠技巧，讓你的想像力將這些珠子串成意想不到的成品。 (另收額外的材料費) This class allows students to learn beading techniques and create beautiful pieces of art, limited only by imagination. (extra material fee will be added)

4	中國美勞(含中國童玩) Chinese Art and Craft	小、中、大 All Levels	傳授傳統中國美勞, 例如摺紙和剪紙等藝術, 以訓練學生傳統中國美勞之欣賞力與創造力。材料費由老師另收。 (另收額外的材料費) This class introduces traditional Chinese arts and crafts, for example art of folding and cutting papers - a good training for students' creativity and developing appreciation to Chinese cultures. (extra material fee will be added)
5	中國國樂 Chinese Instruments	小、中、大 All Levels	中國民俗樂器演奏, 參加春節晚會演出。 (樂器自備) This class offers playing flute techniques to students and is taught by a folk music specialist. Students may participate in the New Year Celebration Performance. (Bring your own instruments)
6	民族舞蹈 Folk Dance	小、中、大 All Levels	教授民族舞蹈, 參加春節晚會及社區活動演出。 (服裝道具自買) This class teaches Chinese folk dance. Students will participate in various community events and the New Year Celebration Performance. (Dress/Prop fee will be collected in class)
7	中國扯鈴 Chinese Yo-Yo	小、中、大 All Levels	中國扯鈴是自古流傳的玩具和遊戲使每個童年生活增添許多回味無窮的樂趣。 (扯鈴道具自備) This Chinese folk toy, diabolo which developed since ancient times, has added memorable childhood fun. (Diabolo is not included)
8	卡通繪畫 Introduction to Cartoon	小、中、大 All Levels	藉由卡通繪畫的介紹及習作, 孩子們能畫出自己喜歡的卡通人物。 (另收額外的材料費) 。 This class introduces the basic concepts and techniques of cartooning. In this class, students learn to create their own cartoons. Difficulty will vary according to the class level. (extra material fee will be added)

體育類 (Sports)

#	選課名稱 Elective class	班組別 Level	選課簡介 Description
1	中國功夫 Chinese Kung-Fu	小、中、大 All Levels	傳授少林拳、螳螂拳, 參加春節晚會及社區活動演出。 (制服自備) This class teaches Shaolin and Mantis form of martial art. Students may participate in various community events and the New Year Celebration Performance. (Uniform is not included)
2	籃球 Basketball	小、中、大 All Levels	教授籃球技巧, 訓練團隊精神 *限週日上午(35人) This class teaches students basketball skills and team spirit. (Limited to 35 students each class). **Sunday morning only
3	羽毛球 Badminton	小、中、大 All Levels	教授羽毛球技巧, 訓練團隊精神。 **週日下午班 (20人, 球拍自備) This class trains students in badminton skills and sportsmanship. (Limited to 20 students each class, bring your own racquet). **Sunday after 1:00pm
4	乒乓球 Ping Pong	小、中、大 All Levels	教授乒乓球技巧, 訓練團隊精神。 **週日中午及下午班(24人, 球拍自備) This class trains students in Ping-Pong skills and sportsmanship. (Limited to 24 students each class, bring your own racquet)
5	舞龍舞獅 Dragon / Lion Dance	中、大 Middle Level Upper Level	舞龍、舞獅 Dragon dance, Lion dance

週日 第二選修課加強班 12:00PM - 12:50PM (Sunday Second Enrichment Classes)

#	選課名稱 Elective class	班組別 Level	選課簡介 Description
1	SATII 中文加強班 SAT-II Chinese Prep Class	中、大 Middle Level Upper Level	教授內容與課程程度相當於 College Board 的 SAT II 中文測驗, 歡迎八年級學生報名 This course prepares students for the College Board's Chinese SAT II exam. It teaches listening comprehension as well as usage, and reading comprehension. The teaching and materials provided will improve students' exam taking skills for SAT II Chinese exam. ** 8th Grade students are welcome to sign up **Sunday at 12:00pm
2	羽毛球加強班 Badminton	小、中、大 All Levels	教授羽毛球技巧, 訓練團隊精神, 為成立中文學校羽毛球隊之班底。 **週日中午 (20人, 球拍自備) This class trains students in badminton skills and sportsmanship. The ICS badminton teams will be selected from this class. (Limited to 20 students each class, bring your own racquet). **Sunday at 12:00pm
3	乒乓球加強班 Ping Pong	小、中、大 All Levels	教授乒乓球技巧, 訓練團隊精神, 為成立中文學校乒乓球隊之班底。(20人, 球拍自備) This ICS Ping-Pong class trains student in Ping-Pong skills and sportsmanship. **Sunday at 12:00pm
4	硬筆書法課加強班	小、中、大	研習硬筆書法, 加強筆順及對中國字的認識

Chinese Penmanship	All Levels	This class teaches the concept of Chinese writing. Students will learn the proper way to write Chinese characters and develop an appreciation of calligraphy.
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- 大班：九年級以上 **Upper Level:** Grade 9 and up
- 中班：六年級至八年級 **Middle Level:** Grade 6 to 8
- 小班：三年級至五年級 **Lower Level:** Grade 3 to 5