

**Utah State University**  
**Chinese 1020**  
**Spring 2012**

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**Class Time and Location:**

Time: MWF, 3:30 pm – 5:00 pm

Location: USU Library LIB421

**Text Materials**

Wang, X., Chi, L & Feng, L. (2008). Chinese Odyssey Vol. 2 Textbook. Boston: Cheng & Tsui Company.

Wang, X., Chi, L & Feng, L. (2008). Chinese Odyssey Vol. 2 Workbook. Boston: Cheng & Tsui Company.

**Course Description**

Chinese 1020 is the second basic course that caters to students who have completed Chinese 1010 or its equivalent. This course enables students to further develop basic communicative competencies. Students will gain communicative competencies in the four language skills: speaking, listening, reading, and writing with exposure to cultures and customs.

**Course Goals**

1. Students will learn basic survival skills to communicate in Chinese.
2. Students will learn basic vocabulary, character writing, and grammar.

**Attendance**

Attendance is mandatory. However, you are allowed three (excused or unexcused) absences. The 4th and each successive absence will result in a one point deduction from the Classroom Participation grade. Punctuality is an absolute necessity for teachers. A proportionate penalty for excessive unexcused tardiness or leaving class early may be assessed. As a courtesy to the instructor, and to avoid these penalties, please let the instructor know before class if you need to leave early.

**Evaluation**

Classroom Participation.....	5 points
Workbook Assignments .....	10 points (1 point each assignment)
Character Writing Assignments.....	10 points (1 point each assignment)
Written Quizzes.....	10 points (1 point each quiz)
Oral Quizzes.....	10 points (1 point each quiz)

Speaking/Listening Practice.....5 points  
 Learning Reflection Logs.....5 points (2.5 point each log)  
 Chinese New Year Performance .....5 points  
 Writing Project.....5 points  
 Reading Project.....5 points  
 Final Presentation/Performance.....5 points  
 Test 1.....5 points  
 Test 2.....5 points  
 Final Exam.....10 points  
 Test of Proficiency – Huayu.....5 points

**Letter grades will be given as following:**

A 95-100 %    A- 90- 94 %  
 B+ 87- 89 %    B 84- 86 %    B- 80- 83 %  
 C+ 77- 79 %    C 74- 76 %    C- 70- 73 %  
 D 60-69 %    F below 60%

**Semester Schedule**

<b>Day</b>	<b>Content</b>	<b>Work Due</b>
Jan 9, 11	Review Lessons 1-10	
Jan 13, 18, 20	Lesson 11	
Jan. 23	Quiz 1	Lesson 11 Homework (Due before Quiz)
Jan. 23, 25, 27	Lesson 12	
Jan. 30	Quiz 2	Lesson 12 Homework (Due before Quiz)
Jan. 30 Feb. 1, 3 , 6, 8	Lesson 13	
Feb. 10	Quiz 3	Lesson 13 Homework (Due before Quiz)
Feb. 10, 13,15	Lesson 14	
Feb. 17	Quiz 4	Lesson 14 Homework (Due before Quiz)
Feb. 21	Review Lessons 11-14	
Feb. 22	Test 1 (Lessons 11-14)	
Feb. 24, 27, 29	Lesson 15	
March 2	Quiz 5	Lesson 15 Homework Learning Log 1 (Due before Quiz)

March 2	Speaking/Listening Practice (Lessons 11-15)	
March 2, 5, 7, 9	Lesson 16	
March 9	Quiz 6	Lesson 16 Homework (Due before Quiz)
March 19,21,23,	Lesson 17	
March 26	Quiz 7	Lesson 17 Homework (Due before Quiz)
March 26, 28, 30	Lesson 18	
April 2	Quiz 8	Lesson 18 Homework (Due before Quiz)
April 2	Review Lessons 15-18	
April 4	Test 2	
April 6, 9, 11	Lesson 19	
April 13	Quiz 9	Lesson 19 Homework Presentation/Performance Plan (Due before Quiz)
April 16, 18	Test Of Proficiency-Huayu (TOP)	
April 18, 20, 23	Lesson 20	
April 25	Quiz 10	Lesson 20 Homework Learning Log 2 (Due before Quiz)
April 25	Review for Final	
April 27	Final Presentations/Performances	
April 30	Final Exam 1:30pm~3:20pm	