

**Chinese 3020**  
**Syllabus**  
**Utah State University**  
**Spring 2012**

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**Office Hours:** W 10:30 am – 11:20 am or by appointment  
**Class Time:** MTWR 9:30 am – 10:20 am  
**Classroom:** Veterinary Sci-Bacteriology 213

**Textbooks:** Wang, X., Chi, L & Feng, L. (2008). Chinese Odyssey Vol. 6 Textbook  
Boston: Cheng & Tsui Company.

**Course Objective:**

This course is the continuation of the intermediate level Chinese language course 3010, designed to further improve students' skills in carrying on conversations in Chinese, expressing their opinions on issues related to current events, Chinese society, politics, economics, and aspects of Chinese culture. Students will be able to read and understand sentences and short dialogues, and progressively achieve the objective of reading complete essays and articles. Prerequisite is Chinese 3010 or equivalent spoken and written knowledge of Chinese.

Students will learn new Chinese characters, master Chinese grammatical structures, answer and discuss questions, compose short paragraphs, and translate texts both orally and in written form.

**Attendance:**

**Attendance is mandatory.** However, you are allowed three excused absences. The fourth and each successive absence will result in a one-point deduction from your class participation grade. Students are required to attend and participate in class activities and finish homework assignments on time.

**Grading:**

The grade will be determined by weighing homework assignments, class participation, presentation, homework and exams in the following manner:

Homework assignments	25 points (5 points each assignment)
Class participation	5 points
Chinese New Year Show	5 points
Listening/Speaking Quizzes	5 points (1 point each quiz)
Quizzes	10 points (2 points each quiz)
Mid term tests	10 points (5 points each test)

Writing assignments	10 points (5 points each)
Listening/Speaking test	5 points
Final exam	10 points
Group Presentation	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+ 67- 69 %	D 64- 66%	D- 60- 63%
F below 60%		

### Class Schedule:

Lesson days	Class content	Work due
<b>Jan. 9</b>	Syllabus	
<b>Jan. 10, 11, 12, 17, 18, 19, 23, 24, 25</b>	Lesson 46	
<b>Jan. 26</b>	Oral & Written Quizzes 1	Homework 1 due
<b>Feb. 3</b>	Chinese New Year Show (6:00 pm)	
<b>Jan. 30, 31, Feb. 1, 2, 6, 7, 8, 9, 13</b>	Lesson 47	
<b>Feb. 14</b>	Oral & Written Quizzes 2	Homework 2 due
<b>Feb. 15</b>	Test 1	
<b>Feb. 16, 21, 22, 23, 27, 28, 29, Mar. 1, 5</b>	Lesson 48	
<b>Mar. 6</b>	Oral & Written Quizzes 3	Homework 3 and Writing Assignment 1 due
<b>Mar. 7, 8, 19, 20, 21, 22, 26, 27, 28</b>	Lesson 49	
<b>Mar. 29</b>	Oral & Written Quizzes 4	Homework 4 due
<b>April 2</b>	Test 2	
<b>April 3, 4, 5, 9, 10, 11, 12, 16, 23,</b>	Lesson 50	
<b>April 24</b>	Oral & Written Quizzes 5	Homework 5 and Writing Assignment 2 due
<b>April 17, 18, 19</b>	TOP test	
<b>April 25</b>	Listening/Speaking test	
<b>April 26</b>	Final Presentation	
<b>May 1</b>	Final Test (9:30 – 11:20)	