3-1 Lang Lang Chinese Spring 2022 Syllabus

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Textbook: LangLang 4B + supplementary materials for print out emailed before class session; Langlang 4B will be for **intensive learning**; supplementary materials, for **extensive reading**.

Evaluation: In the form of portfolio projects. Please have your child SAVE all writing/handouts

Objectives: By the end of the semester, students will be able to:

- 1. Expand vocabulary through topic oriented, comprehend more extensive reading, and remember how to write more characters by heart. 在增加主题单位阅读理解量的基础上, 扩大中文词汇量,能默写更多的简单字。
- Continue to develop speaking and writing fluency and accuracy through presentations and mini essays in communicative settings in culturally appropriate ways. 继续发展说与 写的流利度和精准度, 在交流中注意交际场景和文化差异。
- 3. Understand both the main idea and supporting details through listening and reading; start to offer simple critiques in both oral and written forms. 在听与读中都更精准地理解一段话的主旨与细节,并就所听所读进行简单的批判性点评。
- 4. Continue to more effectively use cause-effect, comparison-contrast, and other logical devices to develop writing and speaking skills. 继续更有效地使用因果关系、对比与比较、方位等逻辑方式发展写作与会话能力。
- 5. Start learning to express opinions and conduct simple research (keywords, interviews) to support the opinion in writing in Chinese. 开始学习用中文表达自己的观点,并用简单的调研(关键词, 访谈)来支持所表达的观点。

Syllabus:

Jan 16: First day of school. (1) Online learning community building (including setting up Group media) + self into. (2) Review of Class rules and homework requirements. (3) Overview of new book 4B. (4) Review: Pinyin, color, and transportation (Extensive Reading一和万). (5) Start Unit 1 安乐小窝lesson 1我的房间.

Jan 23: Lesson 1: <u>我的房间</u>. Grammar: 把字句. Character writing. Extensive Reading: 在书店. Reading aloud: 在书店对话. Workbook homework

Jan 30: Happy Chinese New Year! No school

Feb 6: Quiz: Lesson 1 characters. Lesson 1: 阅读:朗朗的房间 课堂练习. Rap Song: 朗朗的房间. Extensive Reading: 在医院里. Project 1: (1) Writing on paper我的房间. Reading aloud: 在医院里对话.

Feb 13: Lesson 2: <u>我的衣服</u>. Character writing. Grammar: Fact+因为clause. Cultural awareness: Privacy and appropriate discussion topics. Project 1 (2) In-class Handout和好朋友说说我的衣服. Workbook homework.

Feb 20: Lesson 2: <u>阅读:我穿裙子漂亮吗</u> 课堂练习. *Rap Song*: <u>新衣服</u>. Extensive Reading: Medical Advances and change of practice; 古诗欣赏. *Project 1*: (1) Writing on paper我的房间. (2) *Type up*我的房间*on class blog*.

Feb 27: Quiz: Lesson 2 characters. Unit 2 生活起居Lesson 3: <u>自己的事情自己做</u>. Character writing. Grammar: Asking for reasons为什么. Extensive Reading: 猜一猜; 我是谁. Workbook homework. Reading aloud: 我是谁对话.

Mar 6: Lesson 3: 阅读:朗朗董事了. 课堂练习. *Rap Song*: <u>我的好妈妈</u>. Culture: Age-appropriate chores 1. Extensive Reading: 猜一猜; 雨雪. Reading aloud: 雨雪对话. *Project* 2: (1) Writing on paper我几岁会为自己做什么事情。

Mar 13: Quiz: Lesson 3 characters. Lesson 4: <u>去超市</u>. Character writing. Grammar: 要……了;请问……怎么卖. Culture: Age-appropriate chores 2. Extensive Reading: student mini research; 壶盖为什么会动. Workbook homework. Reading aloud: 壶盖为什么会动课文.

Mar 20: Lesson 4: <u>阅读:买菜</u>Rap Song: <u>我能帮助您</u>. 课堂练习. Extensive Reading: 鲁班与锯子; 视频. Reading aloud: 鲁班与锯子课文. *Project 2*: (2) Writing on paper我在家帮爸爸妈妈做这些事情

Mar 27: Quiz: Lesson 4 characters. Unit 3夏令营 Lesson 5: <u>你去过中国吗</u>. Character writing. Grammar: 听说; 因为……所以; V.+过. Extensive Reading: 蔡伦造纸. Workbook homework. Reading aloud: 蔡伦造纸对话.

Apr 3: Spring break, no school.

Apr 10: Lesson 5: 阅读: 小米没去过中国 Rap Song: 因为我想去中国. 课堂练习. ExtensiveReading: 龟兔赛跑. Reading aloud: 龟兔赛跑对话.Project 2: (3) Type up 我几岁会为自己做什么事情and 我在家帮爸爸妈妈做这些事情, post on class blog.

Apr 17: Quiz: Lesson 5 characters. Lesson 6: <u>别紧张</u>. Character writing. Grammar: 但是; 别着 急. Cultural difference: Age-appropriate expectations. Extensive Reading: 小猫钓鱼. Reading aloud: 小猫钓鱼对话. Workbook homework.

Apr 24: Lesson 6: 阅读: 欢迎你们再来中国 Rap Song: 难说再见. 课堂练习. ExtensiveReading: 狼来了. Reading aloud: 诚实的孩子. Project 3: Writing on paper 朗朗小米再次回中国看朋友

May 1: Semester review. Final project whole class prep.

May 8: Last day of school. Mini presentation. End of semester class badge rewards.

May 15: Summer break

NB: Subject to modifications

* Attendance is important: (1) it holds students accountable for their own learning, and (2) it is directly linked to learning outcome. In-class activities cannot be recreated after class no matter how well teacher recaps in email or how much parents work with students.