



## Intensive Mandarin Summer School- Post-Beginner Course

**Who:** This course is suitable for post-beginners who have completed either the Step 1 course at The Confucius Institute or 40 hours of equivalent Mandarin study. Students should already be able to recognise approximately 200 basic characters. A-level students, university students, teachers, professionals.

**What:** The course will develop your listening, speaking, reading and writing through a combination of drill practices and interactive exercises.

**When:** 18-29 July and 1 – 12 August 2016

**Where:** TBC, The University of Manchester, Oxford Road, M13 3PL.

No. 67 on the campus map: <http://documents.manchester.ac.uk/display.aspx?DocID=6507>

### Course Timetable

Date	Morning (10:00 – 13:00)	Afternoon (14:00 – 17:00)
Monday 18 July / 1 August	Lesson 1: Where is the British Library?	Chinese character writing Exercises 1-2-1 Oral Practice (20 minutes)
Tuesday 19 July / 2 August	Lesson 2: How much is a bottle of mineral water?	Same as above
Wednesday 20 July / 3 August	Lesson 3: When does the canteen open?	Same as above
Thursday 21 July / 4 August	Lesson 4: How long will it take to walk to the hospital?	Same as above
Friday 22 July / 5 August	Lesson 5: The pound sterling has gone up	Same as above
Monday 25 July / 8 August	Lesson 6: I came by bus	Same as above
Tuesday 26 July / 9 August	Lesson 7: You speak Mandarin very fluently	Same as above
Wednesday 27 July / 10 August	Lesson 8: What are you doing?	Same as above
Thursday 28 July / 11 August	Lesson 9: The computer I have just bought is cheap and good	Same as above
Friday 29 July / 12 August	Lesson 10: Have you been to the Great Wall?	HSK 2 mock exam Course completion ceremony

### Course Outcome

By the end of this 2-week intensive course you will have grasped at least 450 Chinese characters, 600 words of basic vocabulary and 45 grammatical structures well as being able to conduct increasingly complex conversations in Chinese.

### **Fees**

£380 Standard/ £350 UoM Staff and Students

Attend both courses for the discounted price of £670 standard/ £620 UoM Staff and Students.

If you have not already paid for the course, please go to our online E-store: <https://estore.manchester.ac.uk/browse/product.asp?compid=1&modid=5&catid=203>. Select your course option, fill out your personal details and then choose either Standard or UoM fee.

Alternatively, we accept cash or cheque (made payable to The University of Manchester) in the office (Ellen Wilkinson CG12, The University of Manchester, Oxford Road, M13 3PL) Monday – Friday, 10:00 – 17:00.

### **Textbook**

*Chinese in Steps Volume 2* (edited by George X Zhang, Cypress Book Co. UK Ltd. 2005)

The textbook can be purchased either online or from the Oxford Road Precinct Blackwell's bookshop. The cost is £15.99. Please make sure that you have purchased the textbook before the start of the course.

### **Accommodation**

Anyone in need of accommodation can approach the University of Manchester Halls of Residence, where there are single rooms available over the summer. Please note though that under-18s must be accompanied by an adult.

For more information please visit the [Accommodation website](#) and take a look at their Summer Vacation Residence Guide.

### **Contact Us**

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