

Course Unit	Option II - Mandarin II		Field of study	Languages	
Bachelor in	Tourism		School	School of Public Management, Communication and Tourism	
Academic Year	2018/2019	Year of study	1	Level	1-1
Type	Semestral	Semester	2	ECTS credits	6.0
Code	9254-532-1203-01-18				
Workload (hours)	162	Contact hours	T -	TP 60	PL -
			TC -	S -	E -
			OT -	O -	

T - Lectures; TP - Lectures and problem-solving; PL - Problem-solving, project or laboratory; TC - Fieldwork; S - Seminar; E - Placement; OT - Tutorial; O - Other

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Learning outcomes and competences

At the end of the course unit the learner is expected to be able to:

1. Understand and produce practical and common expressions concerning daily life in Chinese.
2. Get more knowledge about the interests and customs of Chinese people.
3. Have an understanding of Chinese culture and contemporary China.

Prerequisites

Before the course unit the learner is expected to be able to:
Have completed Chinese I or 60 hours of Chinese language study.

Course contents

Daily conversations and culture in contemporary China. Common tourism and official expressions and culture in contemporary China.

Course contents (extended version)

1. Directions and locations
2. Abilities and hobbies
3. Climate and weather
4. Taking a bus or taxi
5. Checking in
6. Booking a ticket
7. Exchanging money
8. Asking for help
9. Dining
10. Exchanging polite words at a banquet

Recommended reading

1. Peiru, Z. ; Xiaoxing, Z. & Jianling, Y. (2008). Experiencing Chinese (Official communication in China). Higher Education Press, Beijing. ISBN: 978-7040187663.
2. Rumei, Z. & Xin, A. (2006). Experiencing Chinese (Traveling in China). Higher Education Press, Beijing. ISBN: 978-7040203127.

Teaching and learning methods

Both theoretical and practical sessions based on a communicative approach and emphasis on the use of language as a tool to communicate; progressive evolution structures; most commonly used vocabulary; role plays, use of authentic texts and documents, controlled and free practices. Watching documentaries and films.

Assessment methods

- Continuous evaluation - (Regular, Student Worker) (Final, Supplementary, Special)
- Practical Work - 50% (A set of exercises made by each student that together will achieve a practical evaluation component)
- Final Written Exam - 50% (This examination includes evaluation about oral pronunciation, speaking, listening, writing, reading)

Language of instruction

1. English
2. Portuguese

Electronic validation

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