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## COURSE DESCRIPTIONS

**CHIN 110      Basic Chinese I      4 CREDITS**

A beginning level course to help students develop basic skills in listening, speaking, reading and writing Mandarin Chinese. The emphasis of this course is on vocabulary conversation skill, and culture appreciation.

**CHIN 111      Basic Chinese II      4 CREDITS**

A continuation of language skill development in listening, speaking, reading and writing Mandarin Chinese. The emphasis of this course is on conversation in various social situations.

**CHIN 220      Basic Chinese III      4 CREDITS**

The emphasis of this course is on spoken Mandarin Chinese. Includes a review of pin-yin, introducing the specifics of this language, the speech sounds (pronunciation and intonation), basic grammar rules, and sentence structure.

**CHIN 221      Basic Chinese IV      4 CREDITS**

A continuation of the study of Mandarin Chinese, with an emphasis on advanced language skills, including conversation, characters, grammar rules, and basic Chinese translations. Includes a study of Chinese culture, philosophy, and politics.

**CHIN 401      Directed Studies      1 to 4 CREDITS**

A tutorial-based course used only for student- initiated proposals for intensive individual study of topics not otherwise offered. Requires consent of the instructor and school dean. This course is repeatable for credit.