

COURSE DETAIL

MODERN CHINESE LANGUAGE I

Country

China

Host Institution

Peking University, Beijing

Program(s)

Peking University

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Linguistics

UCEAP Course Number

111

UCEAP Course Suffix**UCEAP Official Title**

MODERN CHINESE LANGUAGE I

UCEAP Transcript Title

MOD CHINESE LG I

UCEAP Quarter Units

4.50

UCEAP Semester Units

3.00

Course Description

This course is the first half of the course Modern Chinese, which introduces the basics of phonetics, phonology, lexicology, and syntax of modern Chinese. The first half of the course includes three sections: introduction, phonetics and phonology. The introduction section highlights the relationship between the Chinese language and Chinese characters, the history of Putonghua (standard Mandarin Chinese), Chinese dialect classification, and the standardization of the modern Chinese language. The phonetics section covers basic knowledge of acoustic and general phonetics. The phonology section provides an introduction to the phonology of Putonghua, and the relationship between Hanyu Pinyin Fang'an (the Scheme for the Chinese Phonetic Alphabet) and the Mandarin phonological system.

Language(s) of Instruction

Chinese

Host Institution Course Number

02030011

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Host Institution Campus

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

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