

FOREIGN LANGUAGE CLASSES

BEGINNING CHINESE

COURSE BACKGROUND

This course will lay emphasis on speaking, and, at the same time, let students have first taste of Pinyin phonetic system of Chinese.

The lessons will be helpful for those who have no previous knowledge of Chinese, and, who would like to learn simple Chinese words, and to have conversations in simple Chinese. The lessons will also be helpful for those who will travel to China, and for those who will serve Chinese tourists in the US.

You will learn how to introduce yourself, how to give or receive directions, how to make appointments and reservations, how to order at restaurants or shop at stores, and many other useful phrases and sentences for your daily life.



COURSE DETAILS

September 12-October 19, 2017

Tuesday & Thursday 6:00pm – 8:00pm

LOCATION

1585 Kapiolani Boulevard, Suite 1000

TUITION

\$350.00 + Text Book at Cost

TEXTBOOK

Instructor will provide handouts

3 WAYS TO REGISTER

Download an application and email it to
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Call ICC Hawaii at (808) 946-2445
Office hours: Monday – Friday, 8:00am – 5:00pm

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Xing is a graduate of East China Normal University (Shanghai, China) with a BA in English. He has two masters' degrees from the University of Hawaii at Manoa, one in English as a Second Language and the other in Library and Information Sciences.

Xing has been teaching and translating Mandarin Chinese for over 18 years. He has taught adults in language schools in Honolulu and the McKinley evening program. In Shanghai, he taught English and headed the Foreign Language Teaching and Research Section of the Shanghai Electrical Machinery Manufacturing Technical College (now Shanghai Dianji University).

Xing has worked in various capacities at libraries in the University of Hawaii system and travels to Shanghai every few years.