

WA Curriculum: Chinese Year 1 to Year 10

EP Curriculum Map

Year 1

Communicating

Content Descriptor	How EP Languages Supports this
ACLCHC001	Getting Started with Chinese
Interact orally with the teacher and peers, using learnt sounds, formulaic phrases and verbal and non-verbal responses to talk about themselves, the members of their family, their favourite things and their pets, for example, 你家有几个/口人?; 我家有四个/口人,我有爸爸、妈妈和哥哥;	Unit 1: Greetings and introductions: 1.1: Introductions 1.2: Greetings 1.3: Practice 1.4: Extension 1.5: Speaking
我喜欢蓝色;我有一只狗	Unit 7: Family:
Express gratitude and apologies, for example, 不用谢/不客气; 谢谢;对不起;没关系	7.1: Family members 7.2: Introducing family members 7.3: Practice 7.4: Extension 7.5: Speaking
ACLCHC002 Interact with simple written texts, recognising and copying high-frequency characters relating to members of their family, their favourite things and their pets, for example, 妈妈、爸爸、哥哥、妹妹;我爱我的猫	Unit 8: Animals: 8.1: Pets and Animals 8.2: Chinese Zodiac 8.3: Practice 8.4: Extension 8.5: Speaking



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ACLCHC001	Getting Started with Chinese
Interact orally with the teacher and peers, using simple modelled language and gestures to exchange information about themselves, the members of their family, their classmates and friends, for example, 我有弟弟, 你呢?;我爱我的妈妈;她叫Anna;我的朋友叫Simon;她七岁;他喜欢黑色和绿色;	Unit 1: Greetings and introductions: 1.1: Introductions 1.2: Greetings 1.3: Practice 1.4: Extension 1.5: Speaking
他有两只兔子	Unit 7: Family: 7.1: Family members
Follow simple instructions including, 排队;请坐; 合上书; 不要说话	7.1: Parmity members 7.2: Introducing family members 7.3: Practice 7.4: Extension 7.5: Speaking
ACLCHC002 Interact with simple written texts, including labelling images, copying characters from a provided list and sorting familiar and common Chinese characters according to their formation	Unit 8: Animals: 8.1: Pets and Animals 8.2: Chinese Zodiac 8.3: Practice 8.4: Extension 8.5: Speaking
	Unit 10: Classroom commands: 10.1: Classroom commands 10.2: More classroom commands 10.3: Practice 10.4: Extension 10.5: Speaking



How EP Languages Supports this

Year 3

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Content Descriptor

ACLCHC017	Getting Started with Chinese:
Interact and socialise orally with the teacher and peers, using modelled responses and correct tones to support understanding and to exchange information about themselves, their family, interests and leisure activities, for example, 你好,我八岁;	Unit 2: Asking how you are 2.1: Asking how you are 2.2: Saying how you are 2.3: Practice 2.4: Extension 2.5: Speaking
我叫James ;我住在珀斯;我哥哥喜欢踢足球;	Unit 7: Family:
你住在哪里?	7.1: Family members
Follow the teacher's instructions to participate in learning activities and in classroom routines, for example, 注意听, 请安静,听一听,说一说	7.2: Introducing family members 7.3: Practice 7.4: Extension 7.5: Speaking
	Unit 8: Animals:
	8.1: Pets and Animals
	8.2: Chinese Zodiac
	8.3: Practice
	8.4: Extension
	8.5: Speaking
	Unit 10: Classroom commands:
	10.1: Classroom commands
	10.2: More classroom commands
	10.3: Practice
	10.4: Extension
	10.5: Speaking
	Beginner:
	Unit 2: Family and Pets



Introduction

Vocabulary practice

<u>Listening comprehension</u>

Reading comprehension

Writing

Speaking

Unit 3: The classroom

Introduction

Vocabulary practice

Listening

Reading

Writing

Speaking

Unit 9: Leisure Activities:

Introduction

Vocabulary practice

<u>Listening comprehension</u>

Reading comprehension

Writing

Speaking

ACLCHC018

Exchange simple correspondence in writing by adapting teacher-modelled language and using word lists such as expressing good wishes, sending simple notes and messages, for example, 生日快乐;

母亲节快乐

In all of the beginner level units listed above there are comprehensive writing lessons where students complete a variety of writing tasks based on the language from the unit.

Teachers can also create their own writing tasks using the EP studio tools. Here is a guide on how to do this.



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ACLCHC017	Beginner:
Interact and socialise orally with the teacher and peers, using correct tones, modelled questions and responses to exchange information about aspects of their personal worlds, including their daily routines at home and school, for example, 我八点上学;	Unit 3: The classroom Introduction Vocabulary practice Listening Reading Writing Speaking
星期日我打网球	Unit 8: School Subjects:
Contribute to class activities by asking for and giving permission, apologising and excusing, for example, 我可以吗?; 可以; 对不起; raising hand and using phrases such as 老师,我不懂 to request assistance in learning activities	Introduction Vocabulary practice Listening Reading Writing Speaking
	Intermediate:
Exchange simple correspondence in writing with teachers and peers, using formulaic expressions and language to report on their daily routines at home and at school, for example, 你几点睡觉?	Unit 8: Daily Routine Introduction Listening Reading Writing Speaking Authentic tasks
	Teachers can use EP Studio tools to create learning material to support the different kinds of transactions that students will be involved in e.g. Science experiments, cooking or craft activities. Here's how



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ACLCHC033 Participate in oral interactions with the teacher and peers, experimenting with simple modelled descriptive and expressive language to exchange information about their home and places in their local community, for example, 我的房间很大; 我喜欢看书;我的花园很漂亮;我星期六去图书馆	Beginner Chinese: Unit 10: My House Introduction Vocabulary practice Listening comprehension Reading comprehension Writing Speaking Authentic task
Seek permission from the teacher or peers to participate in activities or to be excused, for example, 我可以去厕所吗?;我可以去喝水吗?	Intermediate Chinese: Unit 3: My City Introduction Listening comprehension Reading comprehension Writing Speaking Authentic task
ACLCHC034 Collaborate with peers in guided written tasks to present personal information and relate experiences about their home and places in their local community, through photo-stories, emails and text messages for new classmates or for a class blog, for example,	Intermediate Chinese: Unit 4: Giving Directions Introduction Listening comprehension Reading comprehension Writing Speaking Authentic task
我的卧室很小。卧室里有一张白色的书桌,一把黑色的椅子和一张蓝色的床。	In addition to the task throughout each of the above units, teachers can create their own tasks using the EP Studio tools. Click here for a guide on how to do this.



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Content Descriptor	How EP Languages Supports This
ACLCHC033 Participate in oral interactions with others, using simple modelled descriptive and expressive language, to exchange information and relate experiences about planning and organising future social activities and events, for example, a birthday party, a shopping trip or a visit from a sister school	Intermediate Unit 5: Going on holiday Introduction Listening comprehension Reading comprehension Writing Speaking Authentic task
Respond to the teacher's questions with actions or answers, for example, answering the question 做完了吗?	Intermediate Unit 6: Party time Introduction Listening comprehension Reading comprehension Writing Speaking Authentic task
ACLCHC034 Participate in guided written tasks to plan future events or activities, organise displays, develop projects or budget for a shared event, through emails, descriptions of a place, invitations, publicity fliers, or photo-stories	Intermediate Unit 7: Organising an Outing with friends Introduction Listening comprehension Reading comprehension Writing Speaking Authentic task
	In addition to the task throughout each of the above units, teachers can create their own tasks using the EP Studio tools. Click here for a guide on how to do this.



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Content Descriptor	How EP Languages Supports This
ACLCHC049	Intermediate Unit 6: Party time
Initiate and participate in spoken interactions with peers and known adults, using modelled expressive and descriptive language to talk about, give opinions, share thoughts and feelings on people, social events and school experiences, for example, 我今年上七年级; 你是哪国人?;我喜欢上学;你喜欢学习汉语吗?	Introduction Listening comprehension Reading comprehension Writing Speaking Authentic task Intermediate Unit 10: Past Holidays: Introduction Vocabulary practice Listening comprehension Reading comprehension Writing Speaking
ACLCHC050 Engage in written interactions with peers and other familiar participants to plan activities or social events, exchange information such as hosting a Chinese class or visitor, preparing for a real or virtual school event, trip or excursion	Advanced Unit 2: My world: Introduction Listening comprehension Reading comprehension Writing Speaking
Share information about life in different cultural contexts, expressing ideas and opinions, for example, 中国人喜欢吃米饭, 澳大利亚人喜欢吃面包,你呢?	In addition to the writing and speaking tasks integrated throughout these units, teachers can create their own tasks using the EP Studio tools. Click here for a guide on how to do this.



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ACLCHC049	Intermediate Unit 6: Party time
Initiate and maintain spoken interactions with peers and known adults, using modelled expressive and descriptive language to share ideas, views and experiences of family and community activities, social events, special occasions and milestones, for example, 中国人春节喜欢穿红色的衣服和吃饺子; 澳大利亚人圣诞节喜欢	Introduction Listening comprehension Reading comprehension Writing Speaking Authentic task Intermediate Chinese: Unit 3: My City
	Introduction
ACLCHC050 Engage in written interactions and activities with peers and other familiar participants that involve planning, sharing ideas and views considering options, inviting, negotiation of arrangements and solving problems Compare opinions on and attitudes towards different cultures such as 我喜欢上学,因为; 我最喜欢数学	Listening comprehension Reading comprehension Writing Speaking Authentic task Intermediate Chinese: Unit 4: Giving Directions Introduction Listening comprehension Reading comprehension Writing Speaking Authentic task
	Wides library lessons
	Video library lessons: Making an arrangement
	At a visitor centre



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Socialising

Content Descriptor How EP Languages Supports This ACLCHC065 Advanced Chinese: Unit 2: My World Introduction Initiate and participate in spoken interactions, Listening comprehension using informative and descriptive language to Reading comprehension share and compare personal opinions about **Writing** aspects of childhood, teenage life and **Speaking** relationships, for example, 中国学生的作业比澳大利 亚学生的多: **Advanced Chinese: Unit 16: Chinese Family** Introduction 他们喜欢在周末看电影;澳大利亚学生喜欢在周末运动; Listening comprehension 我喜欢上网交朋友,你呢? Reading comprehension Writing **Speaking** ACLCHC066 In addition to the writing and speaking tasks Engage in extended written interaction and integrated throughout these units, teachers can activities about events or experiences such as create their own tasks using the EP Studio tools. aspects of childhood, teenage life and Click here for a guide on how to do this. relationships, referring to information stated, or

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requesting or providing further details

Content Descriptor	How EP Languages Supports This
	inon in industry



ACLCHC065

Initiate and participate in sustained spoken interactions, using descriptive and expressive language in formal and informal exchanges to discuss young people's experiences and interest in contemporary culture and social issues, for example,

为什么学中文很重要?;我不太同意你的说法,

因为...你觉得呢?;虽然你说得对,但是...所以我觉得...

ACLCHC066

Engage in sustained written interaction and activities about contemporary culture and social issues, for example, the importance of China to Australia's economy, ways to promote a better understanding of China in Australian schools, protecting the environment or utilising technology, exchanging information, requesting clarification or confirmation, solving problems and managing diverse views such as 澳洲人对中国的印象是...

Advanced Chinese: Unit 7: Technology

Introduction

Listening comprehension

Reading comprehension

Writing

Speaking

Advanced Chinese Unit 8: Chinese language and studying in China

Introduction

<u>Listening comprehension</u>

Reading comprehension

Writing

Speaking

Advanced Chinese Unit 9: Chinese cuisine

Introduction

Listening comprehension

Reading comprehension

Writing

Speaking

Advanced Chinese Unit 10: The Environment

Introduction

<u>Listening comprehension</u>

Reading comprehension

Writing

Speaking

Advanced Chinese Unit 12: Chinese Culture and Values

Introduction

Listening comprehension

Reading comprehension

Writing

Speaking

In addition to the writing and speaking tasks integrated throughout these units, teachers can create their own tasks using the EP Studio tools.



Click <u>here</u> for a guide on how to do this.

Suggestions if you find the content suggested above is not quite the right level for your students:

- You can choose to only assign parts of a lesson for example you may choose to only assign the
 introduction lessons which introduce the vocabulary or you could just assign parts of the
 listening, reading or writing lessons. Click here for a guide on how to do this. The lower level
 activities tend to be in the first part of the lesson.
- You can edit the smart lessons to take out material that is not the appropriate level for your students or add in additional learning material. Here is a <u>quide</u> which shows how to do this.

How EP Languages supports other strands and substrands across different levels:

Strand	Sub-strand	How EP supports this across the levels:
Communicating	Informing	Each of the EP Languages units contains lessons with reading and listening comprehension activities where students are exposed to a wide range of texts - students are required to read or listen to these texts and complete activities based on these. As the levels get higher, the complexity of the accompanying texts and activities also increase.
	Creating	In the reading comprehension section of each of the EP Languages units, students are exposed to a wide variety of text types. At Beginner and



	Intermediate level, this includes cartoons, blog entries, postcards, letters, emails, diary entries, menus, dialogues, phone messages. At the Advanced level, there are additional creative texts, such as stories and song lyrics.
	In the writing lessons of each unit, students complete a variety of scaffolded activities to help them with their production skills and then have some extended writing tasks at the end which cover a range of text types and purposes.
	In the "extra for experts" section, students are required to complete a more creative task in the target language that relates to the unit studied.
Translating	Throughout the different EP Languages units students are required to translate in different ways. At the Getting Started level they are required to recognise and understand the vocabulary.
	From Beginner level, our writing lessons within our EP Languages units require students to translate sentences or short paragraphs to practise the skill of translation at sentence/paragraph level.
	Our translation lists provide students with plenty of translation practice at both sentence- and word-level. Students can practise translation using the four different modes: listening, reading, dictation and writing, and this process gives students insight into which words or phrases translate easily and which do not.
	Our reading and listening comprehension activities in the EP Languages units do not require students to translate directly from one language to another, but they do require students to use their understanding of the language to answer comprehension questions.



	Reflecting	Each of the EP Languages units has a cultural section in the introduction where key cultural information relating to each unit is introduced. The listening and reading passages have also been written to include cultural references so that the students become familiar with the culture as they learn the language.
		At beginner level, there is a cultural lesson which introduces some key cultural elements relating to the unit and requires the students to reflect on this
Understanding	Systems of Language	Each of the EP Languages units introduces elements of the grammatical system in context as it is appropriate for the learners of each level. Within each unit, there are comprehensive grammar lessons which focus on relevant grammar points for that unit - these include introduction/teaching sections where the grammar point is explained, and then an extensive variety of scaffolded activities ranging from recognition to free production.
		Aspects of grammar are also reinforced and practised in the vocabulary lists.
		In each of our EP Languages units, we have used different registers of language where appropriate and have shown examples of both informal and formal language.
	Language variation and change	In each of the EP Languages units, there are a variety of text types used in the listening and reading comprehension sections and the text is varied according to context. Teachers can use this to illustrate language variation.
		Throughout the EP Languages units, we have tried to include many references to different countries where a target language might be spoken to highlight the global nature of different languages and in some cases examples are given of how the



		language can change accordingly. Within the EP Languages listening comprehension, we try to use speakers of different accents.
	Role of Language and Culture	Each EP Languages unit, has a cultural section in the introduction where key cultural information relating to each unit is introduced. The listening and reading passages have also been written to include cultural references so that students become familiar with the culture as they learn the language.