



SLMCS Bi-Lingual Chinese Program

Welcome to St Louis
Modern Chinese School



Chinese Language
& Chinese Arts

Who are we?

- Offering high-quality Chinese language learning since 1997.
- The biggest Chinese language school in the St. Louis region.
- Student enrollment #: 800+



Our Mission

- ▶ To foster global awareness among our students and equip them with essential language skills for participating in and contributing to the prosperity of the world.



Why Mandarin Chinese?

- ▶ One of the most popular languages
 - ▶ 30% of the people in the world speaks Chinese
- ▶ Chinese is fun and stimulating
 - ▶ Written in characters with no alphabet - like a puzzle to be unlocked
 - ▶ Very simple grammar
 - ▶ Stimulates both temporal lobes of the brain for intellectual development
- ▶ Prepare for the bright future!
 - ▶ Exciting cultural exposure and global perspective
 - ▶ More business opportunities



Our class offerings



Chinese language and culture learning for kids (Level 1-8)



Chinese language and culture learning for adults (Level 1-4)



Chinese spoken language for adults



Chinese business language for adults

How it works?

- ▶ Experienced teachers
 - ▶ Over 70% of the teachers have a master degree or holding a teaching certificate
 - ▶ Average teaching experience of 15+ years
- ▶ Online zoom class with easy access
- ▶ Engaging activities and cultural events



Chinese Language for Adults

- ▶ Program objectives:
 - ▶ Learn basic knowledge of Chinese phonetics and practice pronunciation;
 - ▶ Grasp the traits of basic Chinese characters and know how to write them;
 - ▶ Be able to communicate on certain daily life topics;
 - ▶ Develop early to intermediate proficiency in listening, speaking, reading, and writing
 - ▶ Learn Chinese cultural knowledge.
- ▶ Course offerings:
 - ▶ Chinese language and culture learning for adults (Level 1-4)
 - ▶ Chinese spoken language for adults
 - ▶ Chinese business language for adults



Chinese Language for Kids

▶ Program objectives

- ▶ To guide students from the very beginning to low -intermediate level of Chinese through 8-12 years of Sunday classes. By the end of the program, students will be able to communicate with native Chinese and pass HSK Level 4 test or equivalent tests.

▶ Course description

- ▶ Beginner level: Teachers will use vivid and interesting activities such as playing games, singing songs, reciting rhymes, etc. to build students' interests of learning Chinese. They will learn Pinyin and basic vocabularies and simple sentences; they will also read and write simple characters.
- ▶ Intermediate level: Students will systematically learn Chinese as a second language, including listening, speaking, reading and writing. Students will learn complicated sentences, read authentic materials and write a short paragraph of Chinese. In the meantime, they will have the knowledge Chinese culture.





Register today!

- ▶ Class listings: <https://slmcs.org/Register/classlist.asp?ctid=2>
- ▶ Registration website: <https://slmcs.org/register/login.asp>
 - ▶ Step 1: create family account
 - ▶ Step 2: login and choose family member to register classes
- ▶ Contact information: chineseschool@slmcs.net
- ▶ Class starting date: **January 10, 2021**