ARTS3450

Advanced Chinese A

Term One // 2021

School of Humanities and Languages // UNSW Arts and Social Sciences

Course Details

Credit Points 6

Summary of the Course

This course provides advanced tuition in Chinese language (Mandarin) study, using a textbook designed specifically for advanced Chinese learners at universities outside of China.It combines language studies with an exploration of Chinese culture and society, including traditional culture. The medium of

Assessment

Assessment Tasks

Assessment task	Weight	Due Date	Student Learning Outcomes Assessed
Cultural Component	20%	Quiz 1 in week 5 lecture, Quiz 2 in week 10 lecture.	4
Tests	50%	Mid-term test in week 5 tutorial; Final exam in formal exam period.	1, 2, 3
Group Project	30%	Group presentation is due in week 9 or week 10 tutorial; Research paper is due in week 10.	1, 4, 5

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Assessment 1: Cultural Component

Details:

Students are given two in-class quizzes (30 minutes each). Feedback via rubric and in-class discussion.

Turnitin setting: This is not a Turnitin assignment

Assessment 2: Tests

Details:

Students complete a mid-term test (25%) and a final exam (25%), between 1.5 and 2 hours each.

Feedback via individual comments, rubric, and in-class discussion.

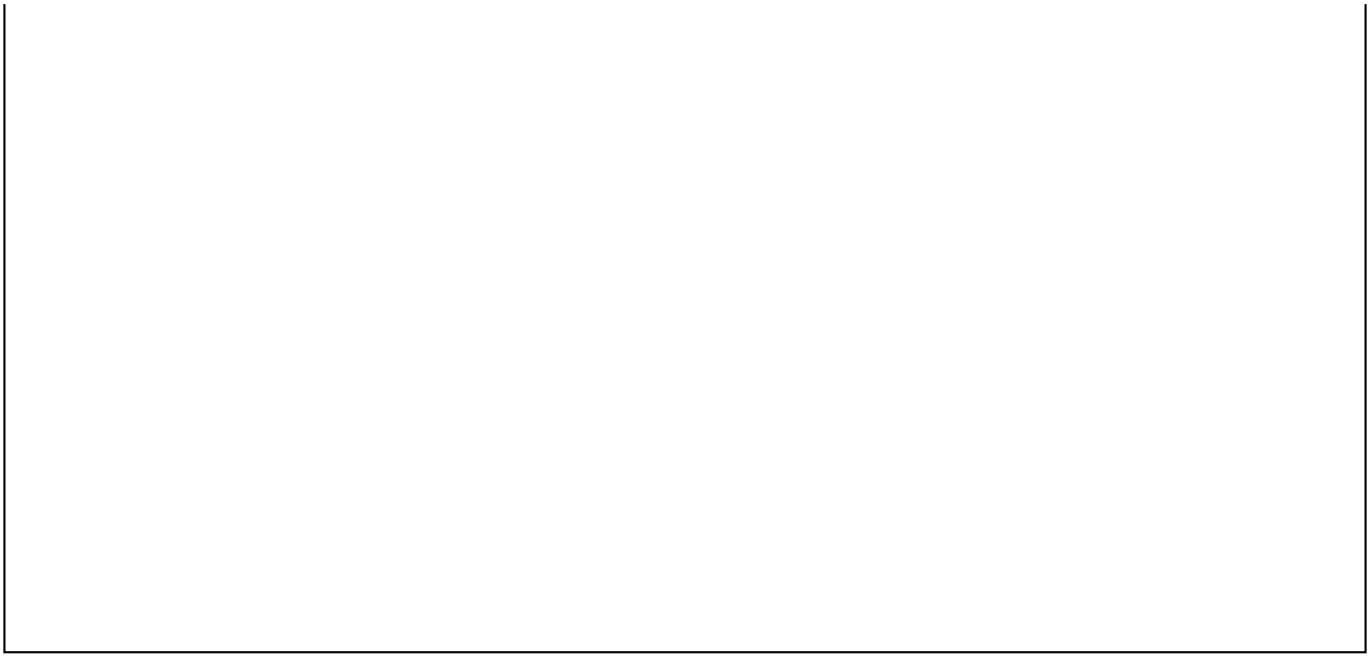
Turnitin setting: This is not a Turnitin assignment

Assessment 3: Group Project

Details:

Students complete a group research project on their chosen topic. The presentation (15%) is assessed on individual basis, while the research paper (15%) receives one mark. Length: 3 minutes per person for the presentation and about 500 characters per person for the research paper.

Feedback via rubric and in-class discussion.



Resources

Prescribed Resources

- Book – Chinese for Advanced Learners: Language, Society and Culture (2017) Sydney: UNSW Press, 2017.
- Classical Chinese / gudai Hanyu (aka Literary Chinese / wenyanwen) texts will be made available on Moodle.

Recommended Resources

N/A

Course Evaluation and Development

This course will be formally evaluated through MyExperience.

Submission of Assessment Tasks

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