LL230-30 Chinese 3

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Department
School of Modern Languages and Cultures
Level
Undergraduate Level 2
Module leader
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Credit value
30
Module duration
21 weeks
Assessment
75% coursework, 25% exam
Study location
University of Warwick main campus, Coventry

Description

Introductory description

This module will give students the opportunity to build upon previously learned knowledge to use more complex grammar and sentence patterns, and further develop listening, speaking, reading and writing skills to deal with a wider range of predictable situations, and gain more insights into Chinese culture. Simplified Chinese characters will be taught and assessed.

Module web page

Module aims

To understand texts dealing with descriptions of events and feelings
To produce text on topics which are familiar or of personal interest
To describe experiences and events and give reasons for opinions.
To achieve B1 standard of the CEFR (Common European Framework of reference)

Outline syllabus

This is an indicative module outline only to give an indication of the sort of topics that may be covered. Actual sessions held may differ.

Communicative functions and grammar contents based on the textbooks used.

Learning outcomes

By the end of the module, students should be able to:

- Apply a basic knowledge of grammar appropriate to the level
- Exchange information orally on familiar topics and activities
- Gain more insight into everyday life in the Chinese speaking communities
- Understand audio and textual materials dealing with descriptions of events and feelings and on familiar matters regularly encountered
- Produce text on topics which are familiar or of personal interest

Indicative reading list

Reading lists can be found in Talis

International

All modules delivered in SMLC are necessarily international. Students engage with themes and ideas from a culture other than that of the UK and employ their linguistic skills in the analysis of primary materials from a non-Anglophone context. Students will also be encouraged to draw on the experiences of visiting exchange students in the classroom and will frequently engage with theoretical and critical frameworks from across the world.

Subject specific skills

This module will develop students' linguistic skills through engaging with primary materials in the target language, and will develop strategies for understanding gist and specific information and intercultural competence.

Transferable skills

Communication skills: writing and oral presentation, defending one's point of view..
Organisational skills: independent work, time management.
Interpersonal skills: flexibility, adaptability and the ability to work with others.
Digital skills

Study

Study time

Type	Required
Supervised practical classes	21 sessions of 3 hours (21%)
Online learning (independent)	21 sessions of 1 hour (7%)
Private study	211 hours (70%)
Assessment	5 hours (2%)
Total	300 hours

Private study description

work set on Moodle and homework set by tutor

Costs

No further costs have been identified for this module.

Assessment

You do not need to pass all assessment components to pass the module.

Assessment group D1

	Weighting	Study time	Eligible for self-certification
Assessment component			
Interim test	10%	1 hour	No
Interim test The duration is indicative and depends on specific arrangements.			
Reassessment component is the same			
Assessment component			
Listening test	15%	1 hour	No
Listening test The duration is indicative and depends on specific arrangements.			
Reassessment component is the same			

	Weighting	Study time	Eligible for self-certification
Assessment component			
Reading test	25%	1 hour	No
Reading test The duration is indicative and depends on specific arrangements.			
Reassessment component is the same			
Assessment component			
Writing test	25%	1 hour	No
Writing test The duration is indicative and depends on specific arrangements.			
Reassessment component is the same			
Assessment component			
Oral Test	25%	1 hour	No
Speaking test (up to 10 minutes) The duration is indicative and depends on specific arrangements.			
Reassessment component is the same			

Feedback on assessment

Feedback will be provided in the course of the module in a number of ways. Verbal feedback is provided to the class regarding regular formative tasks set for homework and activities completed in class; individual written feedback is also provided for written work which has been handed in by students. Feedback is also provided orally and in writing on practice test papers.

Past exam papers for LL230

Availability

Pre-requisites

Chinese 2 or equivalent level

Post-requisite modules

If you pass this module, you can take:

- LL239-30 Chinese 4

Courses

This module is Core optional for:

- Year 1 of UPOA-M169 Undergraduate Politics and International Studies with Chinese (3 year)

This module is Optional for:

- Year 4 of UIBA-MN34 Law and Business Four Year (Qualifying Degree)
- Year 4 of UIBA-MN32 Undergraduate Law and Business Studies
- Year 5 of UIBA-MN37 Undergraduate Law and Business Studies (Qualifying Degree) with Intercalated Year
- Year 5 of UIBA-MN36 Undergraduate Law and Business Studies with Intercalated Year (4+1)

This module is Unusual option for:

- Year 3 of UPHA-V7ML Undergraduate Philosophy, Politics and Economics

This module is Core option list A for:

- Year 1 of UFRA-R900 Undergraduate Modern Languages

This module is Core option list D for:

- Year 3 of UFRA-R900 Undergraduate Modern Languages

This module is Option list G for:

- UPHA-V7ML Undergraduate Philosophy, Politics and Economics
    - Year 1 of V7ML Philosophy, Politics and Economics (Tripartite)
    - Year 2 of V7ML Philosophy, Politics and Economics (Tripartite)