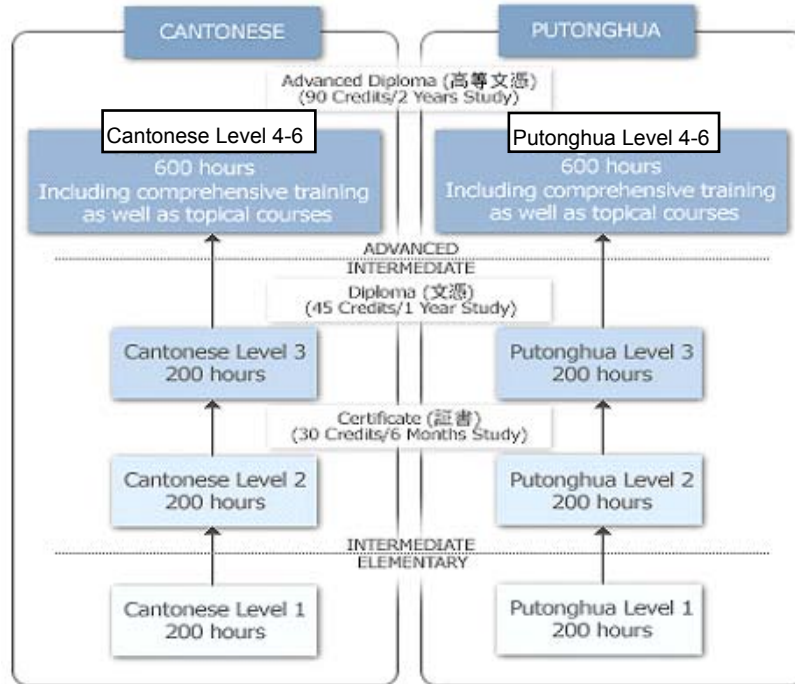




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Full-time/ Part-time
Cantonese Programmes
全日制/ 兼讀 廣東話/ 粵語課程



Programmes in Chinese (Cantonese) as a Foreign/ Second Language

對外漢語/ 漢語作第二語言 粵語課程

Chinese University Awards (via University Extension Board)	General time required	Study hour/ credits required	Student Visa sponsorship
Certificate Programme in Cantonese as a Foreign/ Second Language 粵語 (對外漢語) 證書課程 QF Level : 2. QR Reg. : 07/000886/2 Reg. Validity Period : 5 May 2008 - 31 Dec 2012	6 months/ 2 school terms	30 credits/ ~ 330 hours	Yes
Diploma Programme in Cantonese as a Foreign/ Second Language 粵語 (對外漢語) 文憑課程 QF Level : 3. QR Reg. : 07/000892/3 Reg. Validity Period : 5 May 2008 - 31 Dec 2012	1 year/ 3 school terms	45 credits/ ~ 495 hours	Yes
Advanced Diploma Programme in Cantonese as a Foreign/Second Language 粵語 (對外漢語) 高等文憑課程 QF Level : 4. QR Reg. : 07/000896/4 Reg. Validity Period : 5 May 2008 - 31 Dec 2012	2 years/ 6 school terms	90 credits (max. 45 credits exempted for those who entered from the advanced level)/ ~ 990 hours	Yes
Foundation Certificate Programme in Cantonese for Non-native Speakers 粵語 (非母語人士) 基礎證書課程 QF Level : 2. QR Reg. : 07/000918/2 Reg. Validity Period : 5 May 2008 - 31 Dec 2012	4 months – 1 year	80 study hours (Offered in evening/ weekend daytime only. A different curriculum applies. Please visit www.cuhk.edu.hk/clc/e_ssp.htm for details)	No
Foundation Certificate in Written Chinese (Non-native Speakers) 漢字讀寫基礎證書課程 (非母語人士) QF Level : 2. QR Reg. : 07/000904/2 Reg. Validity Period : 5 May 2008 - 31 Dec 2012	1 year/ 3 school terms	~100 study hours Please visit www.cuhk.edu.hk/clc/e_ssp.htm for details	No
Foundation Certificate Programme in Chinese Local Language and Culture (Cantonese) 中國地方語言文化 (粵語) 基礎證書課程 QF Level : 2. QR Reg. : 07/000911/2 Reg. Validity Period : 5 May 2008 - 31 Dec 2012	1-3 school terms/ 3 months-1 year	~100 study hours Please visit www.cuhk.edu.hk/clc/e_ssp.htm for details	No

Note: Traditional Chinese is used in the Chinese reading programmes

Level 1

It is designed for beginning students of Cantonese. These courses will focus on oral skills and listening comprehension. Proficiency-oriented activities will be based on approximately 400 vocabulary items and a wide variety of patterns and expressions.

Mandatory 15 credits per school term for Cantonese level 1.

CCAN1103

Introduction to Chinese Scripts and Culture

3 credits; 3 hrs/week

An elementary course to introduce basic Chinese characters with real life examples. Introduction will also be given to the formation of Chinese characters, stroke order, and the interesting stories behind some Chinese characters.

CCAN1113

Application of Vocabulary & Grammar I

3 credits; 3 hrs/week

An elementary course designed to familiarize students with the use of basic vocabulary and grammar points. Vocabulary introduced based on everyday conversations and daily usage. Focus will be on appropriateness in application.

CCAN1123

Oral Skills Practice I

3 credits; 3 hrs/week

An elementary course focused on students' fluency in communication with basic vocabulary and grammar points through various kinds of speaking practice. Real life settings are introduced such as shopping, introducing family members, asking directions etc.

CCAN1133

Communication in Context I

3 credits; 3 hrs/week

An elementary course designed to familiarize students with basic vocabulary and grammar points through language tasks/activities and contextualized exercises. Real life settings are introduced such as shopping, introducing family members, asking directions etc.

CCAN1143

Listening Comprehension Skills I

3 credits; 3 hrs/week

This elementary course focuses on building up students' listening ability in real life context. Everyday settings are introduced such as shopping, introducing family members, asking directions etc.

CCAN1153

Basic Presentation Skills & Daily Situations

3 credits; 3 hrs/week

This elementary course helps students to build up abilities in presenting basic ideas in real life communication settings. Tasks like picture description, speaking topics and simple presentation will be adopted to train students in presentation with various everyday settings.

Level 2

It is designed for students who have completed Elementary Cantonese or with equivalent competence in Cantonese, emphasizing oral skills and listening comprehension, with more exposure to grammar points. Students will be exposed to more terms and expressions in Cantonese based on approximately 400 additional vocabulary items and related patterns and expressions. Students will be trained to have language proficiency at sentence level.

Minimum 12 credits per school term for Cantonese level 2. 15 credits are recommended for a complete curriculum.

**CCAN2203
Chinese Reading I**

3 credits; 3 hrs/week

An intermediate course to introduce the use of Chinese characters with real life examples and contextualized exercises. It will focus on recognition of Chinese characters and readings at sentence level.

**CCAN2213
Application of Vocabulary & Grammar II**

3 credits; 3 hrs/week

An intermediate course designed to familiarize students with the use of more vocabulary and grammar points. Vocabulary introduced based on everyday conversations and daily usage. Focus will be on appropriateness in application.

**CCAN2223
Oral Skills Practice II**

3 credits; 3 hrs/week

An intermediate course focused on students' fluency in speaking practice in real life settings, such as going to the airport, attending a wedding party, going to see movies, discussing travel plans, talking about hobbies etc.

**CCAN2233
Communication in Context II**

3 credits; 3 hrs/week

An intermediate course designed to familiarize students with newly acquired vocabulary and grammar points through language tasks/activities and contextualized exercises in real life settings.

**CCAN2243
Listening Comprehension Skills II**

3 credits; 3 hrs/week

An intermediate course focused on building up students' listening ability. Real life settings are introduced such as going to the airport, attending a wedding party, going to see movies, discussing travel plans, talking about hobbies etc.

Level 3

It is designed for students who have completed Intermediate Cantonese I or with equivalent competence in Cantonese. This course is designed to improve students' language skills with emphasis on communicative ability. Students will be exposed to a wide range of expressions based on approximately 400 additional vocabulary items with related patterns and expressions. Students will be able to present ideas at paragraph level and to do short speeches.

Minimum 12 credits per school term for Cantonese level 2. 15 credits are recommended for a complete curriculum.

CCAN3303

Chinese Reading II

3 credits; 3 hrs/week

An upper intermediate course to introduce the use of Chinese characters with real life examples and contextualized exercises. It will focus on recognition of Chinese characters and readings at paragraph level.

CCAN3313

Application of Vocabulary & Grammar III

3 credits; 3 hrs/week

An upper intermediate course designed to familiarize students with the use of newly acquired vocabulary and grammar points. Focus will be on appropriateness in application. Real life settings are introduced such as buying a computer, going to the doctor, renting a flat, moving to a new home etc.

CCAN3323

Oral Skills Practice III

3 credits; 3 hrs/week

An upper intermediate course focused on students' fluency in speaking practice with newly acquired vocabulary and grammar points. Real life settings are introduced such as buying a computer, going to the doctor, renting a flat, moving to a new home etc.

CCAN3333

Communication in Context III

3 credits; 3 hrs/week

An upper intermediate course designed to familiarize students with newly acquired vocabulary and grammar points through language tasks/activities and contextualized exercises. Real life settings are introduced such as buying a computer, going to the doctor, renting a flat, moving to a new home etc.

CCAN3343

Listening Comprehension Skills III

3 credits; 3 hrs/week

An upper intermediate course focused on building up students' listening ability. Real life settings are introduced such as buying a computer, going to the doctor, renting a flat, moving to a new home etc.

Level 4

It is designed for students who have completed Intermediate Cantonese II or with equivalent competence in Cantonese. This course is designed to improve students' language skills with emphasis on communicative ability in advanced and professional settings. Students will be exposed to a wide range of expressions based on approximately 500 additional vocabulary items with related patterns and expressions. Students will be able to present ideas at discourse level and to do short presentation, speeches and discussion on some cultural issues

Minimum 12 credits per school term are required for student visa sponsorship.

CCAN4403

Chinese Reading III

3 credits; 3 hrs/week

An advanced course to introduce the use of Chinese characters with real life examples and contextualized exercises in a wide variety of settings. It will focus on recognition of Chinese characters and readings at discourse level.

CCAN4413

Communication in Professional Settings

3 credits; 3 hrs/week

An advanced course designed to help students communicate with extended vocabulary in advanced settings through real life language tasks/activities and contextualized exercises. Topics include social issues in Hong Kong, environmental issues, Chinese custom and religion etc.

CCAN4423

Advanced Situations & Discussions on Cultural Issues

3 credits; 3 hrs/week

An advanced course designed to improve students' fluency in real life communication settings through various language activities and discussion practice. Topics for discussion include social issues in Hong Kong, environmental issues, Chinese custom and religion etc.

CCAN4433

Advanced Communication Skills, Negotiation & Presentation Skills

3 credits; 3 hrs/week

An advanced course designed to improve students' presentation and negotiation ability. Topics for discussion include social issues in Hong Kong, environmental issues, Chinese custom and religion etc.

CCAN4443

Advanced Listening Comprehension Skills

3 credits; 3 hrs/week

An advanced course focused on building up students' listening ability in advanced context and presenting students with multi-media authentic materials. Topics for discussion include social issues in Hong Kong, environmental issues, Chinese custom and religion etc.

Level 5

It is designed for students who have completed Advanced Cantonese or with equivalent competence in Cantonese. This course is designed to improve students' language skills with emphasis on communicative ability in formal and professional settings. Students will be exposed to a wide range of expressions based on approximately 500-700 additional vocabulary items with related patterns and expressions. Students will be able to present ideas at an extended discourse level and be able to do formal speeches, presentations and discussion in formal settings.

Minimum 12 credits per school term are required for student visa sponsorship.

CCAN4503

Advanced Chinese Reading

3 credits; 3 hrs/week

An advanced course to introduce the use of Chinese characters with authentic materials and contextualized exercises in professional settings. Readings will be based on materials such as prose, argumentative essays, descriptive essays, drama scripts, etc.

CCAN4513

Topical Communication

3 credits; 3 hrs/week

An advanced course designed to build up the students' confidence in using a variety of vocabulary in formal settings through specific topics and contextualized exercises. Topics include various local & international news and issues related to our society, such as education system, economy and immigration.

CCAN4523

Professional Topics & Discussions on Societal Issues

3 credits; 3 hrs/week

An advanced course designed to further improve students' fluency in professional communication settings through language activities, role playing and discussion practice. Topics for discussion include various local & international news and issues related to our society, such as education system, economy and immigration.

CCAN4533

Professional Communication Skills & Presentation Skills

3 credits; 3 hrs/week

An advanced course designed to train students' presentation and negotiation ability in professional settings. Topics for discussion include various local & international news and issues related to our society, such as education system, economy and immigration.

CCAN4543

Listening Comprehension Skills in Professional Settings

3 credits; 3 hrs/week

An advanced course focused on building up students' listening ability in professional context and presenting students with multi-media authentic materials. Topics for discussion include various local & international news and issues related to our society, such as education system, economy and immigration.

Level 6

It is designed for students who have completed Advanced Cantonese or with equivalent competence in Cantonese. This course is designed to improve students' language skills with emphasis on communicative ability in formal and professional settings. Students will be exposed to a wide range of expressions based on approximately 500-700 additional vocabulary items with related patterns and expressions. Students will be able to present ideas at an extended discourse level and be able to do formal speeches, presentations and discussion in formal settings.

Minimum 12 credits per school term are required for student visa sponsorship.

CCAN4603

Chinese Writing & Chinese Literature

3 credits; 3 hrs/week

An advanced course designed to familiarize students with some Chinese literature and writing. Students will be exposed to selected classical Chinese stories. It will focus on reading ability and exposure to Chinese culture.

CCAN4613

Cantonese Colloquialism

3 credits; 3 hrs/week

An advanced course designed to introduce Cantonese colloquialism used in various settings in Hong Kong. In less formal settings, lot of colloquial expressions can be found in discourse. This course helps students to understand and be able to use common colloquial expressions in real life.

CCAN4623

HK Movies & Culture

3 credits; 3 hrs/week

An advanced course designed to train students' ability to comprehend authentic audio-visual materials in Cantonese, such as movies and TV programmes. Movies and TV abstracts are selected with listening comprehension exercises and discussion activities. Discussions will be used to train students to be aware of specific cultural issues in Hong Kong.

CCAN4633

Newspaper Reading

3 credits; 3 hrs/week

An advanced course designed to improve students' language ability through the reading and discussion of selections from newspapers in standard written Chinese. Topics include international relations, political news, crime, economic news, accidents, etc.

CCAN4643

Sector Specific Training in Cantonese

3 credits; 3 hrs/week

Courses designed for different kinds of working professionals, such as businesspersons, bankers, financial consultants, education specialists, religious and social workers, etc. Sector specific trainings are designed to cater for advanced students' needs. e.g. the Cantonese for religious workers course provides training on Bible reading, Sunday liturgy and Mass liturgy.