

Course notes

General information: All classes are held in Mandarin, and will focus on speaking and listening with phonetic transcription. It may be possible to offer Cantonese private tuition on request. Contact the office for details.
No tuition supplements applied in 2009.
Academic Year Programme: These long term courses allow students to focus on all aspects of the language over several months. In-depth study over an extended period ensures better mastery, subtler understanding and far greater long term retention of key language skills. They are very popular with Gap Year students prior to University, graduates and adults looking to take a career break. 36 week programmes: can incorporate language study at University in Beijing, please ask for details.
Standard Course: Ideal for all age groups (18 yrs +) and all ability levels.
Intensive Course: As Standard Course but with additional lessons to further enhance the learning process.
Combined Course: As Standard Course plus 10 private lessons per week, for 2 weeks or longer.
Private Tuition: 10 private one-to-one lessons per week with private tutors. Maximum impact and course intensity. Lessons are tailored to meet your specific needs i.e. preparation prior to exams, practise prior to a business presentation or a new job, or concentration on communication skills.
Tai Chi and Chinese Painting classes are offered as supplementary courses only.

Accommodation notes

LINK Programme: No specific LINK partners offered. However linked Programmes are, of course, possible with any two or more CESA colleges, please ask for suggestions.
Accommodation Supplements applied to all accommodation options (including long term courses) for the following dates:

Mid season supplement	05 July to 29 August 2009
High season supplement	18 Jan to 31 Jan + 26 Apr to 09 May + 27 Sept to 10 Oct 2009

Student guesthouses: There are currently two student guesthouses used, one is just 2 metro stops from the college, the other two are within walking distance. All offer single or shared rooms (friends only) on a half-board basis Monday to Friday (with breakfast at the guesthouse and lunch at the college), en suite facilities. CESA cannot confirm which guesthouse will be assigned in advance.
Shared apartments: Available for long term students only. Self catering apartments, shared with other students, communal facilities, single or shared rooms (friends only). Located some 45 minutes by metro from the college.
Guesthouse Plus accommodation: Single rooms (or shared rooms booked by friends) with half-board.

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