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Tuition

45 Chinese Language Centers in Taiwan provide varies types of courses, tuition fee also varies from every center. The following is a brief summary of tuition fees:

	Total hrs	Tuition fee
General Course	180 hours or more	NTD18,300-43,500 (about USD 610 –1,450)
Intensive Summer Course	80–240 hours	NTD 12,000-65,000 (about USD 400 –2,200)

*(USD$1≒ NTD$32)

Scholarships

Huayu (Mandarin) Enrichment Scholarship

The Ministry of Education (MOE) of Taiwan provides the Huayu Enrichment Scholarship (HES) to encourage international students and individuals to undertake Chinese language study in Taiwan.

Scholarship	Application Date	Details
Huayu (Mandarin) Enrichment Scholarship	February 1 to March 31	■ Duration: summer classes (2 months), 3, 6, or 9 months, or 1 year ■ Monthly stipend: NT $25,000 (–US $834) US $1 is about NT $32 ■ For recipients from countries designated by the MOE as eligible

For more information about the Taiwan Scholarships and Huayu Enrichment Scholarship, please visit our website at taiwanscholarship.moe.gov.tw or contact your nearest representative office directly (english.moe.gov.tw → About MOE → Overseas Offices)

Some Chinese learning centers offer scholarships.
Information about these can be obtained from each center's website.

Useful Links

Huayu World – Chinese Learning Portal	www.huayuworld.org
Information for Foreigners in Taiwan	iff.immigration.gov.tw/iffwelcome.asp
Ministry of Education, Republic of China (MOE)	english.moe.gov.tw
Taiwan Academy	www.taiwanacademy.tw
Taiwan Education Centers	www.fichet.org.tw/tec
The E-government Entry Point of Taiwan	www.taiwan.gov.tw
Welcome to Taiwan - Tourism Bureau	taiwan.net.tw

Test of Chinese as a Foreign Language (TOCFL)

The Test of Chinese as a Foreign Language (TOCFL) is a standardized language proficiency test developed for non–native speakers of Chinese. Those who would like to know their level of Chinese proficiency, or those who want to study, work or do business in Chinese speaking countries are welcome to take the test. It has already served test takers from over 60 countries.

Purpose of the TOCFL

TOCFL test takers who reach the level requirements will receive a certificate. A TOCFL certificate can serve as a Chinese proficiency credential for:

- applying for a Taiwan Scholarship
- applying for an academic program at a college or university in Taiwan
- evidence of Chinese subject proficiency for the University Entrance Committee for Overseas Chinese Students
- evidence of Chinese language proficiency for employment purposes

A TOCFL certificate can be used as an official document when applying for admission to undergraduate and graduate programs in Taiwan, and many international businesses have adopted TOCFL as evidence of language proficiency for their employees who are being assigned to work in or with Taiwan.

TOCFL Testing Overseas

The Steering Committee for the Test of Proficiency–Huayu (SC–TOP) started to provide overseas test services in 2006 to meet the demands of numerous international Chinese learners. Candidates can now choose to take the TOCFL tests in Argentina, Australia, Austria, Belgium, Canada, France, Germany, Indonesia, Japan, Korea, Malaysia, New Zealand, Paraguay, Poland, Russia, Sweden, Switzerland, Thailand, the U.K., the U.S.A., and Vietnam. For more information, please visit the website: www.sc-top.org.tw

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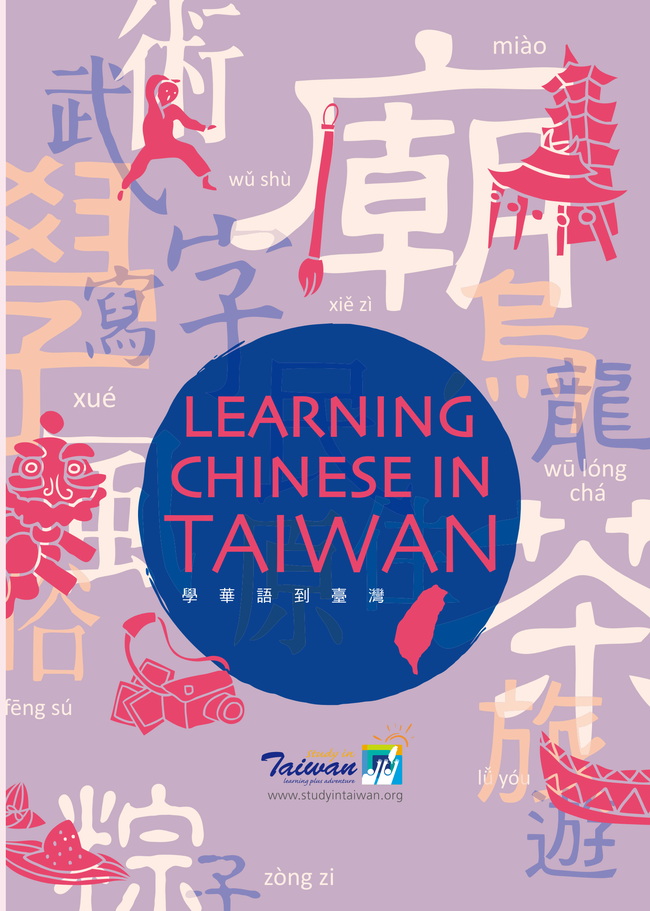

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3. A Perfect Place to Learn Chinese
4. A Repository of Chinese Culture
5. Available Scholarships
6. A Free Democratic Society
7. Easy to Reach, A Great Place to Travel
8. High Standard of Living
9. Test of Chinese as Foreign Language (TOCFL)
10. Work While You Study

Taiwan, Republic of China

GEOGRAPHY

Location	Pacific Ocean, 120 km (74.6 miles) off the coast of mainland China
Territory Size	36,193 km^2 (13,973.3 sq miles)
Highest Point	Yu Shan (3,952 m=12,965.9 ft)
Capital City	Taipei

DEMOGRAPHICS

Population	Approximately 23,000,000
Density	647 people per sq km
Ethnic Groups	Taiwan's population is predominantly: ■ Han Chinese comprising around 97%: 1. 70% Holo (or 'Hoklo') people, who historically originated in Fujian province 2. 18% Hakka people, and 3. 9% (8.72%) who arrived in 1949 ■ Indigenous Peoples make up about 2% (2.28%) ■ New immigrants, including non-ROC spouses from mainland China, and Southeast Asia, and others make up about 1%.
Official Language	Mandarin

OTHER

Currency	New Taiwan Dollar (NTD)
Electricity	Electrical current is 110 volts, 60 cycles, AC
Drive On	Traffic drives on the right
Calling Code	+886
Time Zone	UTC+8

Chinese Language Centers

NORTH

1. Taipei

China University of Science and Technology
Language Center
aca.cust.edu.tw/language/

Chinese Culture University
Mandarin Learning Center
mlc.sce.pccu.edu.tw

Ming Chuan University
Mandarin Studies & Culture Center
mscc.mcu.edu.tw

National Chengchi University
Chinese Language Center
mandarin.nccu.edu.tw/index.php

National Taipei University of Education
Chinese Language Education Center
r9.ntue.edu.tw

National Taipei University of Technology
Chinese Language Training Center
clc.ntut.edu.tw

National Taiwan Normal University
Mandarin Training Center
www.mtc.ntnu.edu.tw

National Taiwan University
Chinese Language Division, Language Center
cld.liberal.ntu.edu.tw

National Taiwan University
International Chinese Language Program
iclp.ntu.edu.tw

Shih Chien University
Chinese Language Center
chinese.usc.edu.tw/

Soochow University
Chinese Language Center
mandarin.scu.edu.tw

Taipei Chengshih University of Science and Technology
Mandarin Center
www.ssw.tpcu.edu.tw

Tamkang University
Chinese Language Center
www.dce.tku.edu.tw, chinesecenter.weebly.com

2. New Taipei City

Fu Jen Catholic University
Center of Chinese Language and Culture
www.lc.fju.edu.tw

3. Keelong

4. Taoyuan

Chung Yuan Christian University
Mandarin Learning Center
mlc.cycu.edu.tw

Kainan University
Chinese Learning Center
www.knu.edu.tw/CLC

Lunghwa University of Science and Technology
Chinese Language Center
www.lhu.edu.tw/m/ctc/index.html

National Central University
Language Center
www.lc.ncu.edu.tw/main/clp/index.php

Taoyuan Innovation Institute of Technology
Chinese Language Section
web.tit.edu.tw/language/center/chinese/en_about.htm

5. Hsinchu

Chung Hua University
Mandarin Training Center
international.chu.edu.tw1page5/super_pages.php?ID=1page502

National Chiao Tung University
Chinese Language Division, LTRC
mandarin.nctu.edu.tw

6. Yilan

Fo Guang University
Chinese Language Instruction Center
www.fgu.edu.tw/~chinlang/clic.htm

CENTRAL

7. Miaoli

National United University
Chinese Language Center
nuuclc.weebly.com/

8. Taichung

Feng Chia University
Chinese Language Center
www.clc.fcu.edu.tw

National Chung Hsing University
Chinese Program
cp.nchu.edu.tw

National Taichung University of Education
Chinese Language Center
clc.ntcu.edu.tw/index_en.php

Providence University
Chinese Language Education Center
clec.pu.edu.tw

Tunghai University
Chinese Language Center
clc.thu.edu.tw

9. Changhua

Chienkuo Technology University
Language Center
enlc.ctu.edu.tw/bin/home.php

National Changhua University of Education
Language Center
lc.ncue.edu.tw

10. Yunlin

11. Nantou

12. Chiayi

National Chiayi University
Language Center
140. 130. 204. 81

SOUTH

13. Tainan

Kun Shan University
Chinese Language Center
www.ksu.edu.tw/eng/unit/D/T/NC/MLC/

Nan Jeon University of Science and Technology
Chinese Language Center
www.nju.edu.tw/njclc

National Cheng Kung University
College of Liberal Arts, Chinese Language Center
kcdc.ncku.edu.tw

Southern Taiwan University of Science and Technology
Chinese Language Center
clc.stust.edu.tw/en

Taiwan Shoufu University
Chinese Language Center
www.tsu.edu.tw/a/webs/index.php?account=Clear

14. Kaohsiung

I-Shou University
Language Center
www.isu.edu.tw/interface/overview.php?dept_mno=335

Kao Yuan University
Chinese Language Center
www.oia.kyu.edu.tw/clc/

National Kaohsiung Normal University
Center of Language and Culture Teaching
140.127.54.83/

National Sun Yat-sen University
Chinese Language Center
clc.nsysu.edu.tw

National University of Kaohsiung
Division of Chinese Language, Language Center
www2.nuk.edu.tw/clc/fc/

Wenzao Ursuline University of Languages
Chinese Language Center
c040.wzu.edu.tw

15. Pingtung

National Pingtung University
Language Center
lcc.nptu.edu.tw/bin/home.php

National Pingtung University of Science and Technology
Chinese Language Center
clc.npust.edu.tw

EAST

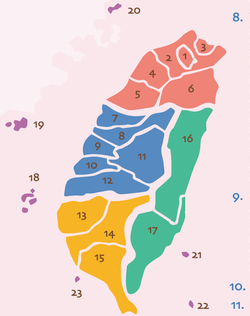
16. Hualien

Tzu Chi University
Center for Language Studies
www.language.tcu.edu.tw

17. Taitung

OFFSHORE ISLANDS

18. Penghu
19. Kinmen
20. Matsu
21. Green Island
22. Lanyu
23. Little Liuqiu



Course Listings

* For course information,please contact the language center

	1 Chienkuo Technology University	2 China University of Science and Technology	3 Chinese Culture University	4 Chung Hua University	5 Chung Yuan Christian University	6 Feng Chia University	7 Fo Guang University	8 Fu Jen Catholic University	9 I-Shou University	10 Kainan University *	11 Kao Yuan University	12 Kun Shan University	13 Lunghwa University of Science and Technology	14 Ming Chuan University	15 Nan Jeon University of Science and Technology	16 National Central University	17 National Changhua University of Education	18 National Cheng Kung University	19 National Chengchi University	20 National Chiao Tung University	21 National Chiayi University	22 National Chung Hsing University	23 National Kaohsiung Normal University	24 National Pingtung University	25 National Pingtung University of Science and Technology	26 National Sun Yat-sen University	27 National Taichung University of Education	28 National Taipei University of Education	29 National Taipei University of Technology	30 National Taiwan Normal University	31 National Taiwan University (Chinese Language Division)	32 National Taiwan University, International Chinese Language Program (ICLP)	33 National University of Kaohsiung	34 National United University	35 Providence University	36 Shih Chien University	37 Soochow University	38 Southern Taiwan University of Science and Technology	39 Taipei Chengshih University of Science and Technology	40 Taiwan Shoufu University *	41 Tamkang University	42 Taoyuan Innovation Institute of Technology	43 Tunghai University	44 Tzu Chi University	45 Wenzao Ursuline University of Languages
Chinese Vacation Program																																				●									
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Mandarin Winter Camp																																					●									
Mandarin Certificate Class												●																																	
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Study Tour Program							●							●				●																											
Special Young Learner Courses																																		●											
To the Point Class- for Expatriates and Foreign Working Nationals			●																																										
Teaching Chinese as a Second Language (TCSL) Course			●																																										
Tutor Class (1-6 months)																												●																	
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