Department: World Language
Course: Mandarin III H
Level: 9 – 12
Credits: 5

Course Description:
Mandarin III H reinforces and expands upon the communicative skills that were established in Mandarin I and II. The course develops students’ capability to deal with more complicated situations through performance-based approach (see below for details). Additional emphasis is placed on the ongoing development of reading and writing skills. Chinese culture and/or historical events are discussed in class. Student presentations should show more refined details and include personal opinions.

Standards:
7.1.II.A.1-6, 7.1.II.B.1,2,4, 7.1.NH.C.4,5, 7.1.II.C.1-3

Anchor Text(s):

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Supplementary Materials:
Videos, sound bites, movies, authentic cultural materials, excerpts of books.

Units of Study:

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Proficiencies:
By the end of this course, students will:

- Be able to ask and answer questions using longer sentences, to describe things and incidents with more complicated grammatical structures, to handle more complicated transactions related to everyday life.
- Be able to recognize and type the majority of Chinese characters taught, and hand-write the frequently used ones.

Evaluation & Assessment:

- Tests, speaking tests, quizzes: 75%
- Project: 15%
- Homework: 10%