

Waltham St Lawrence Primary School Curriculum Overview Mandarin



Year Group	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4	Term 5	Term 6
EYFS	What is China? What is Mandarin? Greetings	What are Chinese characters? Christmas in China	Numbers 1-3 Chinese New Year Celebrations	Numbers 1-5 Colours	Snack time in Mandarin	Review and consolidate all prior learning
Year 1	What is your name? How are you? The Story of the Mid-Autumn Festival	The Chinese Tones Numbers 1-10 Songs and Culture activities	Chinese New Year Story of Nian & Zodiac Animals Chinese Tangrams	Review Write Numbers Likes and Dislikes	Review Animals & Likes/ Dislikes / Colour Words What is this? Mandarin in the Classroom	Review Greeting, Numbers and Colours Learn sentence structure "这是什么?" -What is this?
Year 2	"Have you eaten yet?" — How Chinese people greet each other The Very Hungry Caterpillar Mooncakes	Months of the Year Christmas Market	Chinese New Year Story of Nian & Zodiac Animals	Asking and Saying the Date What day of the week is it?	Birthdays / Age Write Numbers & Likes and Dislikes Colour Words	Revision: Numbers and Colours; Learn sentence structure "这是什么?" - What is this?
Year 3	Introduction to Chinese Language and Culture Number and Age	The Chinese Writing System Mid- Autumn Festival - Traditions and Customs and Stories Christmas Celebration in China	The Chinese Pronunciation (Pinyin) System Chinese New Year Chinese Numbers 1-99 Dates and Months	Chinese Maths - Numbers Days of the Week	Dates and Days Learn to say "我的生日是 …" –My Birthday is…	Revision of all prior learning Numbers 0-99 Learn "你几岁?" -How old are you?
Year 4	Review prior learning: Numbers & Date and Days of Week Happy Birthday!	History of Chinese Characters: Learning Radicals and Writing Characters	The Chinese Pronunciation (Pinyin) System Review Numbers 1-99 Dates & Months	Family & Friends Chinese Pinyin & Birthdays	Describing People and Animals Review Dates, Months, Weeks, Birthdays Learn to say "我的生日是 …" –My birthday is…	Review all prior learning Numbers 0-99 Learn "你几岁?" -How old are you?
Year 5	Review Greetings / Numbers Telephone	My Family Writing	Review Numbers 1-99 Date, Month & Days of the Week	Chinese Pinyin & Birthdays	Review Dates, Months, Weeks, Birthdays & "你 几岁?" -How old are you?	Review all prior learning Dates, Family Members Telephone Going to China
Year 6	Review Greetings / Numbers Telephone	My Family Writing	Chinese New Year Review My Family Age & Friends	My Family, Age & Friends Chinese Pinyin & Animals / Body Parts	Revision Animals and Body Parts Sentence Structure 他的 个子很高 –He is tall	Review all prior learning Dates, Family Members Telephone Going to China
Enrichment	Chinese New Year Celebration – Lion Dance & China Day Visit to Ashmolean Museum Performance Of Fan Dance and Chinese Poetry Recitals					