



# Chinese & Japanese Kindergarten & 1<sup>st</sup> Grade

## OUR GOAL:

- To create a strong foundation of the Chinese/Japanese language through the development of the four language skills: speaking, listening, reading, and writing.
- To deepen student's understanding of the Chinese/Japanese culture through the study of language and the Chinese culture.
- To shape culturally sensitive, globally aware, responsible world citizens.

## IMMERSION CHINESE/JAPANESE KINDERGARTEN

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- For students ages 5~6 year-old
- Native Mandarin Chinese and Japanese teachers with degrees from US universities
- State certified teachers
- Common Core curriculum
- Low student to teach ratio
- Immersion with at least 70 percent and up target language in classroom
- Assistant language helpers available for non-native speakers

## DURAL LANGUAGE 1<sup>ST</sup> GRADE (CHINESE/ENGLISH & JAPANESE/ENGLISH)

- Ages 6~7 year-old
- State certified teachers
- Common Core curriculum
- Low student to teach ratio
- Immersion with at least 70 percent and up target language in classroom

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## OUR APPROACH:

### A. Language basis (Chinese/Japanese)

- Use language effectively to express his/her needs and wants and to interact with others.
- Speak in complete sentences.
- Ask many questions and look for answers.
- Enjoy language play, children's rhymes, songs, and riddles.
- Practice using words and language learned in school.

### B. Writing and Reading

- Know the basis of writing Chinese/Japanese.
- Learn basic words and be able to use the words to make sentences.
- Recognize, understand, and applies writing concepts.
- Expand oral language skills and gain meaningful vocabulary for reading.
- Demonstrate comprehension by responding in different ways when listening to or viewing text of all kinds.

### C. Math

- Develop basic notions of numbers and use numbers to think about objects and the world around them in Chinese/Japanese.
- Practice counting objects in sets and lay the groundwork for addition and subtraction. Patterns, and algebra in Chinese/Japanese.

## Kindergarten & 1<sup>st</sup> grade daily schedule

Class Block	Content
Greeting	Greetings in target language & homework review, pledge of allegiance
1st	Language (Speaking, writing & reading)
2nd	Math & science in target language
3rd	Social Studies
4th	PE & Cultural competence (arts, music & more)
Homework	Homework assignment (help available)