

What's the Scoop?

5th Grade Team

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**Welcome fourth
graders and parents!**

We will talk about

1. New Mode of 5th Grade
2. Social Studies Goals & Expectations
3. Chinese Language Proficiency Goals
4. Leveled Chinese Classes
5. Instructional Focus
6. Beyond Chinese Classes
7. Key to Success

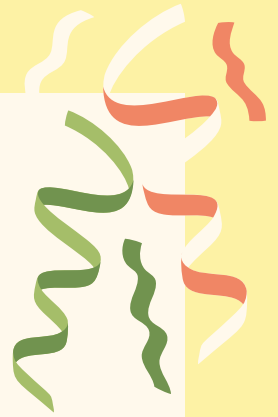


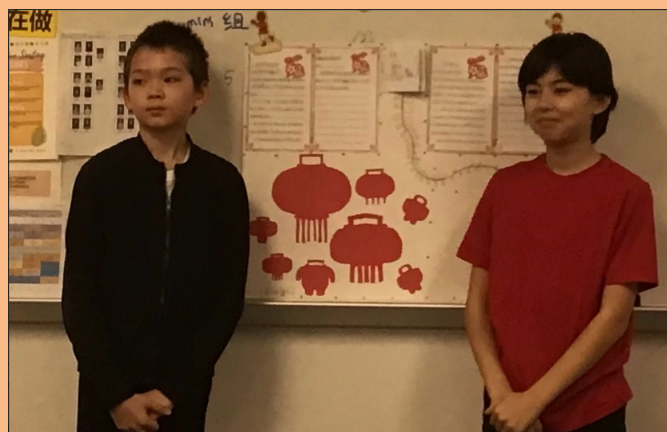
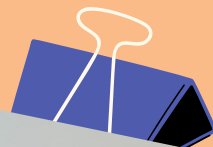


New Mode of 5th Grade

Similar to Lower School

- Daily Morning Meeting
- Build relationship with teachers
- Transition year: Improve organizational skills
- For safety
- Solidify their learning
- Science is taught in English to build up their Science vocabulary





Social Studies Goals & Expectations

Understand and engage in the world they live in by providing them the tools to critically think, analyze evidence from the past and contemporary world, and formulate conclusions, thereby creating an informed and responsive citizenry and fostering democratic participation.



Chinese Language Proficiency Goals

ACTFL language proficiency scale

ORAL PROFICIENCY LEVELS IN THE WORKPLACE

Superior Level

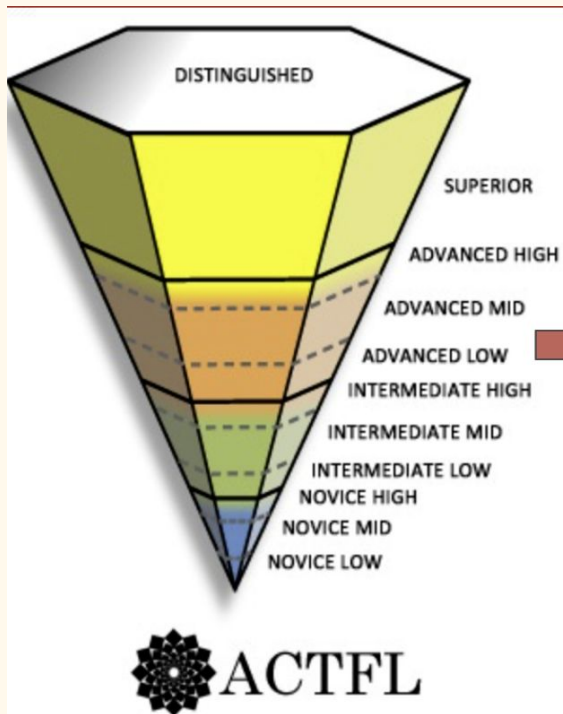
Lawyer, Judge, Marketing Consultant...

Advanced Levels

Language Teacher, Social Worker,
Financial Advisor...

Intermediate Levels

Sales Clerk,
Receptionist,
Tour Guide ...



By the end of 8th grade:

- ❖ Narrate and describe in different tense.
- ❖ Handle a complicated situation or translation.



Standardized Proficiency Measuring Tool



G6: OPI

OPI(Oral
Proficiency
Interview) :
Measuring
Chinese Speaking
Proficiency



G7: HSK

HSK: Measuring
Chinese Listening,
Reading and
Writing
Proficiency



G8: OPI and HSK

To prepare for
students to apply
for High school



Why do we have leveled Chinese classes at 6th grade and after?

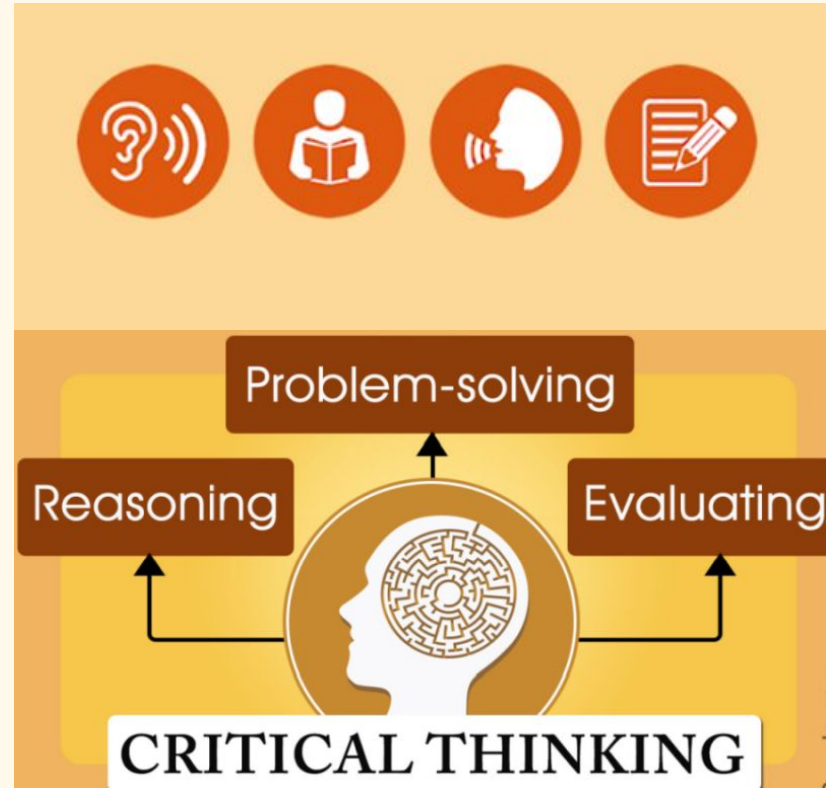
- *Students gain proficiency at different rates.
- *We can apply different teaching methods to meet students' needs.
- *Smaller classes. Students get individual attention.
- *There is no ceiling for advanced students.

Proficiency level based classes

- * 5th grade end-of-year exam score.
- * Evaluation and recommendation from 5th grade CLA teachers.
- * Placement Tests in 6th Grade
- * Replacement based on students' growth.

Instructional Focus

- Strategies & Skills
- Higher Order Thinking
- Cultural Competency



Beyond Chinese Class



- *Morning Meeting: different topics each day.
- *iChinesereader and other books in Chinese
- * Watch age-appropriate Chinese movies and listen to Chinese music/songs
- *DLO: Chinese Clubs
- *Sister School Video Conferencing
- **China/Taiwan Trip*





Key to Success

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Consistent
motivation



Organizational
skills





Resources

After 8th grade? --- Online Immersion!

MN Online High School www.MNOHS.org

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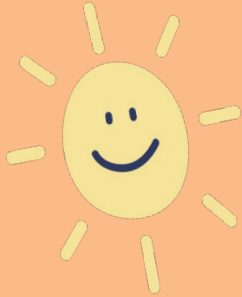
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ACADEMY

- Advanced Chinese 1
- Advanced Chinese 2
- Subject area Chinese
- AP Chinese

- *Listening
- *Speaking
- *Reading
- *Writing
- *High Level Thinking Skills



THANKS FOR PARTICIPATING!



Q&A

