K-12 Chinese Teacher Preparation Program

The Mandarin Institute in conjunction with STARTALK will offer an unparalleled training program to new Chinese language teachers and teachers who are new to teaching in US classrooms.

Teachers will learn the critical skills they need to be innovative and successful in the classroom and to facilitate high quality Chinese language programming in their schools. For qualifying teachers, the tuition fee ($1600) will be waived.

- Practice in American classrooms with real students
- Build and evaluate curriculum and lesson plans
- Integrate language, culture and content in your class
- Hone communication skills with school administrators, teachers and parents
- Master powerful resources and technology

“This was a wonderful opportunity for me to learn and practice before I step onto the classroom platform of an American school. This program prepares new Chinese teachers with everything they need to be successful, such as psychological preparation, teaching and learning skills, classroom management and interaction with students.”

--Ms. Hou, Elementary School Teacher, 2010 program attendee

“This program has equipped me with tools that will prove invaluable. Perhaps the best thing I can say about this program is that I would not only recommend it to my friends and colleagues, but I hope that I can return in future years to further cultivate my teaching skills.”

--Mr. Hahn, High School Teacher, 2010 program attendee

Date: August 1 - 5, 2011
Time: 9:00AM – 4:00PM
Apply by: June 24, 2011
Location: Chinese American International School
150 Oak Street, San Francisco, CA 94102

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