

COURSE CONTENT – M S CHINESE (MANDARIN) LEVEL 4

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TOPIC	LANGUAGE FUNCTIONS	LANGUAGE STRUCTURES
Food and drinks	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ordering at a restaurant Identifying features or tastes of different cuisines Recommending Writing a recipe 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Noun phrases with the auxiliary word 的 Imperative sentences 把sentences
Shopping for souvenirs Sending a package	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Bargaining Asking for suggestions Describing travel and shopping experiences Understanding descriptions Identifying prices and numbers 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Duplication of verbs Expressing 'the more ... the more...' using 越...越... Notional passive sentences
Sightseeing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Describing features of scenery and talking about places of natural beauty Understanding information about the location and features of scenic areas from a travel flyer 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Expressing result of an action with 到 Expressing percentages using 百分之... Expressing 'in addition to' or 'besides' using 除了...以外, 还...

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People's appearance Sportswear and Sizes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Asking and describing people's appearances Identifying 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Serial verb constructions Affirmative-negative questions Expressing immediate actions with (就)要...了
Health	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Asking for and giving reasons Asking for / Giving advice and describing requirements 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The auxiliary word 地 Describing 'more' or 'less' using 多或少 Expressing the duration of an action
Friendship	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Describing people's personalities and characteristics Describing people's hobbies 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Wh-questions Difference between 有一点 & 一点儿 The auxiliary words 的, 地 and 得