

**Chinese**  
**LC 212: Second Semester, Second Year**  
**LC 311: First Semester, Third Year**  
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**Required Books:** *New Practical Chinese Reader 3 & 4, Textbook*  
Liu Xun (chief compiler)  
Beijing Language and Culture University Press, 2003

*New Practical Chinese Reader 3 & 4, Workbook*  
Liu Xun (chief compiler)  
Beijing Language and Culture University Press, 2003

*Chinese Language and Culture 《汉语与文化读本》*  
Weijia Huang and QunAo  
The Chinese University Press of Hong Kong, 2002

*Pocket Oxford Chinese Dictionary*  
Martin H. Manser  
Oxford University Press, 2003

**Course Description:**

This is an intensive course for highly motivated students, since it covers two of Boston University's Second-Year and Third-Year Chinese courses (LC 212 and LC 311) in just one semester. It focuses on further consolidating the skills of reading, writing, and grammar in modern Chinese. The course covers Lesson 33 to Lesson 38 in the *New Practical Chinese Reader 3*; Lesson 45 and Lesson 49 in the *New Practical Chinese Reader 4*; and Lesson 1 to Lesson 10 in *Chinese Language and Culture《汉语与文化读本》*. Students will master 1,000 new Chinese characters.

**Course Requirements:**

- (1) A vocabulary quiz will be given after each lesson.  
(You will have the option to drop the 2 lowest quiz grades for the semester)

(2) There will be one final exam for LC212 and for LC311 on grammatical structure and translation.

(3) You will complete homework assignments in a workbook at the pace of our lessons. These will be turned for grading in according to assigned due dates and will make up 10% of your grade. Here are the links for the listening exercises:

<http://www.bu.edu/geddes/lab/audio/npcr3/index.html> (Book3)

<http://www.bu.edu/geddes/lab/audio/npcr4/index.html> (Book4)

(4) In addition to the homework assignments in the workbook, you also need to write **2 Chinese compositions**.

(5) Please keep in mind that attendance is very important to your success in this course. **DO NOT** skip any class unless it is an emergency (e.g. medical) that you can **document**. Any unexcused absence will seriously jeopardize your course grade.

### **Basis for Grading:**

Your performance for each part of the course will be assessed as follows:

<b>Attendance</b>	<b>10%</b>	<b>(1 point deducted for 2 unexcused absences)</b>
<b>Workbook</b>	<b>15%</b>	<b>(10% for homework, 5% for compositions)</b>
<b>Quizzes</b>	<b>25%</b>	<b>(2 lowest grades will be dropped)</b>
<b>Test</b>	<b>15%</b>	
<b>Oral practice</b>	<b>10%</b>	
<b>Final</b>	<b>25%</b>	

## **1. Projected Daily Outline (Textbook 3&4, Chinese Language and Culture) January to May 2010**

(1)	1/18	Test of proficiency
(2)	1/19	Lesson 33
(3)	1/20	Lesson 33
(4)	1/21	Lesson 34 ,vocab quiz L33
(5)	1/22	Lesson 34
(6)	1/25	Lesson 34
(7)	1/26	Lesson 35 ,vocab quiz L34
(8)	1/27	Lesson 35
(9)	2/2	Lesson 35
(10)	2/3	Lesson 36 ,vocab quiz L35
(11)	2/4	Lesson 36
(12)	2/5	Lesson 36
(13)	2/8	Lesson 37,vocab quiz L36
(14)	2/9	Lesson 37
(15)	3/1	Lesson 37
(16)	3/2	Review (L.33– L.37) ,vocab quiz L37
(17)	3/3	Oral practice
(18)	3/4	Test (LC212)(L.33 – L.37)
(19)	3/8	Lesson 38
(20)	3/9	Lesson 38
(21)	3/10	Lesson 38

(22)	3/11	Lesson 45,vocab quiz L38
(23)	3/15	Lesson 45
(24)	3/16	Lesson 45
(25)	3/17	Lesson 49 ,vocab quiz L45
(26)	3/18	Lesson 49
(27)	3/22	Lesson 49
(28)	3/23	Review (L.33– L.38,45&49) ,vocab quiz L49
(29)	3/24	Final exam (LC212)
(30)	3/25	Lesson 1
(31)	3/29	Lesson 1
(32)	3/30	Lesson 1
(33)	3/31	Lesson 2 ,vocab quiz L1
(34)	4/6	Lesson 2
(35)	4/7	Lesson 2
(36)	4/8	Lesson 3,vocab quiz L2
(37)	4/12	Lesson 3
(38)	4/13	Lesson 3
(39)	4/14	Lesson 4 ,vocab quiz L3
(40)	4/15	Lesson 4
(41)	4/19	Lesson 4
(42)	4/20	Lesson 5,vocab quiz L4
(43)	4/21	Lesson 5
(44)	4/22	Lesson 5

(45)	4/26	Review (L.1– L.5) ,vocab quiz L5
(46)	4/27	Test (LC311)(L.1 – L.5)
(47)	4/28	Lesson 6
(48)	4/29	Lesson 6
(49)	5/4	Lesson 6
(50)	5/5	Lesson 7,vocab quiz L6
(51)	5/6	Lesson 7
(52)	5/10	Lesson 7
(53)	5/11	Lesson 8,vocab quiz L7
(54)	5/12	Lesson 8
(55)	5/13	Lesson 8
(56)	5/17	Lesson 9,vocab quiz L8
(57)	5/18	Lesson 9
(58)	5/19	Lesson 9
(59)	5/20	Lesson 10,vocab quiz L9
(60)	5/24	Lesson 10
(61)	5/25	Lesson 10
(62)	5/26	Review (L.1– L.10) ,vocab quiz L10
(63)	5/27	Review (L.1– L.10)
(64)	5/31	Oral practice
(65)	6/1	Final exam (LC311)

**This projected outline may be altered depending upon class progress and changing circumstances.**

## **2. Workbook assignments (Book 3 & Book 4) January to May 2010**

	汉字	语法	作文
<b>L.33:</b>	<b>1;</b>	<b>10, 12, 14;</b>	<b>no</b>
<b>L.34:</b>	<b>1;</b>	<b>10, 12, 15, 16;</b>	<b>no</b>
<b>L.35:</b>	<b>1;</b>	<b>10, 12, 16;</b>	<b>no</b>
<b>L.36:</b>	<b>1;</b>	<b>10, 12, 17;</b>	<b>no</b>
<b>L.37:</b>	<b>1;</b>	<b>9, 11, 14;</b>	<u>我的一次旅游</u>
<b>L. 38:</b>	<b>1;</b>	<b>10, 12, 13, 14, 16</b>	<b>no</b>
<b>L. 45:</b>	<b>no</b>	<b>4, 6, 9, 10, 11, 12;</b>	<b>no</b>
<b>L. 49:</b>	<b>no</b>	<b>4, 6, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12</b>	<b>no</b>