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International student promoted Chinese Character Chess game

Jo-Yen Wong, an exchange student from Malaysia, gave a lecture on Chinese Character Chess game to Kota Kemuning National High School. It was the first time that Chinese

Character Chess game being brought to Malaysia. Jo-Yen Wong received training on this game and represented UNNC to participate in the competition against the team from Ningbo University last semester. She found the game a very useful tool to help Mandarin learner to study Chinese characters and expand vocabulary, especial for those who are at a young age.

The lecture received high popularity amongst students and teachers. Soon controlled the principle of the game, students can play with it innovatively. Mandarin teachers in Kota Kemuning National High School said, they would use this chess game as an innovative teaching method to help students develop Chinese language proficiency with fun.

Welcome to the new semester

Warmly welcome to new members

Two new members will come to position on 3rd Sep. including one Mandarin teacher and one volunteer.



Luchao Wang, the Mandarin teacher, graduated from Shanghai International Studies University with a Master degree in Chinese International Education. 2015-2016, she taught Mandarin in Велико Търново Confucius Institute, Bulgaria.



Lydia Wu, the Mandarin volunteer, will receive her Master degree in TESOL later this year. She is the first full time Mandarin volunteer graduated from UNNC. She has over 5 years experiences in foreign language teaching.



HSK Test

18 Aug, 14 candidates participated HSK test in Portland Building. It was the 7th HSK test we have organised in 2018, and the number of HSK test takers reached 119. This year remains another 4 tests which are 16 Sep, 14 Oct, 10 Nov and 2



Cultural Event

To celebrate the upcoming Mid-Autumn Festival, all international students, staff and family are invited to the mooncake making event on 24 Sep. at 2-5pm. To register the event, please scan the QR code. The event is free for all



Mandarin Class

New semester Chinese class is open for register. The class includes everyday Chinese and HSK courses. The group class is scheduled around 6-8pm weekdays and the limited private courses are available based on the rule of first come first

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Upcoming Events



Mid-Autumn Festival
mooncake making



Chinese character
chess game



Double Ninth Festival
mountain climbing



Municipal level
Chinese competition



Chinese knot making



Opera mask brush painting



Christmas party



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