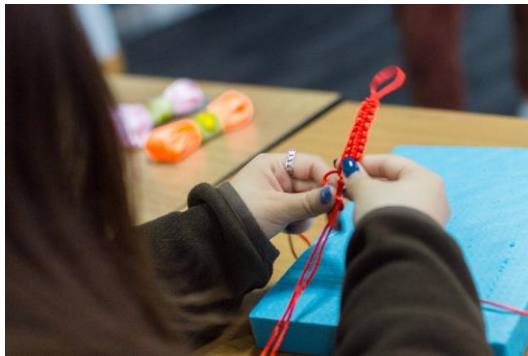




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Chinese Cultural Workshop 1: Chinese Knot Making

7 Nov, at Room 312 Portland Building, 10 international students and staff participated in the Chinese cultural workshop – Chinese knot making. This event was supported by student volunteers from Mandarin Corner who also introduced Chinese bracelet making to the participants. [Read more](#)



Mandarin Learners Appreciated Traditional Chinese Concert

8 Nov, at Ningbo Cultural Plaza Theatre, 20 Mandarin learners appreciated a traditional concert. The

participants said they enjoyed the performance a lot and found it a great opportunity to learn about Chinese culture. Special thanks to Prof Xiaoge Xu who generously offered the tickets.



Chinese Cultural Workshop 2: Opera Mask Painting

14 Nov, at Room 312 Portland Building, the second cultural workshop - Chinese opera mask painting was held. 20 international students and staff joined the session. The participants listened to the development history of Peking Opera, the characters of *Sheng*, *Dan*, *Jing*, *Mo* and *Chou*, and the meanings of different colors. The participants said painting mask was much more difficult than it looked like, but it was a great fun. [Read more](#)



6 Candidates Took Part in HSK test

10 Nov, at room 312 Portland Building, 6 candidates took part in the HSK test. This was the second last HSK test in this year. The overall candidate's number in 2018 hit 255. HSK test arrangement for Jan – Mar 2019 in UNNC has been released on NCI Ningbo's website.



Iuliia Volkova and Giulia Gasparini Won Calligraphy Award of the Guangdong Province

20 Nov, the competition result of Oriental Cup Chinese Calligraphy Contest for the International Community was released. Iuliia Volkova and Giulia Gasparini from UNNC both received consolation prize. Many congratulations to Iuliia and Giulia and wish them an even better progress in future.



Mandarin Learners Appreciated Yue Opera Performance

24 Nov, at Ningbo Cultural Plaza Theatre, 46 Mandarin learners appreciated a Yue Opera Performance. The performance converged different types of performance styles from different plays. So the audiences enjoyed it a lot. Special thanks to

Ningbo Culture and Broadcasting Bureau who sponsored the tickets to CI.



Workshop: How to be a Mandarin Teacher

30 Nov, NCI China Branch held the workshop on *How to be A Mandarin Teacher* in room 114 Portland Building. The workshop covers topics on how to achieve the certificate of International Chinese Teacher and HSK Invigilator both issued by Hanban, experience sharing on being Volunteer Mandarin Teacher overseas, and tips to apply for the overseas Mandarin teaching volunteer programmes. The workshop also offered chance of being language partner and teaching assistance in NCI Ningbo.



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Confucius Institute Mandarin Courses

Everyday Chinese		HSK Course		Private Course	
Beginner 1,2	10 weeks 1 class per week 2 hours per class Tuition: 1000 RMB	HSK 2,3	10 weeks 2 classes per week 1.5 hours per class Tuition: 1500RMB	15 Hours Package 3300RMB	30 Hours Package 6600RMB
Intermediate 1,2,3		HSK 4,5,6	10 weeks 2 classes per week 2 hours per class Tuition: 2000RMB	One to 1: 3300RMB	One to 1: 6600RMB
Advanced				One to 2: 1650RMB	One to 2: 3300RMB
8 October --December 14 2018		8 October --December 14 2018		1 September 1 2018-- 1 February 2019	
Monday		Tuesday		Wednesday	
Beginner 1	18:00-20:00	Beginner 2	18:00-20:00	Beginner 1	18:00-20:00
HSK2	18:00-19:30	Intermediate 2	18:00-20:00	HSK2	18:00-19:30
HSK3	18:00-19:30	HSK4	18:00-20:00	HSK3	18:00-19:30
HSK5	18:00-20:00	HSK6	18:00-20:00	HSK5	18:00-20:00
		Advanced	18:00-20:00		
				Thursday	
				Intermediate 1	18:00-20:00
				Intermediate 2	18:00-20:00
				HSK4	18:00-20:00
				HSK6	18:00-20:00

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