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## Mandarin class for winter term



The winter term Mandarin class is ready to register. The teaching period would be 4 – 29 Jan. The minimum size for group class would be 5 people, and a private class would be offered if the student number would be less than 5. To register the winter class, please directly send email to us: [Confucius.institute@nottingham.edu.cn](mailto:Confucius.institute@nottingham.edu.cn)

## Lantern Prizes for Art Work on '24 Solar Terms and UNNC'



Over three weeks competition, the prizes for art work on '24 Solar Terms and UNNC' were unveiled on 11 Nov. The activity received many talented works and 11 of them were selected to the final round. Once published on the wechat platform, students' exquisite work received more than 5600 votes. Many congratulations to Zirui Wang and Xinyue Qin who received the highest votes and won the prizes of the most popular work. Ting Zhou, Yue Yu and Lidan Hu received excellent prizes. All the 11 works would be presented on our wechat platform at the day of 2021 Solar Terms.

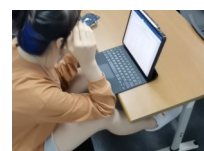
## Public Benefit Chinese Painting Class



Monday 23 Nov at DB A04 the last Chinese Painting class in this semester was held. The teacher made a conclusion of the class and gave paintings to the participants as presents. Mr Li committed the efforts made by the participants throughout the 10 classes and encouraged them to keep pursuing further development in Chinese painting.

The Chinese painting class would continue in the next semester. We are looking forward to seeing you in the next spring.

## Language Partnership Programme



In this month, 4 Chinese language workshops were organized amongst the Mandarin language learners and members of Mandarin Corner. The topics for the participants are customized according to their language proficiency, given by its one to one communication mode. The workshop would be provided until mid-December.

## HSK Test



汉语水平考试

21 Nov, 49 candidates sat the HSK test at Room 331 Portland Building, making the overall number of HSK candidates more than 300 in this year. The last HSK tests in this year will be on 6 Dec. Info to HSK: <https://www.nottingham.edu.cn/en/confucius-institute/hsk/index.aspx>

## HSK Invigilation Training



In respond to the increasing demand on HSK test, we were looking for student interns to invigilate the test. By 13 Nov, we received 51 valid applications. 23 outstanding applicants successfully participated in the training on 18 Nov at Room 138 Trent Building. After passing the test organized by Center for Language Education and Cooperation, the candidates would become professional invigilators to serve for the HSK test in the next year.

## Upcoming Events

HSK test

- 6 Dec @PB331

Language partner project

- offline 2-6pm on 2, 9, and 16 Dec @Portland Building 112
- online flexible schedule

Winter term Mandarin course

- 4 - 29 Jan



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