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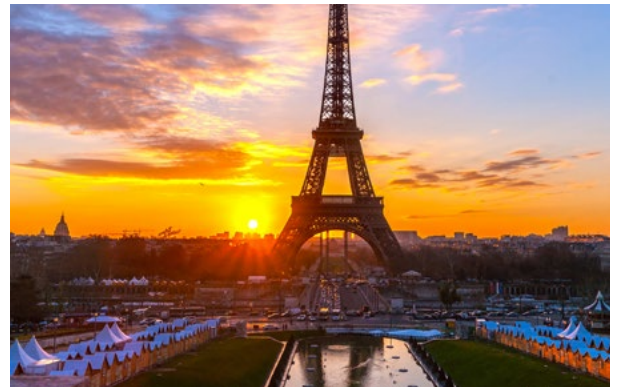
Your Fall 2026 Course Guide for Languages and Cultural Studies is here!

Professional and Public Programs knows that language skills are a valuable tool for advancement. Learning a new language is a fun, useful way to keep your brain sharp and expand your knowledge of other cultures, places and people. Learning a new language with us is:

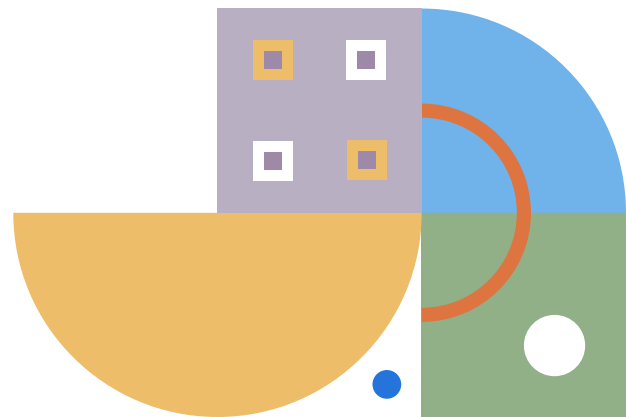
- Affordable and convenient
- Fun and engaging
- An opportunity to learn, network and build confidence

Classes are available for Chinese, French, Italian, Japanese, Korean, Portuguese, Spanish and more.

Course content may vary depending on the instructor and participants, allowing for a stress-free and flexible approach to learning new language skills.



Flip through the pages, find a class for the language you are interested in learning, and let's start your personal growth today!



Discounts & More

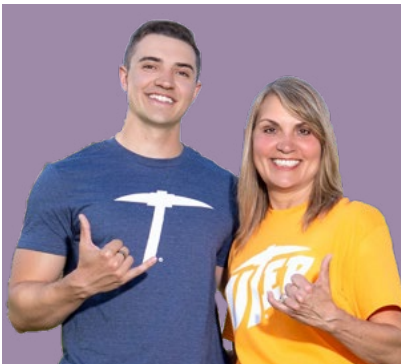
Stay up to date with everything going on! From our exclusive discounts to our featured ads for instructors this is your go-to spot for the latest opportunities, updates, and ways to get involved.



Early Bird 10% Discount

Don't miss your chance to save with this limited time offer each semester! Receive 10% off eligible courses each semester when you register early. Discount ends August 15, 2026.

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Current and retired UTEP employees may receive 15% discount on eligible courses*.

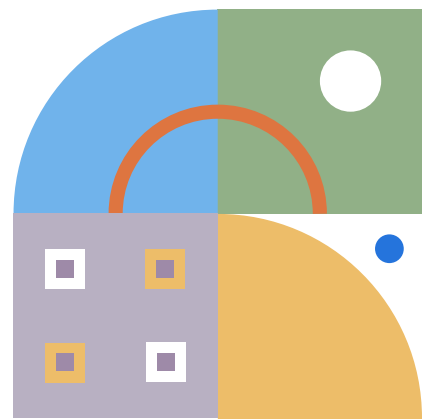
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We're hiring instructors!

If you're interested in teaching an existing course or have an idea for a new course, we'd love to hear from you!

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Featured Courses



Face-to-Face Chinese

All the following courses take place from August 16 to December 13, 2026.

Introductory Mandarin Chinese

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Fundamental Mandarin Chinese I (Ages 5 to 15)

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Fundamental Mandarin Chinese I (Ages 16 and Up)

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Intermediate Mandarin Chinese

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Advanced Mandarin Chinese

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Japanese

Japanese for Beginners B2

Dates: 09/03-11/19

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Live/Online

Japanese for Beginners: B3

Dates: 09/03-11/17

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Japanese for Low-Intermediate: IM3

Dates: 09/02-11/18

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Japanese for High-Intermediate: IMH3

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Seasonal Calendars

WEEKDAYS

SEASON	DURATION	MONTHS
SPRING	5 Weeks	January-February
	5 Weeks	March-April
	5 Weeks	April-May
SUMMER	5 Weeks	June-July
	5 Weeks	July-August
FALL	5 Weeks	August-September
	5 Weeks	October-November
	5 Weeks	November-December

Courses for the following languages are offered from Monday to Friday in the evenings:

FACE-TO-FACE	LIVE/ONLINE
English	English
French	French
Intensive Spanish	Italian
Portuguese	Japanese
American Sign Language	Korean
Mandarin Chinese*	

* Courses for Mandarin Chinese are only offered during the spring and summer months as a morning class.

WEEKENDS

SEASON	DURATION	MONTHS
SPRING	10 Weeks	January-March
	10 Weeks	April-May
SUMMER	10 Weeks	June-August
FALL	10 Weeks	September-November

Courses for the following languages are offered on Saturdays in the morning/afternoon:

FACE-TO-FACE	LIVE/ONLINE
English	English
French	
American Sign Language	

SPECIAL SCHEDULING

SEASON	MONTHS	LANGUAGES OFFERED	AGE GROUP	COURSE FORMAT
SPRING	January-May	Mandarin Chinese	18 and older	Face-to-Face on Sundays
	January-May	Mandarin Chinese	5 to 15 years old	Face-to-Face on Sundays
	January-May	Japanese	18 and older	Live/Online
SUMMER	May-August	Japanese	18 and older	Live/Online
	June	English, French and Spanish	Entering grades 3-5	Face-to-Face, 5-days (M-F)
	June	English, French and Spanish	Entering grades 6-8	Face-to-Face, 5-days (M-F)
	July	English, French and Spanish	Entering grades 3-5	Face-to-Face, 5-days (M-F)
	July	English, French and Spanish	Entering grades 6-8	Face-to-Face, 5-days (M-F)
FALL	August-December	Mandarin Chinese	18 and older	Face-to-Face on Sundays
	August-December	Mandarin Chinese	5 to 15 years old	Face-to-Face on Sundays
	August-December	Japanese	18 and older	Live/Online



Face-to-Face Courses

All the following courses are offered for ages 18 and older unless otherwise specified.

Chinese

Fundamental Mandarin Chinese I (Ages 5 to 15)

Progress with learning Mandarin; learn additional vocabulary and how to read and write some basic traditional Chinese characters.

Prerequisite: Introductory Chinese or equivalent level of Chinese language proficiency approved by the teacher/principal.

Dates: 08/16 - 12/13

Day/Time: Sundays from 9 a.m.-Noon

Fee: \$189

Early Bird Registration Fee: \$169

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Introductory Mandarin Chinese

Learn to speak elementary Chinese, including pronunciation and common greetings; also learn how to read and write a few basic Chinese characters.

Dates: 08/16 - 12/13

Day/Time: Sundays from 9 a.m.-Noon

Fee: \$189

Early Bird Registration Fee: \$169

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Fundamental Mandarin Chinese I (Ages 16 and Up)

Progress with learning Mandarin; learn additional vocabulary and how to read and write some basic traditional Chinese characters.

Prerequisite: Introductory Chinese I or equivalent level of Chinese language proficiency approved by the teacher/principal.

Dates: 08/16 - 12/13

Day/Time: Sundays from 9 a.m.-Noon

Fee: \$189

Early Bird Registration Fee: \$169

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Fundamental Mandarin Chinese II (Ages 16 and Up)

Progress in your learning of Chinese (Mandarin).

Prerequisite: Fundamental Chinese I or equivalent level of Chinese language proficiency approved by the teacher/principal.

Dates: 08/16 - 12/13

Day/Time: Sundays from 9 a.m.-Noon

Fee: \$189

Early Bird Registration Fee: \$169

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All the following courses are offered for ages 18 and older unless otherwise specified.

Intermediate Mandarin Chinese

Get comfortable speaking, reading and writing Chinese; you will learn more vocabulary and read and write more as well. **Prerequisite:** Fundamental Chinese II or equivalent level of Chinese language proficiency approved by the teacher/principal.

Dates: 08/16 - 12/13

Day/Time: Sundays from 9 a.m.-Noon

Fee: \$189

Early Bird Registration Fee: \$169

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Advanced Mandarin Chinese

Learn more advanced vocabulary; the emphasis will be on reading and writing Chinese. **Prerequisite:** Intermediate Chinese (vocabulary of around 1,000 words) or equivalent level of Chinese language proficiency approved by the teacher/principal.

Dates: 08/16 - 12/13

Day/Time: Sundays from 9 a.m.-Noon

Fee: \$189

Early Bird Registration Fee: \$169

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French

Intensive French Program for Beginners

Designed for students with no previous exposure to French, this course develops basic listening, speaking, reading, and writing skills at the novice-high level.

BG1

Dates: 09/08-10/08

Day/Time: Tu and Th from 6-8 p.m.

Fee: \$175

Early Bird Registration Fee: \$157.50

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BG2

Dates: 10/20-11/19

Day/Time: Tu and Th from 6-8 p.m.

Fee: \$175

Early Bird Registration Fee: \$157.50

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Intensive French Program for Intermediate

Refine French speaking, listening, reading and writing skills.

IM1

Dates: 09/09-10/07

Day/Time: M and W from 6-7:30 p.m.

Fee: \$175

Early Bird Registration Fee: \$157.50

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IM2

Dates: 10/19-11/18

Day/Time: M and W from 6-7:30 p.m.

Fee: \$175

Early Bird Registration Fee: \$157.50

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Japanese

Japanese for Beginners

Gain a level of understanding of basic Japanese language (60 Kanji, 400 vocabulary words = 118 classroom hours) and culture in this 6-level interactive course.

B2

Dates: 09/03-11/19

Day/Time: Tu and Th from 9-10:20 a.m.

Fee: \$179

Early Bird Registration Fee: \$161.10

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Portuguese

Portuguese for Beginners

Develop fluency through conversation practice under the guidance of a native speaker.

BG1

Dates: 09/19-11/21

Day/Time: Saturdays from 9-11 a.m.

Fee: \$165

Early Bird Registration Fee: \$148.50

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All the following courses are offered for ages 18 and older unless otherwise specified.

Sign Language

American Sign Language - Beginners

Learn the basic elements of sign language, and practice essential vocabulary and phrases in order to communicate properly using basic signs.

BG1

Dates: 09/19-11/21

Day/Time: Saturdays from 9-11 a.m.

Fee: \$140

Early Bird Registration Fee: \$126

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American Sign Language - Intermediate

Learn the alphabet, and practice essential vocabulary and phrases to communicate properly with basic signs.

IM1

Dates: 09/09-10/07

Day/Time: M and W from 6-8 p.m.

Fee: \$140

Early Bird Registration Fee: \$126

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IM2

Dates: 10/19-11/18

Day/Time: M and W from 6-8 p.m.

Fee: \$140

Early Bird Registration Fee: \$126

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Spanish

Intensive Spanish Program: Intro to Basics

Learn Spanish as a tool to receive and transmit information, emotions, experiences and opinions.

IBS1

Dates: 09/08-10/08

Day/Time: Tu and Th from 6-8 p.m.

Fee: \$175

Early Bird Registration Fee: \$157.50

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IBS2

Dates: 10/20-11/19

Day/Time: Tu and Th from 6-8 p.m.

Fee: \$175

Early Bird Registration Fee: \$157.50

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Intensive Spanish Program for Beginner to Intermediate

Learn basic, communicative Spanish grammar and vocabulary, as well as linguistic and cultural strategies to improve communication.

BIM1

Dates: 09/09-10/07

Day/Time: M and W from 6-8 p.m.

Fee: \$175

Early Bird Registration Fee: \$157.50

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BIM2

Dates: 10/19-11/18

Day/Time: M and W from 6 - 8 p.m.

Fee: \$175

Early Bird Registration Fee: \$157.50

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Intensive Spanish Program for Intermediate to Advanced

Increase your fluency and comprehension by integrating the use of complex language structures and improving your ability to express more abstract concepts.

INAD1

Dates: 09/19-11/21

Day/Time: Saturdays from 9-11 a.m.

Fee: \$175

Early Bird Registration Fee: \$157.50

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Live/Online Courses

All of the following courses are offered live/online for ages 18 and older.

Japanese

Japanese for Beginners: B3

Gain a level of understanding of basic Japanese (60 Kanji, 400 vocabulary words = 118 classroom hours). LIMITED SPACES AVAILABLE.

Dates: 09/03-11/17

Day/Time: Tu and Th from 8-9 p.m.

Fee: \$179

Early Bird Registration Fee: \$161.10

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Japanese for Low-Intermediate: IM3

Gain a level of understanding of basic Japanese (145 Kanji, 1,500 vocabulary words = 140 classroom hours). LIMITED SPACES AVAILABLE.

Dates: 09/02-11/18

Day/Time: M and W from 7-8 p.m.

Fee: \$179

Early Bird Registration Fee: \$161.10

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Japanese for High-Intermediate: IMH3

Gain a level of understanding of basic Japanese (240 Kanji, 1,500 vocabulary words = 140 classroom hours).

Recommended: Completion of all 4 levels of Japanese for Low-Intermediate and knowledge of hiragana, katakana and 145 kanji. LIMITED SPACES AVAILABLE.

Dates: 09/02-11/18

Day/Time: M and W from 8-9 p.m.

Fee: \$179

Early Bird Registration Fee: \$161.10

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Korean

Korean for Beginners

Develop a basic level of communication, vocabulary and grammar.

BG1

Dates: 09/08-10/08

Day/Time: Tu and Th from 6-8 p.m.

Fee: \$160

Early Bird Registration Fee: \$144

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BG2

Dates: 10/20-11/19

Day/Time: Tu and Th from 6-8 p.m.

Fee: \$160

Early Bird Registration Fee: \$144

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Online Courses

All of the following courses are offered for ages 16 and older unless otherwise indicated.

Pricing for the courses on this page is available on the course website; simply follow the "[CLICK HERE TO REGISTER](#)" link under each course description to get more information.

Note: Additional course dates may be available, please check the links for details.

French

Beginning Conversational French

Learn correct French pronunciation using a logical, systematic method.

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Start Date: November 18, 2026

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SELF-PACED*

Start Date: Anytime

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Italian

Instant Italian

Express yourself comfortably and communicate effectively in Italian in a wide variety of settings.

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Japanese

Conversational Japanese

Learn useful words and phrases for conversing as you master the essentials of the Japanese language.

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Sign Language

Discover Sign Language Series

A combination of Discover Sign Language Levels I and II. Learn how to sign basic phrases and complete sentences and how to put it all together, so you can introduce yourself and start a conversation. Also learn new vocabulary plus how to build phrases and sentences with vocabulary previously learned.

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Spanish

Spanish for Law Enforcement

Master basic Spanish to be more effective in handling law enforcement situations involving Spanish-speaking victims, witnesses or criminals.

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Spanish for Law Enforcement (Cont.)

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Spanish for Medical Professionals

Get the basic tools you need to bridge the communication gap with Spanish speaking patients.

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Spanish in the Classroom

Learn essential Spanish for teachers and bridge the communication gap with your Spanish-speaking students and parents.

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Speed Spanish

Learn Spanish quickly using six easy "recipes" that show you how to combine words and build sentences.

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Speed Spanish II

Become more conversational and comfortable in Spanish-speaking situations. Improve your Spanish fluency, vocabulary and pronunciation.

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Speed Spanish III

The final installment of a three-part Speed Spanish Learning Series; learn the final six recipes that will serve as templates to help you create any Spanish sentence you want.

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Speed Spanish Series

Learn Spanish quickly with the help of six easy recipes for gluing Spanish words together to form sentences with this three-part series.

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English Writing and Publishing

Grammar Refresher

Develop English grammar skills and take your writing and speaking to the next level.

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