



國立成功大學
National Cheng Kung University

**Chinese Language Center
College of Liberal Arts
National Cheng Kung University
Tainan, Taiwan**

**2018
Summer Intensive Chinese Program
(10 weeks)**

Since 1982, 35 years' experience.

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National Cheng Kung University¹

National Cheng Kung University located in Tainan, Taiwan, and ranked second among all the universities in Taiwan. National Cheng Kung University have more than 2000 international students including degree students, exchange students and Chinese learning students. National Cheng Kung University have the highest number of international students. National Cheng Kung University is one of Taiwan's top research-intensive universities and a leader in promoting industry-academia cooperation. With more than 1,200 faculty members, 22,000 students and 140,000 alumni worldwide, the university is best known for its science, engineering, medicine, management, planning and design.



Chinese Language Center²

In 1982, National Cheng Kung University established the Chinese Language Center, offering a complete Chinese language program to promote cross cultural understanding. Each year, more than 1,000 international students from over 50 countries study Mandarin Chinese at Chinese language center. Students are of all ages, ranging from early teens to retired seniors. In addition, Chinese Language Center ranked the second largest among all Chinese languages centers of national universities, provides various language and cultural immersion to visiting scholars and students of all ages and Chinese levels. All of our lecturers are qualified with The Ministry of Education's Certificate of Proficiency for Teaching Chinese as a Second/Foreign Language.

¹ <http://www.ncku.edu.tw>

² <http://kclc.ncku.edu.tw>

- In 2013, with 30% growth in student numbers since 2012 and number of students over 1,000, Chinese language center received additional funding by Ministry of Education, Taiwan.
- *In 2015, Chinese language center passed the 2015 nationwide Chinese language centers evaluation conducted by Ministry of Education and was awarded the A level recognition.*
- *In 2016, the United States Department of State cooperate with National Cheng Kung University to be its only partner in Taiwan to host The Chinese Language, Critical Language Scholarship Program.*



Living in Tainan³

- Reasonable living expense
One month living costs (exclude dormitory fee) in Tainan may range from 6,000-10,000 NTD \approx 193-322 USD⁴.
- Safe environment
Due to its low crime rate and general safety, Tainan is entitled one of Taiwan's most livable cities in 2012.
- Capital of culture & friendly people
Tainan is the historic and cultural capital of Taiwan. The warm, hospitable and easy-going Southern Taiwanese culture contrasts the region's dual identity as a major high-tech industrial hub.

³ <http://www.twtainan.net/en-us>

⁴ 1 USD \approx 31 NTD

Program

1. Important date

Duration: 10 weeks, 15 hours, a week.

Dates: June 25, 2018 to August 31, 2018 (Summer Session)

Application deadline: May 15, 2018

Application

- For individual

[http://kclc.ncku.edu.tw/langcenter/index.php?option=application
&lang=en](http://kclc.ncku.edu.tw/langcenter/index.php?option=application&lang=en)

- For study group

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2. Course design

Small Group Class

Elective Classes

Excursions

Language Exchange (on request)

Host Family (on request)

Placement Test

Certificate of completing the continuing education program

3. Course structure

- Small Group Classes
 - 2 hours per day, five days a week. There are 6 to 12 people in one class. Placement test scores determine student into one of nine levels ranging from beginners to advanced learners.
 - Professional and experienced teachers of Chinese Second Language.
 - Textbook: Practical Audio-Visual Chinese.
 - Hanyu pinyin Romanization and traditional characters are used as the principal written codes of instruction.
- Elective Classes
 - 3 sessions per week, 1 or 2 hours per session.
 - Elective classes are offered in language subjects, including writing, plays, essays, Chinese songs, novels, selected Chinese literature reading, news reading, and business Chinese, etc.
 - Elective cultural classes, including calligraphy, Chinese painting, and Tai-Chi.
- Excursions
 - One-day trip, ex. Tainan historical site tour.
- Language Exchange (on request)
 - 2 hours a day, 2 days per week, one-on-one language exchange with National Cheng Kung University students.

- Host Family (on request)
Stay with local Taiwanese families for a weekend.

4. Assessment

- Final Grade = Class Work 70% + Final Exam 30%
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 - Weekly test 20%
 - Homework 20%
 - Class participation 20%
 - Attendance 10%
- Final Examination 30%: Including oral test, reading test and writing test.
- Students will be awarded certificate of completing the continuing education program and a transcript when the class finishes.

5. Extracurricular Activities

- Student orientation & teacher-student tea party.
- Sports facilities on campus: volleyball, basketball, badminton, table tennis, running, softball, baseball, football, swim, tennis, gym.
- Language competition activities: guessing words, singing competition, etc.

Detailed Fee Structure

All tuition and fees are payable in New Taiwanese Dollars only. For the purposes of this brochure we are using the current (at time of printing) exchange rate of roughly USD:NTD \approx 1:31. As exchange rates are subject to change, please double-check the rate before making payment.

Tuition Fees			
10 weeks (15hours, a week)	Tuition	Admission Fee	Total payment
Small Group Class	28,300 NTD \approx 913 USD	1,000 NTD \approx 32 USD	29,300 NTD \approx 945 USD
Individual Class	51,000 NTD \approx 1,645 USD	1,000 NTD \approx 32 USD	52,000 NTD \approx 1,677 USD

*FREE: Host Family Weekend (on request), Language Partner (on request),
Excursions

Other Fees

- Required Textbook is extra, cost about 900 NTD \approx 29 USD.
- Library Card (optional): 100 NTD \approx 3 USD (for use of one month).
- Gym card (optional): 300 NTD \approx 10 USD (for use of 10 times).
- Chinese language center does not provide meals for students. Food can be

found easily and cheaply around campus. For each meal, students should allow a minimum of about 60 NTD \approx 2 USD.

1. Accommodation

A. On campus⁵

		10 weeks: 10,700 NTD \approx 334 USD
General Room	Rent	10 weeks: 9,100 NTD \approx 293 USD One night: 130 NTD \approx 4.1 USD
	Basic Bedding	1,200 NTD \approx 38 USD (Including mattress, pillow and quilt.)
	Internet Connection Charges ⁶ (No Wi-Fi)	200 NTD \approx 6.3 USD
	Security card	200 NTD \approx 6 USD
	Deposit	300 NTD \approx 10 USD
	Electricity fee	3.8 NTD \approx 0.12 USD (per kilowatt-hour)

- General room facilities: 3/4 single beds and shared bathroom, 3-4 desks, 3-4 chairs, 3-4 wardrobes. Air-conditioning installed. Internet and phone lines installed in rooms.
- Public facilities: Common room (with TV, Payphones), drinks machine, washing machine and dryer.
- If your room is in good condition when you check out, the deposit is refundable.
- Cooking is not allowed inside the rooms.
- Male dormitory website
 - [Kuang-Fu Student Dormitory 1](#)
 - [Kuang-Fu Student Dormitory 2](#)
- Female dormitory website
 - [Sheng-Li Student Dormitory 2](#)
 - [Sheng-Li Student Dormitory 8](#)
 - [Sheng-Li Student Dormitory 9](#)

B. Off campus

Single Room	Rent	6,700 NTD \approx 216 USD (per month)
	Basic bedding	1,200 NTD \approx 38 USD
	Electricity card	500 NTD \approx \$16 USD

- Facilities: A bed, a bathroom, a desk, a chair, a wardrobe, a fridge and TV.
- Internet connection is available in rooms and it is free of charge. Bring your own

⁵ There is a limited number of rooms in on-campus accommodation. We cannot guarantee you a room. Students will be informed the outcome of application, 15 days before the class starts.

⁶ Internet connection is available in rooms. Bring your own computer.

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- For more information of the facilities for the dorms, please visit off-campus housing website as follows: [NCKU Prince House](#), [Academic Gardens 1](#), [Academic Gardens 2](#).
- The dorms are each 15-minute walk distance from Chinese Language Center.

2. Transportation

Pick-up

■ Pick up at Tainan: Free of charge

Drop-off

■ Pick up at Kaohsiung: 1,300 NTD \doteq 42 USD (one way)

Service

Public

Transportation

A. Taiwan High Speed Rail (HSR)⁷

Taoyuan International Airport-Tainan (approx. 3 hours)

Total: 2,490 NTD \doteq 80 USD (Round trip)

Shuttle bus from Airport to HSR station (one-way)

30 NTD \doteq 0.96 USD

HSR from Taoyuan to Tainan (one-way)

1,190 NTD \doteq 38 USD

Shuttle train from HSR Tainan station to Tainan City (one-way)

25 NTD \doteq 0.80 USD

B. Bus

Taoyuan International Airport-Tainan (approx. 5 hours)

1,200 NTD \doteq 39 USD (Round trip)

C. Coach

Kaohsiung International Airport-Tainan (approx. 1 hours)

800 NTD \doteq 25 USD (Round trip)

Visas

- Students from foreign nationals eligible for visa-exempt entry, are able to coming and going within 10 weeks and have a permanent passport with more than 6 months' validity remaining, they do NOT need to apply for a visa. Students from foreign nationals eligible for visa-exempt entry will be granted a 90-day visa-exempt entry at the airport upon arrival in Taiwan.⁸

⁷ The last train to Tainan from Taoyuan HSR Station leaves at 22:35. Groups arriving into Taipei-Taoyuan airport by 20:30 will be able to travel by HSR.

⁸ Foreign nationals eligible for visa-exempt entry, please visit Ministry of Foreign Affairs:

- If you staying in Taiwan more than your visa expiration date, you need to apply for a Taiwanese visa. Students may use Admission Letter to apply for Taiwanese visa.
- We strongly recommend that you visit the Bureau of Consular Affairs⁹, Ministry of Foreign Affairs website to review any special circumstances that might apply to you.

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*Multicultural students,
over 50 nationalities.*



*Qualified teachers,
acknowledged by
Ministry of Education,
Taiwan.*



FREE cultural classes
Calligraphy
Chinese painting
Tai-Chi

*Free Language Partner
1 on 1 language exchange
with NCKU students.*



*FREE Host Family Weekend
Interact with local Taiwanese.*



*FREE Cultural Excursions
Discover real Taiwan by
yourself.*

