

This class is designed to get the heritage students familiar with the AP Chinese course. It is a step-stone class for students who are interested in taking AP Chinese class at the high school. The class follows the principles of the AP Chinese course model. This class also prepares students to demonstrate their level of Chinese proficiency across the three communicative modes (Interpersonal, Interpretive, and Presentational) and the five goal areas (Communication, Cultures, Connections, Comparisons, and Communities) as outlined in the Standards for Foreign Language Learning in the 21st Century. This class focuses on language proficiency with embedded culture knowledge and provides frequent formative assessments throughout the year.

Pre-AP 中文课是针对即将上高中的学生和准备选修 AP 中文课的学生设立的。其目的在于帮助学生做好在高中选修 AP 中文的准备。这个课将使学生把所学过的中文语言和文化知识更好地运用在实际生活中；并且熟悉美国大学理事会 AP 考试的要求和格式。希林西北中文学校将使用目前最好的教材，参考资料和测试方式，注重对学生听说读写综合能力的培养、训练和提高，使学生能全方位增加自信，增加对中国语言及中国文化的了解，保持浓厚的学习兴趣。