



FCCCI Chinese School
堪培拉华联社中文学校

FCCCI Chinese After School Program News

Term 4 2018

for our community, for our children, by our volunteers

In Garran Primary School, the Monday class taught by Ms Meng Zhu has been a continuing success. All students have conscientiously completed Chapter Two of the popular textbook, *Maliping Chinese*, and are eager and more than prepared to move on to Chapter Three. The distinctive and exciting progress made by the students can be seen throughout their classes, when they recite the text, spell and read all the characters learnt and write out the characters from memory. It is encouraging and inspiring for the parents to see their children grow and improve at this rapid pace, and for this reason, Meng has acquired praise and positive remarks from all the parents.

Miss Joanna Li led the Monday class to learn the basic daily dialogue and communication. She incorporated many fresh elements, such as dance, painting, and speech, to make students feel the charm of Chinese traditional culture. Every student has enjoyed it and performed well. Joanna also dressed the children in traditional Chinese clothes so that every child can experience the traditional Chinese culture. How lovely to see that students showed a fabulous collaborative work in the classroom activities! More importantly, all the students were impressed by Joanna's rich and creative way of teaching.

In the Friday class Ms Winne Liu has seen so much progress made by students. Apart from general knowledge learning, including learning how to communicate about time, seasons, transport, animals, colours and meals in Chinese, they also acquired extended knowledge about Chinese zodiacs, learnt two Chinese ancient poems and one popular kid's rhythm. Students also showed particular care and strong support to each other when one of the class felt challenge and frustration during learning. In the end, they also had good performance in the end of term review tests and put together a mini play to showcase the ancient Chinese rhythm.

Big congratulation to all students who attend Aranda & St. Vincent afterschool Chinese Classes on Monday, Tuesday and Friday. It is a very productive year and students have shown great improvement in their Chinese studies. In this term, Ms Emma Yu, has

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tailored the lessons to a more interest-driven curriculum and focused on combining all the knowledge that we have learnt throughout the year into a new context, thereby giving the students the opportunity to review their progress and to consolidate their knowledge. We are so glad to see that students show great confidence and interest to Chinese learning. Both students and parents all recognised that Emma's teaching strategies are so engaging and effective.

Ms Zou has taught the students of Wednesday class since the beginning of the year. By the end of term 4, they have completed the first eight lessons of *YCT Standard Course 2*. Tina has been amazed by the great efforts her students put in. They always would like to share their new learning experiences with teacher. They sometimes made some tiny flashcards to memorise difficult words, which has become their new learning skills. Even the teacher was inspired to make sophisticated flashcards for them. It's great to see that Tina has developed good rapport with her students, which will encourage students to continue their learning.

We are so proud to witness that every student who has made efforts to work to the end of the term has received their "Community Languages Certificate of Achievement 2018". We would like to thank all the great support from everyone involved in this learning journey throughout the year.

Changes in 2019

Next year we aim to bring Chinese culture to language study and enhance the students' learning motivation. Therefore, we plan to include a Chinese dance course or kung fu course in Chinese classes at Garran Primary School. Unfortunately, the Monday Class at St. Vincent's Primary School is no longer available, and families can still pick classes on Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday.

The entire FCCCI Afters team would like to wish you and your family a happy and safe holiday season and we look forward to seeing your children again next year!

FCCCI Afters Team



Timetables:

Pick up kids at 3:00pm.

Class Hours: 3:30pm - 5:30pm

	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
Aranda & St Vincent's Primary School		★	★		★
Garran Primary School	★				★

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※ If you have any further questions or wish to enrol your child, please email us.

