

EDMONTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS

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TO: Board of Trustees  
FROM: A. McBeath, Superintendent of Schools  
SUBJECT: Curriculum Addition - Chinese Mandarin Language and Culture 15/25/35  
ORIGINATOR: M. de Man, Department Head

RESOURCE

STAFF: Jutta McAdam, Jianyi Li-Mitra, Elaine Roberts, Haijun Shao, Stuart Wachowicz, Jan Witwicky, Mianmian Xie, Iris Xu

RECOMMENDATION

That the locally developed course **Chinese Mandarin Language and Culture 15/25/35** be approved for use in the district

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In a continuing effort to meet the needs of students, the Chinese Mandarin Language and Culture 15/25/35 curriculum has been created. The document was developed based on the Western Canadian Protocol for Collaboration in Basic Education, Common Curriculum Framework for International Languages, 3-Year Program Framework (10, 20, 30).

The document was developed collaboratively by Jianyi Li-Mitra, Ross Sheppard School, Haijun Shao, M.E. LaZerte School, Iris Xu, Queen Elizabeth School, Mianmian Xie, Ottewell School, Jutta McAdam, Consultant, Consulting Services, and Stuart Wachowicz, Director, Curriculum, Programs, Planning. This curriculum replaces the previous locally developed course, Mandarin 15/25/35 (1989).

A copy of the course is available for viewing in the Trustees' Reading Room.

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