



The Perth Beijing Junior School (in association with Perth Beijing School)

## **The PBJS Chinese Language Enrichment Program**

### **for Chinese language as second language students at all WA schools (2024)**

#### Level 1 (2 years)

36-40 lessons per year, eligible for participation upon teacher assessment

Mastering around 150 new Chinese characters annually, completing the 1st-year Chinese course

#### Level 2 (2 years)

36-40 lessons per year, mastering approximately 250 new Chinese characters annually, gradually increasing reading volume, completing the 2nd-3rd-year Chinese course.

#### Level 3 (2 years)

54-60 lessons per year, focusing on standardized handwriting, independent character recognition

Mastering around 300 new Chinese characters annually, recognising over 1000 characters, completing the 4th-5th-year Chinese course

#### Level 4 (3 years)

54-60 lessons per year

Mastering approximately 350 new Chinese characters annually, recognising over 2000 characters, and undertaking the 6th-8th-year Chinese course. Appreciating the beauty of the Chinese language.

#### Assessment:

Level 1 includes homework which should be attempted to complete.

Level 2 includes homework, which must be completed; failure to do so for an extended period will impede class promotion.

Level 3 includes homework and in-class quizzes; prolonged failure to complete homework will prevent promotion.

Level 4 includes homework and in-class quizzes.

\*This program is suitable for students in Australian primary schools who are learning Chinese as a second language.