

Dual Language Immersion Continuum: Mandarin Chandler Unified School District

Pre-Kindergarten

Dual Language Exploration

Students will receive instruction in English Language Arts, Math and Science along with exposure to Mandarin Chinese through songs, rhymes, stories, and art.

Grades K-2

Dual Language Immersion

50/50 Model

Students will receive daily instruction in both English and Mandarin Chinese.

Grades 3-6

Dual Language Immersion

50/50 Model

Students will receive daily instruction in both English and Mandarin Chinese.

*Assess progress using STAMP SE

Sixth Grade Year-End Proficiency Targets

Reading: Intermediate Low

Writing: Intermediate Low

Listening: Intermediate Mid

Speaking: Intermediate Mid

Grades 7-8

Dual Language Immersion

70/30 Model

7th Grade

- Mandarin Chinese Language Course - Level III Part A
- Social Studies Course in Mandarin Chinese

8th Grade

- Mandarin Chinese Language Course - Level III Part B
- Social Studies Course in Mandarin Chinese

*Assess progress using STAMP S

Eighth Grade Year-End Proficiency Targets

Reading: Intermediate Mid

Writing: Intermediate Mid

Listening: Intermediate High

Speaking: Intermediate Mid

*Participation in DLI programming K-8

Participation in DLI programming K-8 will prepare the student for enrollment in upper-level language courses in High School.

STAMP data will be utilized to recommend course level. Course offerings could include:

- CHI305 Honors Mandarin Chinese 3
- CHI405 AP Chinese Language and Culture—Year 4
- CHI425 AP Chinese Language and Culture—Year 5
- CHI435 AP Chinese Language and Culture—Year 6