

Mandarin Language and Cultural Center

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1) *School Activities*

1. *Spring Break: 4/15*

2. *Hundred Phrase Evaluation 4/22, 4/29, 5/6*

On 3/4, your child's teacher will announce the Hundred Phrase Evaluation test dates on your child's homework cover page. Testing will occur over a span of three weeks: 4/22, 4/29, and 5/6. Please assist your child in reviewing his or her phrases regularly.

3. *Teacher's Assistant for CFL Classroom Training on 3/24, 3/25, and 3/31,4/1*

All applicants are required to attend three training sessions. For Milpitas students, the first session is 3/18 at 2:30pm in the San Jose office, and 3/25 and 4/1, from 9:05~11:40AM in Saratoga High School. For Saratoga students, the first session is 3/18 at 11:40am in Saratoga High School room 505, and 3/24 & 3/31, from 6:35~9:10PM at Milpitas High School.

4. *CFL (Chinese as a Foreign Language) Open House 3/31 in Milpitas, 4/1 in Saratoga*

The CFL program is specialized for students whose families do not speak Mandarin at home. Please join us for our Open House on 4/1 at 9:30am in the office, and pass the information to family and friends who may be interested.

5. *Book Sale to be held on 4/22*

Please consider donating children's books that your child no longer needs or books you no longer use to our school's fundraiser. We welcome your contributions! Please bring your book donations to the office on 4/22 at 9:15am. Thank you.

2) *2017-2018 Student Registration*

1. For continuing students and their siblings, please turn in your registration forms on 3/11. Please note that no space will be reserved for continuing students or their siblings after 3/18. The registration form was sent home on 3/4 with your child's homework. You may also download the registration form from our website at <http://www.mandarinschool.org>.

2. New student registration will begin on 3/31. Students not currently attending MLCC or those who wish to transfer will be able to obtain a registration form from the office or online at <http://www.mandarinschool.org>.

3) *MLCC Academic Activities*

1. Mock SAT II Chinese Test is on Saturday, 3/4 from 11:40AM~1:10PM in Room 001&002. For those who have registered for the test, please arrive promptly to the test room.

4) *Parking on Campus*

The school has been notified by the Saratoga police that there is no parking or student drop-off allowed in the rear parking lot. The reason for this change is that heavy traffic will block the entrance for fire trucks in case of an emergency. We ask parents to please pick up and drop off your student in the front of the school.

5) *Northern California Chinese School Academic Contest*

- a) The competition will be held on Sunday, 3/26 at 1:30pm at Jane Lathrop Stanford School in Palo Alto.
- b) School preliminaries were completed in January. 22 finalists from our school will be competing in the various academics fields.

6) *Next Newsletter to Come 4/6*