



College of the Holy Cross STARTALK Master Teacher Program: Read On: Teaching Reading Literacy in Chinese

Call for Participants
Application Deadline **April 25**

10-day residential program **July 21 – August 1, 2016**



- Eligibility:** Early career teachers of Chinese as a foreign language (CFL) at the middle school, high school, or college level, or teachers in Chinese immersion programs in grades 3-8. Applicants must be US citizens or legal residents, with at least **2 years** of full-time experience teaching Chinese as a foreign language in American classrooms. Teachers in grades 3-5 must be teaching in Chinese immersion programs.
- Goals:** To develop level-appropriate web-based materials incorporating strategies to enhance character literacy for CFL learners in grades 3 through college.
- Professional Development:** Seminars with national leaders in the field of CFL learning and literacy development. Collaboration with CFL instructors from across the US to address reading comprehension and articulation of instruction across grade levels.
- Time/Place:** 10-day residential Program, July 22-July 31, 2016 (Arrive 7/21, Depart 8/1)
College of the Holy Cross, Worcester MA. Participants will be 'on-task' for 10 hours/day for a total of 90 hours and in addition will engage in several pre-program Skype meetings with their grade level team members.
- Support:** Full support for travel, meals (including daily dinners at area restaurants), and single occupancy accommodation in air-conditioned apartment-style dormitories. *We cannot accommodate family members or companions.*
- Application:** Apply at: <https://goo.gl/PGSIIda>

Application materials include:

- Curriculum Vitae (resume), including current school and teaching experience.
- Cover Letter explaining your interest in a program on literacy.
- PDF of sample classroom material

(Please note: You will be asked to upload your resume (CV) on the first page of the application website. Once you complete the first page and press 'apply' you will be directed to a page that will ask you to upload additional documents. Please upload your cover letter and PDF of teaching materials on that page.)

Application deadline is **April 25**. Notification: May 10.

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