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general level	beginner				intermediate				advanced								
new HSK level	HSK 1		HSK 2		HSK 3		HSK 4		HSK 5	HSK 6	HSK 7-9						
That's Mandarin level	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9-12	13-16**	CUSTOM						
# of lessons	16	16	16	16	16	16	16	16	CUSTOM	CUSTOM	CUSTOM						
vocabulary count (new words)	500+	500+	500+	500+	1200+				1000+	1000+	5600+						
level summary	Learn to have basic conversations in Chinese - introduce yourself - talk about family - make new friends - order food in a restaurant - take a taxi - ask for directions - shop for clothes - buy food and drinks - make arrangements - talk about the past, present and future	Learn to express yourself in daily conversations: - use payment apps, taxi apps - order food online - make a reservation - buy movie tickets - buy flowers - invite friends for dinner - discuss hobbies, work, daily routine - deal with getting sick - buy train tickets - book a hotel room	Expand your knowledge: - express your feelings and thoughts - talk to a cleaning lady - talk to a real estate agent - rent an apartment - negotiate with the landlord - fix broken things - celebrate CNY in a Chinese family - discuss sports	Use Chinese in more advanced daily-life situations: - express your feelings and thoughts - talk to a doctor - discuss your health & well-being - solve pet-related problems - discuss modern issues (society, marriage & divorce, children, education, etc.) - attend a job interview - negotiate with your boss and colleagues - complete job-related tasks	Expand your knowledge: - visit a doctor - discuss your health & well-being - solve pet-related problems - discuss modern issues (society, marriage & divorce, children, education, etc.) - attend a job interview - negotiate with your boss and colleagues - complete job-related tasks	Expand your knowledge: - write e-mails - read and retell simple news and reports in Chinese	Expand your knowledge: - gain a deeper understanding of the Chinese culture - talk about history and music - compare and discuss cultural differences - learn to understand the content in Chinese news or TV dramas	Expand your knowledge: - pick up advanced vocabulary - discuss natural phenomena - discuss modern issues (global problems, environment, technology, entertainment)	Expand your knowledge: - master the words, phrases and grammar necessary to discuss economic and social news in Chinese (real estate, urbanization, poverty, retirement) - hold extensive conversations with native Chinese speakers on various topics	Learn the vocabulary and grammar necessary to pass the new HSK 5 test: - read Chinese articles & books - make speeches - write academic papers - fluently communicate in spoken Chinese	Custom materials selected to help you prepare for the new HSK 6 test - fluently communicate in spoken and written Chinese - comfortably use Chinese idioms	Custom materials selected to help you prepare for the new HSK 7-9 test - use Chinese for professional and academic purposes					
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<small>** Levels 13-16 are currently updated.</small>																	
<small>*1 class = 45 minutes</small>																	