

## Community Language School Class Schedule Spring 2014

| Class Name  | Day/Time   | Description  | About Your Teacher   |
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| <p><b>Spanish for Educators</b></p> <p><i>This course will include information from the following textbook, available online:</i></p> <p><b><i>Spanish for Educators [Paperback]</i></b></p> <p><b>M.S. William C. Harvey (Author)</b></p> <p><b>Publication Date: Dec. 1, 2006</b></p> <p><b>ISBN-10: 0764135511</b></p> | <p><b>Mondays (5:00-6:30PM)</b></p> <p><b>10-Week Course</b></p> <p><b>UCA, Irby 208</b></p> | <p>Are you an educator and have always wanted to learn Spanish to help you in the classroom? Participants of this course will have the opportunity to learn key phrases and basic vocabulary for use during the regular school day and in the community.</p> <p><i>Upon completion of this course, participants receive 15 hours of Arkansas Department of Education Professional Development Hours.</i></p> | <p><b>Instructor:</b></p> <p><b>James Bacon</b></p> <p><i>My name is James Bacon and I will be your teacher for "Spanish for educators" this year. I have a BA in Spanish from the University of Arkansas, and have taught Spanish at the 9-12 level in Arkansas public high schools for 7 years. Currently I am working on a MA in Spanish here at UCA. I look forward to teaching you how to better communicate with Hispanic students and parents in your school and community.</i></p> |
| <p><b>Basic Korean</b></p>  | <p><b>Fridays (5:30-7:00PM)</b></p> <p><b>10-Week Course</b></p> <p><b>UCA, Irby 208</b></p> | <p>Do you like Korean food? Are you interested in Korean Culture or planning a trip to Korea? This is a good opportunity to learn the Korean language and explore the culture. This class will focus on Korean culture and basic conversations. Please join us and have fun!</p>   | <p><b>Instructor:</b></p> <p><b>Kiran Kim</b></p> <p><i>Ms. Kim is a UCA student and a native-speaker of Korean. She has been teaching Korean for several years and enjoys sharing her heritage and knowledge of Korean culture. She is excited about exploring the Korean language and culture with Arkansas learners.</i></p>  |

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| <p><b>Conversational French</b></p> <p><i>Required Materials:<br/>Living Language French,<br/>Complete Edition: Beginner<br/>through advanced course,<br/>including 3 coursebooks, 9<br/>audio CDs, and free online<br/>learning" (Nov. 23, 2010)</i></p> | <p><b>Tuesdays (5:30-7:00PM)</b><br/>10-Week Course<br/>UCA, Irby 204</p> | <p>Parlez-vous français? Book your trip to the French-speaking world with this class designed to introduce you to expressions for cuisine, conversation, and culture. Amusez-vous bien (Have fun) while learning to introduce yourself, ask questions, read menus, make travel arrangements and so much more. Rendez-vous with us as we depart for the Francophone universe with the French language as our passport.</p> | <p><b>Instructor:</b><br/><b>Dustin Ray</b><br/><i>Dustin Ray is an undergraduate student at UCA. As a Spanish major with a French minor, he enjoys sharing about his experiences with different world languages and cultures. He is excited about sharing his knowledge of French culture and the French language with people who are interested in traveling the francophone world.</i></p> |
| <p><b>Intermediate Korean</b></p>   | <p><b>Mondays (6:00-7:30PM)</b><br/>10-Week Course<br/>UCA, Irby 203</p>  | <p>Do you like Korean food? Are you interested in Korean Culture or planning a trip to Korea? This is a good opportunity to learn the Korean language and explore the culture. This class will focus on Korean culture and basic conversations. Please join us and have fun! Students in this class should have successfully complete Basic Korean.</p>   | <p><b>Instructor:</b><br/><b>Kiran Kim</b><br/><i>Ms. Kim is a UCA student and a native-speaker of Korean. She has been teaching Korean for several years and enjoys sharing her heritage and knowledge of Korean culture. She is excited about exploring the Korean language and culture with Arkansas learners.</i></p>   |

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| <p><b>Intermediate Japanese</b></p> <p><i>This course is a continuation class and requires purchase of the following textbook, available on-line: <b>Japanese for Busy People II: Revised 3rd Edition 1 CD attached [Paperback], Kodansha USA; 3 edition (November 11, 2011), ISBN# 1568363869.</b></i></p> | <p><b>Wednesdays</b><br/>(6:00-8:00PM, 4 classes)<br/>(6:00-7:45PM, 4 classes)<br/>8-Week Course<br/>UCA, Irby 208</p> | <p>If you already know hiragana, katakana, some kanji, &amp; basic communication in Japanese, this class is for you. It's time to learn more kanji characters &amp; practice conversational skills. You will also study more vocabulary and new expressions in this class. Come learn the language of anime and manga, and improve your speaking skills.</p> | <p><b>Instructor:</b><br/>Izumi Liss<br/><i>Izumi Liss is a native of Japan and has been teaching Japanese for several years. Although Izumi's bachelor's degree from UALR is in Computer Science, she is a life-long language learner herself and enjoys sharing her country's rich and ancient culture with students</i></p>  |
| <p><b>Conversational Spanish</b></p>  | <p><b>Tuesdays</b><br/>(5:30-7:00PM)<br/>10-Week Course<br/>UCA, Irby 203</p>  | <p>This is a fun and interactive class that is focused on the ability to use Spanish while traveling. The class is designed around common situations that travelers experience in Spanish- speaking countries, such as in airports, hotels and around cities. Vocabulary, grammar and pronunciation will also center on these areas.</p>                     | <p><b>Instructor:</b><br/>Daryl Spurlock<br/><i>Daryl Spurlock has lived, traveled, studied, and worked across Latin America. He holds an M.A. from the University of New Mexico, where he graduated with distinction in the fields of Spanish linguistics and Latin American literature. He looks forward to helping his students learn languages in a fun and energetic atmosphere.</i></p> |

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| <p><b>Spanish for Children</b></p>                     | <p><b>Tuesdays (4:00-5:00PM)</b><br/> <b>10-Week Course</b><br/> <b>UCA, Irby 203</b></p> | <p>This is a beginners-level Spanish class designed especially for kids! There will be fun and interactive lessons that will help your child retain a basic knowledge of popular Spanish vocabulary words and phrases.</p>  | <p><b>Instructor:</b><br/> <b>Daryl Spurlock</b><br/> <i>...has taught CLS Spanish classes for children since the program was founded. He designs activities that incorporate games, humor, movement, and storytelling so that kids have fun as they learn the language. In addition to CLS classes, Daryl teaches in UCA's Spanish and English language programs.</i></p> |
| <p><b>Children's Chinese for Heritage Speakers</b></p> | <p><b>Mondays (4:00-5:00PM)</b><br/> <b>Confucius Institute</b></p>                       | <p><i>Language learning is a natural process when children are young. This UCA Confucius Institute Chinese class for Children, designed especially for heritage speakers, will teach students the basics of Chinese language and culture including pinyin and characters with an emphasis on widely used phrases, high frequency words, common expressions, and calligraphy, paper-cutting, Taichi and Chinese songs. The class will be fun</i></p> | <p><b>Instructor:</b><br/> <b>Wei Wei</b><br/> <i>Wei Wei is a Chinese instructor at UCA and a heritage speaker of Chinese, with many years' experience teaching both adults and children. She looks forward to teaching this class and works hard to make it fun and interesting for your child!</i></p>  |

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| <p><b>Chinese for Non-Heritage Speakers</b></p> | <p><b>Tuesdays (4:00-5:00PM)</b><br/>Confucius Institute</p>     | <p><i>Language learning is a natural process when children are young. This UCA Confucius Institute Chinese class for Children will teach students the basics of Chinese language and culture including pinyin and characters with an emphasis on widely used phrases, high frequency words, common expressions, and calligraphy, paper-cutting, Taichi and Chinese songs. The class will be fun!</i></p> | <p><b>Instructor:</b><br/><b>Wei Wei</b><br/><i>Wei Wei is a Chinese instructor at UCA and a heritage speaker of Chinese, with many years' experience teaching both adults and children. She looks forward to teaching this class and works hard to make it fun and interesting for your child!</i></p>   |
| <p><b>Conversational Spanish</b></p>            | <p><b>Thursdays (5:30-7:00PM)</b><br/><b>CALS (Maumelle)</b></p> | <p>This is a fun and interactive class that is focused on the ability to use Spanish while traveling. The class is designed around common situations that travelers experience in Spanish- speaking countries, such as in airports, hotels and around cities. Vocabulary, grammar and pronunciation will also center on these areas.</p>   | <p><b>Instructor:</b><br/><b>Rachel Sims</b><br/><i>Rachel Sims graduated with a BA in Spanish from UCA and will graduate Spring 2014 with an MA in Spanish. She has traveled to Costa Rica and has years of experience teaching Spanish to both adults and children, and looks forward to making this course interactive, productive, and fun!</i></p> |

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| <p><b>Intermediate Italian</b></p> <p><i>Required Materials:<br/>Living Language Italian,<br/>Complete Edition: Beginner<br/>through advanced course,<br/>including 3 coursebooks, 9<br/>audio CDs, and free online<br/>learning (August 9, 2011)</i></p> | <p><b>Wednesdays</b><br/>(6:00-7:30PM)<br/><b>CALS (Maumelle)</b></p> | <p>You may have lots of reasons to want to learn to speak Italian: for business, a vacation, or just to broaden your cultural horizons. It's a wonderful experience and opens up a whole new world to you. In this intermediate-level class you will learn common phrases and idioms used by every Italians. You will also learn about food and traditions. Then you will be ready for a wonderful adventure in the Boot-Shaped Country in the Old Continent!</p> | <p><b>Instructor:</b><br/><b>Michela Palmieri</b></p> <p><i>Michela Palmieri was born and raised in Italy. She moved to the US in 2001 to work as Research Assistant at UAMS where she still enjoys doing research. Michela has a degree in Chemistry and Biology from Italy and a Medical Interpreter Certification from UAMS. She loves to cook authentic Italian food for family and friends and enjoys sharing her knowledge of the "Bel Paese" and the Italian language.</i></p> |
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