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* Chinese language classes offered at multiple levels, with no previous experience required
* Chinese culture class with guest lectures and field trips
* Opportunities to practice speaking with Chinese student conversation partners
* Faculty leader with experience living in Beijing and teaching at Capital Normal University
* Weekend excursions to the Forbidden City, Great Wall and more
* 12 quarter credits/8 semester credits granted
* Affordable program price

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Information and applications can be found here. The program is open to students, staff and faculty. You may also contact Katie McCarthy (mccarthk@cwu.edu) or Louis Meng (mengl@cwu.edu) to learn more.

2006 Summer Intensive Chinese Language & Culture Study Program in China, Taipei Language Institute (TLI)

Taipei Language Institute (TLI) has been a pioneer in Chinese language education since its founding in 1956 and has expanded its locations from Taiwan to mainland China and Japan, as well as in the United States. For over half a century, TLI has provided Chinese language education to foreign students from five continents. More than 100,000 students have completed its courses to date and have become bilingual experts in the fields of business and politics. In celebration of TLI’s 50th Anniversary, and in collaboration with the University of International Business and Economics (UIBE) and the Chung Shan Institute of International Studies (CSI-TLI Group), we are co-hosting the 2006 Summer Intensive Chinese Language & Culture Study Program in China. This is a six-weeks long program combining learning, travel and fun at the University of International Business and Economics. This mission is to improve Chinese language skills and cultural awareness among youths and to provide them a fun atmosphere to help them learn. Located in the heart of Beijing the study tour will begin from July 1st to August 5th. Seating will be limited, and registration has already begun. For enrollment and eligibility information, please visit our website at www.csitli.com. (by Marvin Ho and Gloria Chu)