

HSK textbooks

- structured
- easy to follow
- can be done on your own as some teachers just go through the material rather than explain anything
- new textbooks for HSK 7-9 still haven't been released

DuChinese for reading practice

- free version is good, I pay for Pro (\$19 CAD/mth)

HSKreading.com for reading and listening practice

- listen and write down what I hear

iTalki for conversation partners (NOT language exchange partners)

- cheap/affordable
- length of class
- package deals (5 or 10 classes)
- scheduling

HelloTalk / Tandem

- good for language fluency, not accuracy
- need to be careful what you share
- all skills can be practiced (speaking, listening, reading, writing)

MDBG dictionary (it's what Pleco is based on)

- great for learning how Chinese characters are deconstructed

Chinese grammar wiki (AllSet Learning)

- Great for explanations up to HSK 4
- Links to <https://www.chinese-forums.com>

Chinesepod (a lot of people recommend, I've never used)

AnkiWeb / AnkiDroid (both free, iPhone version costs \$\$\$)

- flashcards... you'll need these.