FAMILY & CAREGIVER HIGHLIGHTS 2025-26 MANDARIN





District 67's vision of "Educating Without Boundaries" is supported through the study of the Mandarin language and culture offered to students at Cherokee Elementary School.

The Mandarin program is designed with an emphasis on developing proficiency levels within the language while enhancing their learning

in Social Studies through the study of Chinese culture.

SECOND GRADE

• Students will learn to tell what they want to eat or drink. They will also learn to talk about their favorite animals and sports. They will understand when someone talks about their preference for foods, sports, and animals. They will be able to ask and answer the question "What are you doing?" They will learn to identify foods on a menu.

THIRD GRADE

Students will learn to talk about three meals, their friends, and different cities and countries. They
will explore endangered species in China, and tell the causes for species to be endangered. They
will be able to order meals, identify activities on a daily schedule, and recognize words of countries
on a world map.

FOURTH GRADE

Students will learn to talk about their weekly schedules. They will also learn to compare the U.S. and Chinese foods and compare different animals. They will be able to talk about a place they would like to travel to and tell the reasons. They will be able to identify activities on a weekly schedule and understand when people talk about traveling.

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