

# Unit #3: Asking Directions

Content Area: **World Language**  
Course(s): **Chinese 3H**  
Time Period: **Semester 1 & 2**  
Length: **8 weeks**  
Status: **Published**

## Standards

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FL.IM.7.1.IM.IPERS.1	Engage in conversations about personal experiences or events, topics studied in other content areas, and some unfamiliar topics and situations.
FL.IM.7.1.IM.IPERS.2	Interact with others to meet personal needs in a variety of familiar situations, creating sentences and series of sentences, and asking follow-up questions.
FL.IM.7.1.IM.IPERS.3	Exchange preferences, feelings, or opinions and give advice on a variety of familiar topics, creating sentences and strings of sentences, and asking some follow-up questions.
FL.IM.7.1.IM.IPRET.1	Explain the main idea and some supporting details on familiar topics from sentences and series of connected sentences within texts that are spoken, written, or signed.
FL.IM.7.1.IM.IPRET.2	With the help of graphic organizers, compare information (i.e., main ideas, main characters, settings) in culturally authentic materials related to targeted themes.
FL.IM.7.1.IM.IPRET.3	React to oral and written instructions connected to daily activities and to some unfamiliar situations through oral and/or physical responses.
FL.IM.7.1.IM.PRSNT.1	From culturally authentic resources, present information about personal events and social experiences to speakers of the target language, using sentences and a series of connected sentences.
FL.IM.7.1.IM.PRSNT.4	Report information found in age- and level-appropriate culturally authentic resources using sentences and strings of sentences.

## Enduring Understanding

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1. Conversation with city natives help one to gain knowledge of one's surroundings. **FL.IM.7.1.IM.IPRET** - *Interpretive Mode of Communication - [Core Idea] - Learning a language involves interpreting meaning from listening, viewing, and reading culturally authentic materials in the target language.*

2. A city's monuments and landmarks helps students improve social skills and engage people in conversation? **FL.IM.7.1.IM.IPERS** - *Interpersonal Mode of Communication - [Core Idea] - Interpersonal communication between and among people is the exchange of information and the negotiation of meaning. Speakers and writers gain confidence and competence as they progress along the proficiency continuum.*

3. People can learn about a culture by studying everyday life in a city. **FL.IM.7.1.IM.PRSNT** - *Presentational Mode of Communication - [Core Idea] - Presentational communication involves presenting information, concepts, and ideas to an audience of listeners or readers on a variety of topics. Speakers and writers gain confidence and competence as they progress along the proficiency continuum.*

## **Essential Questions**

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1. When do you need to ask for directions?
2. How do you ask for directions?
3. What are some common greetings in Chinese and how do you use each?
5. What do Chinese people usually say to indicate that they don't have a good sense of direction?

## **Knowledge and Skills**

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The Performance Expectations for this unit are:

### INTERPERSONAL MODE

- engage in the oral exchange of information, options, and ideas in a variety of time frames in formal and informal situations. FL.AL.7.1.AL.IPERS.1
- engage in the oral exchange of information and to clarify meaning by using a variety of strategies. FL.AL.7.1.AL.IPERS.2
- state and support opinions in oral interactions. FL.AL.7.1.AL.IPERS.3
- use a variety of vocabulary, including idiomatic and culturally appropriate expressions on a variety of topics. FL.AL.7.1.AL.IPERS.5

## PRESENTATIONAL MODE

- engage in the written exchange of information, opinions, and ideas in a variety of frames in formal and informal situations. FL.AL.7.1.AL.PRSNT.2
- write formal and informal correspondence in a variety of media using appropriate formats and conventions FL.AL.7.1.AL.PRSNT.3
- uses a variety of vocabulary, including idiomatic and culturally appropriate expressions on a variety of topics. FL.AL.7.1.AL.PRSNT.4
- self-monitor and adjust language production. FL.AL.7.1.AL.PRSNT.35

## INTERPRETIVE MODE

- demonstrate comprehension of content from authentic audio, audiovisual, and visual resources. FL.AL.7.1.AL.IPRET.2
- demonstrate comprehension of a variety of vocabulary, including idiomatic and culturally authentic expressions. FL.AL.7.1.AL.IPRET.1
- identify the distinguishing features of authentic audio, visual, and audiovisual resources. FL.AL.7.1.AL.IPRET.3
- demonstrate and understand the features of target cultures and communities. FL.AL.7.1.AL.IPRET.4

## Transfer Goals

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1. Students will use effective communication to navigate around communities while displaying appropriate cultural understanding.
2. With the modern apps such as Google maps people can give directions more effectively and correctly.

## Resources

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1. Integrated Chinese; Videos and images - <https://ic.cheng-tsui.com/>
2. When do you need to ask for directions? <https://colleenogrady.com/2012/07/24/anything-is-possible/>
3. What are some common greetings in Chinese and how do you use each?  
<https://chinese.stackexchange.com/questions/7192/i-would-like-to-learn-common-greetings-in-chinese>

## Assessments

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<https://docs.google.com/document/d/1lo2Aiasvf4HI9gJfGI60hDv57y4d5XKz4Hmy8MukXIQ/edit>

## **Modifications**

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