

2026

HARBIN INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY WINTER SHORT-TERM CHINESE LANGUAGE PROGRAM

2026.12.28–2027.01.22



哈爾濱工業大學
HARBIN INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY

About Harbin

GEOGRAPHICAL LOCATION

The most northeast capital city in China; Known as Oriental Paris or Ice City.

LANGUAGE ADVANTAGE

Harbin is one of the most standard Mandarin-speaking cities in China.

CLIMATE CHARACTORISTICS

With four distinct seasons, Harbin is renowned as both a city of ice and snow and a refreshing summer retreat.

TRANSPORTATION

Important Railway Hub. Convenient transportation access to the entire country.

About Harbin Institute of Technology



One of China's first 6 leading universities

A member of China's Top Nine University Union (C9)

Double First-class Construction University-Category A

No.5 in the US News Best Global Universities for Engineering



Course Duration

80 Class hours
20 class hours/week

Levels

Three levels-beginner, intermediate, and advanced, further subdivided into 6-7 teaching tiers.

Content

Lectures (explanation of lexis and grammar)	Review and practice (oral communication exercises)	Traditional culture experiences
		An overview of China
Oral practice	Task practice	Scenic spot visits, etc

Learning Outcomes

Upon completing the beginner-level course tasks, students will be able to proficiently use daily communicative expressions and improve the standardization of their pronunciation and intonation.

Upon completing the intermediate-level course tasks, students will further enrich their Chinese language knowledge, master Chinese communicative strategies, and develop appropriate language communication skills.

Upon completing the advanced-level course tasks, engage in in-depth discussions on various topics using Chinese, develop critical thinking skills, and enhance their cross-cultural communication abilities.

Agenda

Dec. 26-27	Dec. 28 (Mon)	Dec. 29 (Tue)	Dec. 30 (Wed)	Dec. 31 (Thu)	Jan. 1 (Fri)	Jan. 2 (Sat)
Dormitory Check-in	Registration and Oral Placement Test	**A.M.** Orientation	**A.M. Course** Chinese Class	**A.M. Course** Chinese Class	New Year Holiday	New Year Holiday
		P.M. Class Interaction (Ice Breaking)	**P.M. Practice** Traditional Cultural Experience	**P.M. Practice** HIT Museum, Space Museum		

Jan. 3 (Sun)	Jan. 4 (Mon)	Jan. 5 (Tue)	Jan. 6 (Wed)	Jan. 7 (Thu)	Jan. 8 (Fri)	Jan. 9 (Sat)
New Year Holiday	**A.M. Course** Chinese Class	**A.M. Course** Chinese Class	**A.M. Course** Chinese Class	**A.M. Course** Chinese Class	**A.M. Course** Chinese Class	Weekend Holiday
	P.M. Practice Traditional Cultural Experience	**P.M. Practice** Chinese Language Practical Activity	**P.M. Lecture** Elective Lecture for Specialized Courses	**P.M. Visiting** Ice and Snow World	**P.M. Practice** Chinese Language Practical Activity	

Jan. 10 (Sun)	Jan. 11 (Mon)	Jan. 12 (Tue)	Jan. 13 (Wed)	Jan. 14 (Thu)	Jan. 15 (Fri)	Jan. 16 (Sat)
Weekend Holiday	**A.M. Course** Chinese Class	**A.M. Course** Chinese Class	**A.M. Course** Chinese Class	**A.M. Course** Chinese Class	**A.M. Course** Chinese Class	Weekend Holiday
	P.M. Practice Traditional Cultural Experience	**P.M. Practice** Chinese Language Practical Activity	**P.M.** Break	**P.M. Course** Lecture China Overview	**P.M. Practice** Chinese Language Practical Activity	

Jan. 17 (Sun)	Jan. 18 (Mon)	Jan. 19 (Tue)	Jan. 20 (Wed)	Jan. 21 (Thu)	Jan. 22 (Fri)	Jan. 23 (Sat)
Weekend Holiday	**A.M. Course** Chinese Class	**A.M. Course** Chinese Class	**A.M. Course** Chinese Class	Final Test	Graduation Day	Return
	P.M. Break	**P.M. Visiting** Enterprise Visiting	**P.M.** Break			

*** Due to different reservation situations at various visiting venues, the schedule may change, but it will not affect the overall class hours and activity arrangements.**

Application website

https://apply.hit.edu.cn/

Application documents

-Passport information page
– Guarantee Certificate (for minors only)
– Pay the application fee

Application deadline

November 30th, 2026

Fees

Application fee: CNY500
Tuition fee: CNY3,500/4weeks
Insurance fee: CNY160
Accommodation Fee (Utilities Included): CNY 1,000 - 1,200
Wifi charges: CNY10

Accommodation Notice:

On-campus dormitories are reserved exclusively for students enrolled in the four-week program. Allocation follows a strict first-come, first-served policy based on payment completion, and spaces will close once capacity is reached.

***Students who do not secure on-campus housing must arrange their own off-campus accommodation.**

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