



Subject	Mandarin (Hurdles Tests)	
Title/Topic	Format	Length
Paper 1 – Reading and listening	Multiple-choice answers	60 mins
Paper 2 – Writing	2 short answers and 1 long answer	60 mins
Paper 3 – Speaking	Presentation, role-play and general conversation	10 mins

My end of year assessment will test my knowledge on...

All chapters of *Jinbu 1*:

- Chapter 1 – Introductions
- Chapter 2 – Family & home
- Chapter 3 – Hobbies
- Chapter 4 – School
- Chapter 5 - Food

Chapters 1, 2 and 3 of *Jinbu 2*:

- Chapter 1 – Holidays
- Chapter 2 – All about me
- Chapter 3 – Where I live

What should I do to revise and prepare for this assessment?



To prepare for this assessment:

1. Revise all of the characters we have learnt this year and in Y7. You must be able to read, write and say them all. You can use both your Knowledge Organisers and Quizlet to help you with this. Test yourself to make sure that you can write all of the characters from memory. Practise writing any that you cannot write accurately from memory, using look, cover, write, check.
2. Read back over the reading exercises in both of your *Jinbu* textbooks and practise answering the questions.
3. Revise how to write and talk about past events, eg. holidays or what you did last weekend, using 了.
4. Revise how to write and talk about future events, eg. what you would like to do tomorrow or next weekend, using 要 or 想.
5. Revise how to use connectives (也, 和, 因为, 可是, 又 ... 又) and opinion phrases (我认为/觉得, 对我来说) to extend your sentences.
6. Practise the speaking presentation that we have written in class, so that you can deliver it fluently, without notes.

What useful websites/resources could I use to help me prepare?

- *Jinbu 1* and *2* textbooks and workbooks
- Knowledge Organisers for each of the chapters we have studied in *Jinbu 1* and *Jinbu 2*.