

## A Joint Invitation Letter



2<sup>ND</sup> March 2019

## Dear Principal:

We are delighted to write to you and invite your school to participate in "Hello Mandarin" Recitation Competition Australia 2019.

The competition is hosted in partnership with the Chinese Language Teachers Association NSW and The Sydney Recitation Art Group, supported by Department of Education NSW. These two organizations are both not-for-profit associations and ran the event successfully with the help of its many generous volunteers.

## The competition aims to

- promote education in Mandarin
- enhance young Australians' interests in learning Mandarin
- improve the learning abilities and applications of Mandarin through oral demonstrations
- demonstrate the achievements of Chinese learning through activities and competitions
- promote Chinese literature through exchanges
- put on display the beauty of Chinese phonology.

This competition will be held from March to June 2019 throughout schools in NSW. The grand final will be on 29<sup>th</sup> or 30<sup>th</sup> June (Saturday or Sunday) 2019 in Sydney.

We understand that your school has vibrant and well established Chinese Language program. We hope you will support your school's participation at this event and encourage your Chinese teachers to help your students with the competition.

Please don't hesitate to contact me with any queries and I look forward to hearing form you soon.

Yours sincerely

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