課程題目與目標 Lesson Topic & Goal:

• Topic #1 城市比較: 台北與北京 (歷史)

Compare Taipei and Beijing, and learn to comment on the historical, cultural and political significance of important Chinese cities.

公告欄 Bulletin Board:

- See Chinese Tutor Schedule at the Center for Learning and Writing.
- Chinese Language House Conversation Hour schedule to be announced.
- Moon Festival celebration dinner on Wed. 9/10 6:30-8:30 p.m. at the Tacoma Szechuan.

Week #2	課前功課 Pre-Class Reading/Preparation	上課任務 In-Class Tasks	作業 Assignments	評鑑 Tests & Evaluation
星期一 (9/8)	 Read 台北行 Paragraphs #3 and #4, Prepare for Reading Quiz #2 on Monday. Quiz is on assigned reading of the day (listening comprehension/vocabulary/reading/translation). Read History of Beijing Wikipedia 	 Quiz #2 Chinese Character Test 閱讀功課: 台北行 教室活動: History Timeline History of Beijing 	Complete: Chinese Character Test For Topic #1: Comments (English) A typed commentary on the background recourses you have read related to the reading assignments and class discussions during these two weeks while studying for Topic #1. Between 200-300 words. Email to perry@ups.edu no later than Friday 9/12 5 p.m. Essay Writing (Chinese) Comment on the historical, cultural and political significance of a Chinese city or place. Between 300-400 characters, including punctuation. Typed (font 16, triple space) print copy due in class on Monday 9/15.	Quizzes 30% for Topic #1: Quiz #1 (Friday 9/5) Quiz #2 (Monday 9/8) Quiz #3 (Wed. 9/10) Quiz #4 (Friday 9/12) Class Participation 20% Comments in English 10% (Due Friday 9/12) Chinese Essay Writing 30% (Due Monday 9/15) Essay Revision 10% (Due Monday 9/22)
星期三 (9/10)	• Read 历史文化名城一北京, Prepare for Reading Quiz #3 on Wed . Quiz is on assigned reading of the day (listening comprehension/vocabulary/reading/translation).	 Quiz #3 閱讀功課:文化名城-北京 教室活動: TIME Asia: The 50 Places That Define Modern China 作業 Assignment: Comments (English) 		
星期五 (9/12)	• Read [旅遊] 台灣國立故宮博物院, Prepare for Reading Quiz #4 on Monday . Quiz is on assigned reading of the day (listening comprehension/vocabulary/ reading/translation).	 Quiz #4 閱讀功課: 故宮博物院 教室活動: History Timeline History of Beijing 作業 Assignment: Essay Writing (Chinese) 		

Chinese Texts for Topic #1:

- 中級課程 十八: 台北行 selected from Rutgers Online Course Trad. HTML | Simplified HTML | WORD
- 历史文化名城- 北京, 双向教程汉语文化 Intermediate Chinese: A Cultural Approach, pp. 13-14 (Xerox copy)
- [旅遊] 台灣國立故宮博物院 sample writing blog HTML | WORD

Background Reading in English for Topic #1:

- Learn the name of dynasties in Chinese History Timeline
- History of Beijing Wikipedia
- TIME Asia: The 50 Places That Define Modern China: Essays on 50 places where history was made, and province stories with clickable map