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## Presentation on CISD's StarTalk Summer Chinese Program

The CISD's Summer Chinese Program with StarTalk was a success. Our students did an outstanding job.

Important facts about the summer program are:

- This was a free program provided to our community.
- The program was offered to rising 6<sup>th</sup> grade students to rising 12<sup>th</sup> grade students.
- We had 75 students participate.
- The program offered 20 days of instruction.
- Curriculum was delivered on three levels: novice, intermediate and advanced.
- We housed the program during summer school and the summer school administration supervised the program.
- A strong emphasis was placed on language acquisition with a secondary emphasis on cultural awareness.

I believe that this program will assist us in building a thriving Mandarin program at CHS as well as NTH.

A power point presentation will highlight our success.