



Languages

At St Mary's School, we use *My Chinese Teacher* to teach the Languages learning area. The *My Chinese Teacher* program delivers a complete Chinese language and culture program to over one hundred schools across Australia, New Zealand and the United Kingdom. The students have a weekly interactive Chinese lesson with our China based teachers and our classroom teachers also get to enjoy the process of learning a fascinating language in an exciting and modern way.

Lessons are delivered over video conferencing software using technology already available in the classroom.

Classroom teachers also undertake a weekly follow up lesson which reinforces the concepts taught and focuses on helping to learn more about China and its culture.

More information can be found at <https://mychineseteacher.org/>

The Languages Western Australian Curriculum focuses on:

- Socialising
- Informing
- Creating
- Translating
- Reflecting
- Systems of Language
- Language Variation and Change
- Role of Language and Culture