

# 棕榈滩中文学院

## The Palm Beach Chinese Academy (PBCA)

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### Welcome Message

Welcome to Palm Beach Chinese Academy, the right place to learn Chinese! The Palm Beach Chinese Academy (PBCA) carries all functions of its predecessor, the Contemporary Chinese School of South Florida (CCSSF). The CCSSF was established in 1995, is a non-profit, non-political organization run by volunteers dedicated to the promotion and understanding of Chinese language and culture. The primary mission of PBCA is to provide formal and systematic education of the Contemporary Chinese Language (Mandarin) and the simplified Chinese characters used in mainland China. The basic goal of the school is to have our students to be able to speak, read and write Chinese. There are two semesters for each school year: Fall (Aug-Dec) and Spring (Jan-May). We offer classes from first to 10th grade for students at ages of five or older. The 10th grade is an advanced Chinese class focusing on SAT Chinese test preparation. All textbooks are especially composed for oversea Chinese education.

### School Hours and Location

The School hours are from 9:30 am to 11:30 am on every Saturday, except the Thanksgiving and Spring Break weekends.

Location: Boynton Beach Community High School, 4975 Park Ridge Blvd., Boynton Beach, FL 33426

#### **Fees**

Tuition: \$220 per student  
Registration: \$20 per student  
Books: \$5 per book. Books come in a set of three or two.

#### **2018 Spring Semester Calendar**

Start Date: 02/03/2018  
End Date: 05/12/2018  
School Close On: 02/17/2011 (Chinese New Year), 03/17/2017-03/24/2017 (Spring Break)

### Special Note

Due to limited budget, the CCSSF-PBC decided to offer all classes with enrollment at least EIGHT students to cover the teacher and school rent expenses. For those classes with less than EIGHT students, students have the option to move up to higher or lower level classes.

### Donation

Any donation in any amount to support PBCA regular operation will be very much appreciated.

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