**Project 5: Ode to Chinese**

**Difficulty**



**Predicted Duration**

3hr 10 minutes

**Series Type**

Songs

This singing project develops student’s confidence in speaking/ singing Chinese, and builds fluency through singing.Students engage with learning new vocabulary around the topics of singing and school subjects, and work towards a small amount of translation (the song). Some key vocabulary introduced is 为什么 / 因为/ 觉得/ 但是.

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| Key Language | |
| 为什么 wèi shén me | why |
| 觉得 jué de | to think (that) …/find (that) … /feel (that) … |
| 有趣 yǒu qù | interesting, fascinating |
| 写 xiě | to write |
| 汉子 hàn zì | Chinese characters |
| 唱 chàng | to sing |
| 歌 gē | a song |
| 唱歌 chàng gē | to sing a song |
| 就是 jiù shì | exactly, precisely |
| 好玩 hǎo wán | fun |
| 美术课 měi shù kè | art class |
| 所有的 suǒ yǒu de | all of…/all the… |
| 都 dōu | all, both |
| 有意思 yǒu yì si | interesting |
| 最 zuì | most |
| 因为 yīn wèi | because |
| 但是 dàn shì | but |

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| **Task number** | **Estimated time to complete (mins)** |
| 1 | 5 |
| 2 | 20 |
| 3 | 45 |
| 4 | 20 |
| 5 | 10 |
| 6 | 10 |
| 7 | 30 |
| 8 | 30 |
| Total time | 170 (2 hr 50 m) |