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SEND VIRTUAL BIRTHDAY GREETINGS TO CONFUCIUS INSTITUTE IN AUCKLAND

School Chinese Video Competition

你们好 Nimen Hao!

Congratulations, you are one of the thousands of students who are learning Chinese in New Zealand. Since the time you started to learn the language, you have opened the door to a completely new world - a place known for the pandas, Kung Fu, Great Wall, billions of people and many other amazing things. Is it cool to be able to speak Mandarin?

Today, in the wider Auckland region, there are nearly thirty thousand school children, from Year 1 new entrants to Year 13 students, learning Mandarin. Imagine how many more in all of New Zealand or the whole wide world!

The Confucius Institute in Auckland since it started in 2007 has been working to support Chinese language and culture in lots of schools. This year, CI Auckland is 10 years old! So to celebrate, we would like to invite you, all the Chinese learners in the wider Auckland region, to send us virtual birthday greetings showcasing your Chinese talents – language and culture. Share your Chinese journey and make it fun!



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THEME

Happy Birthday, CI Auckland (showcase your Chinese talents - language and/or culture)

WHO

Students with New Zealand citizenship or permanent residency, and currently enrolled in NZ schools in the wider Auckland region (including Waikato and Northland regions).

- Category A (Primary): Year 1-6
- Category B (Secondary Junior): Year 7-10
- Category C (Secondary Senior): Year 11-13

FORMAT

Digital video clip less than 2 minutes, uploaded through YouTube.

WHEN

Online registration/submission	20 July - 20 Aug 2017
Online display/voting	25 Aug - 25 Sept 2017
Prize-giving event	16 Oct 2017

See <http://ci.ac.nz/anniversary> for more information.

