

2017 Virginia Startalk Chinese Teacher Academy

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Professional Goals

Short-term

1. I am starting an exploratory program for my new job. I will design my curriculum by using theme-based units and I think that a virtual tour to China will be a good topic. The students will learn greetings, self-introduction, and some travel survival phrases. Also, a lot of cultural elements should be included in this unit. The students will get a unique experience both in Chinese language and culture after they complete this 8-week program.
2. I would like to incorporate technology better in my classes. Every student has their own Chromebook in my new school, so I would like to learn more about the applications that can be used on a Chromebook and use that technology to enhance students' learning.

Long-term

I believe online teaching will be the trend of future learning. I hope I will have the opportunity to teach an online class. I would love to utilize the skills I have learned from this program to conduct an online class.