

Understanding the Implications of the 2022 China Primary & Junior High English Curriculum 5 July 2022

Dear Sir/Madam,

The British Council China is excited to offer you the opportunity to join us for a China insight sharing webinar on <u>Understanding the Implications of the 2022 China Primary & Junior High English Curriculum</u> on **Tuesday 5 July** at **16:30 – 17:45 (Beijing time)** / **9:30 – 10:45 UK time.**

The new English curriculum for primary and junior high school was released in April 2022 and promises to a have a significant effect on English language provision and development in China's basic education sector for years to come. After some time to digest the new curriculum content, the British Council English Programmes team are pleased to be able to coordinate this event providing insight into key areas and potential changes that providers of ELT CPD and materials can consider as the curriculum is implemented.

This 75-minute interactive session will provide expert local insight into key components of the new China basic education primary and junior high National English Curriculum (NEC), and showcase some of its implications. We are very pleased to announce that **Professor Wang Qiang** from the School of Foreign Languages and Literature, Beijing Normal University will offer a 45-minute presentation, in English, to inform the UK sector on what the important changes in, and expectations of, the new curriculum are. The session will also allow for 20 minutes of Q and A from our audience through questions offered digitally on the day.

The event schedule can be found below:

UK Time	Beijing Time	Stage	Speaker
09.30-09.35	16:30 – 16:35	Welcome & Introduction	MC
09.35-10.20	16:35 – 17:20	Main presentation	Prof. Wang Qiang
10.20-10.40	17:35 – 17:40	Q&A	MC/Prof. Wang Qiang
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Speaker: Professor Wang Qiang, Beijing Normal University

Speaker Bio

WANG Qiang is a renowned Professor at the School of Foreign Languages and Literature, Beijing Normal University. For the last 20 years, she has headed national English curriculum design and revision projects for both compulsory education and senior high school. She is currently Director of the Steering Committee for Foreign Language Education under the Ministry of Education, China (教育部基础教育外语教学指导专业委员会). Professor Wang is also the head of the National Association for Language Teacher Education and Development (NALTED). Her research interests include English education in schools, English curriculum development, English reading literacy, and language teacher education and development

Registration link: Webinar Registration – Zoom

