

CHINESE STUDENTS' LINGUISTIC AND CULTURAL ADJUSTMENT
TO TOTAL ENGLISH IMMERSION IN THE UNITED STATES,
1988-89.

TABLE I

TYPES OF ENGLISH INSTRUCTION IN CHINA

General: Variables were rated by the scale:

1 = NEVER 2 = SOMETIMES 3 = OFTEN 4 = MOST OF THE TIME

PART	VAR	DESCRIPTION	% BY SCALE			
			1	2	3	4
II. TYPES OF INSTRUCTION						
B.	22	Translate English to Chinese	4.5	13.6	50.0	22.7
	23	Translate Chinese to English	9.1	27.3	36.4	18.2
	24	Personal use of English by students	54.5	36.4	0.0	0.0
	25	Read orally in English	4.58	45.5	31.8	4.5
	26	Memorize Chinese words per English	0.0	18.2	27.3	45.5
	27	Use tapes for practice drills	40.9	36.4	13.6	0.0
	28	View films with English speech	54.5	36.4	0.0	0.0
	29	Discuss films in English	77.3	4.5	0.0	0.0
		Practice speaking:				
	30	with tapes or records	31.4	45.5	9.1	4.5
	31	with other students	45.5	45.5	0.0	0.0
	32	with teacher outside of class	72.7	18.2	0.0	0.0
	33	in a language club	81.8	4.5	4.5	0.0
	34	Use computer to practice English	90.9	0.0	0.0	0.0
	35	English required for communication				
		in class	54.5	31.8	4.5	0.0

CHINESE STUDENTS' LINGUISTIC AND CULTURAL ADJUSTMENT
TO TOTAL ENGLISH IMMERSION IN THE UNITED STATES,
1988-89.

TABLE II
DIFFICULTIES EXPERIENCED BY STUDENTS IN USING ENGLISH SKILLS

General: Variables were rated by the scale:

1 = NEVER 2 = SOMETIMES 3 = OFTEN 4 = MOST OF THE TIME

PART	VAR	DESCRIPTION	% BY SCALE			
			1	2	3	4
III.		AREAS OF DIFFICULTY (Degree to which student experienced difficulty in using the following English skills)				
	D	SPEAKING WITH				
	47	Professors in student's major	22.7	66.6	4.5	0.0
	48	Other professors	18.2	59.1	13.6	0.0
	49	Native American students	4.5	72.7	9.1	4.5
	E	UNDERSTANDING THE SPEECH OF				
	52	Professors in student's major	45.5	45.5	0.0	0.0
	53	Other professors	30.8	40.9	18.2	0.0
	54	Native American students	13.6	54.5	22.7	0.0
	F	READING				
	57	textbooks	68.2	22.7	0.0	0.0
	58	newspapers and magazines	22.7	50.0	18.2	0.0
	59	general: instructions/notices	50.0	27.3	9.1	4.5
	G	WRITING				
	61	daily assignments for class	4.5	27.3	4.5	4.5
	62	compositions and themes	9.1	50.0	13.6	9.1
	63	letters/notes in English to friends	27.3	36.4	18.2	9.1
	64	tests and examinations	50.0	31.8	4.5	4.5

CHINESE STUDENTS' LINGUISTIC AND CULTURAL ADJUSTMENT
TO TOTAL ENGLISH IMMERSION IN THE UNITED STATES,
1988-89.

TABLE III
DIFFICULTIES AND HELP EXPERIENCED BY STUDENTS IN USING ENGLISH SKILLS

H	DEGREE OF ADJUSTMENT DIFFICULTY WITH				
61	Professors in student's major	31.8	54.5	0.0	0.0
62	Other professors	18.2	50.0	18.2	0.0
63	Native American students	13.6	31.8	40.9	0.0
I	COMFORTABLE ASKING FOR HELP FROM				
71	Professors in student's major	40.9	13.6	27.3	4.5
72	Other professors	36.4	22.7	27.3	0.0
73	Native American students	9.1	22.7	40.9	13.6
J	FREQUENCY IN ASKING FOR HELP FROM				
77	Professors in student's major	36.4	36.4	9.1	4.5
78	Other professors	54.5	22.7	9.1	0.0
79	Native American students	9.1	40.9	40.9	0.0
K	FREQUENCY IN RECEIVING HELP FROM				
83	Professors in student's major	18.2	40.9	27.3	4.5
84	Other professors	50.0	31.8	4.5	0.0
85	Native American students	18.2	40.9	27.3	4.5
