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ENVIRONMENTAL SUSTAINABILITY AND JUSTICE: A STARTALK CHINESE IMMERSION IN THE SONORAN DESERT

This federally funded STARTALK residential Chinese immersion program is designed for high school students and college freshmen and sophomores. Students will read age-appropriate authentic stories and learn Chinese cultural practices about desert, water, and environment. Students will also participate in field trips to the Saguaro National Park, the Coronado National Forest, and the world's largest ecological experiment site Biosphere 2, while engaging in discussions about climate challenges and real-world solutions – all in Chinese! Qualified students will earn TWO University of Arizona credits upon the completion of all camp activities.

Dates: Sunday, June 2nd to Saturday, June 15th, 2024.

Cost: Completely FREE to qualified participants.

*Participation in pre- and post- camp activities is required.

Eligibility: Incoming 9th Grade to 14th Grade students with intermediate-level proficiency in Mandarin.

Location: The University of Arizona main campus in Tucson.

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