**Highland Park High School Course Team Log**

*The purpose of this document is to help organize the course team’s work and to capture the important aspects of this work for secondary members to read and understand.*

*All course team facilitators should complete this log and post it to the wiki after each of their team meetings.*

Meeting No. \_\_\_\_\_8\_\_\_\_\_\_

Date:\_\_4/25\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Facilitator:\_\_\_\_\_Betti Patterson\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Team members present:

Weifang Wang, Hanna Pashtan, Betti Patterson

BRIEF summary of discussion, activities, and work conducted (bullet points will suffice):

Betti reported on the results of her assessment. As expected some students did very well and showed they understood the material and knew how to answer all the questions. Unfortunately, many students did not do well on the assessment. Betti thinks this happened for several reasons. First, because the assessment was artificial, being placed at this time of the year, outside of what the class is currently studying. Even though the material had been covered several months ago (according to the Italian curriculum, not the Chinese and Hebrew curricula), the subject was not fresh in their minds. Second, many students did not seem to take the assessment seriously, possibly because they sensed it was not in their educational progression at this time. Thirdly, the assessment was given in the language lab, and students were not used to that environment for testing.

For our next meeting we need to do the following:

Compare the other languages performance on the assessment.

Next meeting:

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