

Trailblazer (Years 9–10)

The Trailblazer series for Chinese requires students to recognise that the meaning of a compound word is often related to the meanings of its individual characters.

Features include:

- words represented by one or more characters
- all characters used in this series appear in the Character catalogue.
- different styles of problem at each level requiring students to use the available sound and meaning information to deduce the answer.

Students:

- help Intrepid Joe to find treasure by unlocking doors in a dark, maze-like series of underground tunnels
- look at how the meaning of individual characters can contribute to the meaning of a compound word (composed of two or more characters)
- deduce the meaning of compound words by relating the meanings of the individual characters
- review all of the compound words at the end of each level and finally discover the secret at the end of the trail.



Trailblazer: level 1 (Chinese)

L2496 – Years 9–10

Students identify the correct meaning of Chinese compound words.



Trailblazer: level 2 (Chinese)

L2497 – Years 9–10

Students identify the correct Chinese compound word from its English meaning.




Trailblazer: level 3 (Chinese)

L2498 – Years 9–10

Students identify the missing character in a compound word given its meaning.



Trailblazer (Chinese)

L626 – Years 9–10 

This is a combination of the three 'Trailblazer' learning objects.