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## NEW STUDY CENTRE FOR CHINA



*Students at the first Shanghai Study Centre unit*

In November 2005 we were delighted to offer the first unit of the Advanced Courses programme to a group of teachers and administrators in Shanghai. The establishment of this Study Centre arises out of our collaboration with the Yew Chung Education Foundation, which has international schools in China in Beijing, Hong Kong, Shanghai and Chongqing, and in establishing this link we particularly appreciate the support received from Dr Betty Chan (Director of the Yew Chung Education Foundation), Dr Gary Morrison (Assistant Director with responsibility for Yew Chung

International Education Services), Anthony Dang (deputy to Dr Morrison), and from colleagues based in Shanghai including Yolanda Pu, Alice Zhang and Joyce Chan. The unit, Research Methods in Education, was taught by Jeff Thompson and Mary Hayden, who en route had participated in Beijing on 3 November in the Yew Chung international education symposium entitled 'Educating the Global Child'. Unit participants were from a number of different schools in and around Shanghai, and plans are now well advanced for the second unit to be offered in April or May 2006.



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