A group of 30 UMP undergraduates and 30 primary students from Sekolah Jenis Kebangsaan Cina (SJKC), Gambang, were in exuberant mood as they indulged in language activities during the Smart Partnership Program. The program, organized by MLCC and Foreign Languages Department of CMLHS aimed to motivate the SJKC students in their study and to create an environment for UMP students presently attending Mandarin classes to practise the language.

The participants were introduced with icebreaking activity and completed a number of activities such as “Ni Shuo Wo Xie (I write what you say)” and “Ni Hua Wo Cai (Guess my drawing)”. In the afternoon, they enjoyed the benefit of becoming more sophisticated in using computer assisted language learning software in CMLHS multimedia lab. Towards the end, Diana Anak Lingging (KC08056) and Aidaiyu Ahmad (PA11011) were crowned as the best participants of the program.

The program was headed by CMLHS Mandarin language teacher, Yong Ying Mei, with the help of the volunteer teachers, namely Liu Xu, Zhang Cuicui and Yuan Jie. Also present at the closing was the Head of Foreign Languages program, Mohd Iszuani Hassan.