

JAPANESE

JAPA 101 - INTRODUCTION TO JAPANESE LANGUAGE AND CULTURE I

Credits: 5

Elementary Japanese emphasizes the learning of basic grammatical structures and vocabulary of modern Japanese to develop oral competence at the novice level. This goal is achieved primarily through aural-oral activities and task-oriented instruction. Students are expected to achieve the level of proficiency necessary to complete uncomplicated communicative tasks. Weekly tutorial required. Recommended prerequisite(s): No prior knowledge of Japanese.

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JAPA 102 - INTRODUCTION TO JAPANESE LANGUAGE AND CULTURE II

Credits: 5

Continuation of JAPA 101. More focus on Kanjii practice with the Japanese Writing System. Further practice on conversation skills with a task-oriented instruction to language to achieve necessary abilities to handle successfully for uncomplicated communicative tasks in Japanese. Weekly tutorial-session is required. Emphasis on development on cultural competence working on a project in group. **College:** School of Humanities

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JAPA 201 - INTERMEDIATE JAPANESE LANGUAGE AND CULTURE I

Credits: 5

Further practice in conversation, grammar, reading and composition. Class will be conducted exclusively in Japanese. Students will be able to accomplish a variety of uncomplicated communicative tasks. More emphasis on kanji practice with the Japanese writing system. Participation in weekly tutorial session is required.

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JAPA 202 - INTERMEDIATE JAPANESE LANGUAGE AND CULTURE II

Credits: 5

Continuation of JAPA 201. Class will be conducted exclusively in Japanese. Proficiency-based instruction to language to achieve necessary abilities to handle successfully a variety of uncomplicated communicative tasks in Japanese. More emphasis on development of cultural competence in discussing in Japanese. Participation in weekly tutorial-session is required.

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JAPA 222/223 - AP CREDIT IN JAPANESE LANGUAGE

Credits: 4

Course indicating credit given for advanced placement in Japanese. **College:** School of Humanities

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JAPA 301 - ADVANCED JAPANESE READING AND COMPOSITION I

Credits: 3

Classes will be conducted in Japanese. Texts include a variety of subjects and topics including web-based texts created and developed by the instructor to sustain students well-developed abilities and skills in Japanese. Reserved films and videos are included in the course as part of the text.

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JAPA 302 - ADVANCED JAPANESE READING AND COMPOSITION II**Credits:** 3

Continuation of JAPA 301. Classes will be conducted in Japanese. Texts include a variety of subjects and topics including web-based texts created and developed by the instructor to sustain students well-developed abilities and skills in Japanese. Students will work on a project for a presentation using Microsoft PowerPoint in Japanese.

College: School of Humanities**Department:** Japanese**JAPA 370 - STRUCTURE OF JAPANESE****Credits:** 3

This course examines current issues in Japanese grammar in the framework of contemporary linguistic theory. Where appropriate, the traditional kokogogaku approach is compared with modern linguistic approaches. Basic knowledge of both Japanese and linguistics is required.

College: School of Humanities**Department:** Japanese**JAPA 398/399 - JAPANESE TEACHING PRACTICUM****Credits:** 3

This course gives students with advanced proficiency in Japanese the opportunity to acquire teaching experience in the tutorial format. Includes regular meetings with supervising faculty member.

College: School of Humanities**Department:** Japanese**JAPA 425 - JAPANESE FOR SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY****Credits:** 1

JAPA 425 is a course that integrates technology and language. Its main objective is to train students to become culturally well-equipped with knowledge both in science/technology and in Japanese language. The course will provide students with Japanese proficiency the opportunities to become knowledgeable in their research in all language skills.

Instructor permission required

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