

Academic Year 2026: Japanese Language Course Orientation

The following Japanese language courses are intended for students whose Japanese proficiency level has been classified as IJC.

Students placed at the IJC level may register for the courses listed below. Registration codes vary by department, so please check the materials provided by your department.

【Notes】

1. Detailed information is also available on the university website.
2. Please refer to the Student Handbook (Gakusei Binran) for information about courses offered in your department. If you are unsure about the number of credits you are required to take, please consult your academic advisor.
3. The administrative office of your department will explain the procedures for course registration.
4. Courses that meet two or four times per week must be registered for in full. Partial registration for only some sessions is not permitted.

**S1 refers to the first quarter, S2 to the second quarter, F1 to the third quarter, and F2 to the fourth quarter.*

**If you feel that a class is too difficult or too easy, you may change your class. Please consult your instructor after attending the first one or two classes.*

【Courses offered in S1】

Course Title: Intermediate Japanese Skills C

Number of Credits: 4

Class Code: 100366801

Instructor: Prof. Kozuka & Prof. Saito

Schedule: Mon 3rd | Wed 2nd | Thu 3rd | Fri 3rd

Course Description:

This course is designed for students who have completed the previous level or who have been recognized as having equivalent proficiency through placement tests or other assessments. Instruction will be conducted in English and simplified Japanese appropriate for the intermediate level.

The course consists of four face-to-face classes per week, supplemented by on-demand practice materials. Active participation is expected from all students, including consistent completion of the online learning components. Please note that self-directed study is essential for understanding the course content.

【Courses offered in S2】

Course Title: Intermediate Japanese Skills D

Number of Credits: 4

Class Code: 100366901

Instructor: Prof. Kozuka & Prof. Goto

Schedule: Mon 2nd | Wed 2nd | Thu 3rd | Fri 3rd

Course Description: This course is designed for students who have completed the previous level or who have been recognized as having equivalent proficiency through placement tests or other assessments. Instruction will be

conducted in English and simplified Japanese appropriate for the intermediate level.

The course consists of four face-to-face classes per week, supplemented by on-demand practice materials. Active participation is expected from all students, including consistent completion of the online learning components.

Please note that self-directed study is essential for understanding the course content.

【Courses offered in F1】

1.

Course Title:日本語 C

Number of Credits: 2

Class Code: 100370504

Instructor: Prof. Sakamoto

Schedule: Mon 1st | Wed 1st

Course Description:

In this course, students will develop their grammar, vocabulary, reading, listening, speaking, and writing skills in an integrated manner. Students will learn to apply their knowledge through discussions, summaries, and various communicative activities.

By the end of the course, students will give presentations and write reports based on the topics studied. The course also provides preparation for the JLPT N2. Particular emphasis will be placed on Japanese characters and vocabulary.

2.

Course Title:日本語 D

Number of Credits: 2

Class Code: 100370603

Instructor: Prof. Kinoshita

Schedule: Wed 1st | Fri 1st

Course Description:

In this course, students will develop their grammar, vocabulary, reading, listening, speaking, and writing skills in an integrated manner. Students will apply their knowledge through discussions, summaries, and other communicative activities.

By the end of the course, students will give presentations and write reports related to the course topics. The course also prepares students for the JLPT N2. Particular emphasis will be placed on listening comprehension.

3.

Course Title:日本語 E

Number of Credits: 2

Class Code: 100370705

Instructor: Prof. Saito

Schedule: Wed 3rd | Thu 2nd

Course Description:

In this course, students will develop their grammar, vocabulary, reading, listening, speaking, and writing skills in an integrated manner. Students will engage in discussions and summarizing activities in order to apply what

they have learned.

At the end of the course, students will give presentations and write reports based on the topics studied. The course also prepares students for the JLPT N2. Particular emphasis will be placed on reading comprehension.

【Courses offered in F2】

1.

Course Title:日本語 A

Number of Credits: 2

Class Code: 100370304

Instructor: Prof. Sakamoto

Schedule: Mon 1st | Wed 1st

Course Description:

In this course, students will develop their grammar, vocabulary, reading, listening, speaking, and writing skills in an integrated manner. Students will summarize and discuss their ideas based on the course content.

By the end of the course, students will present their ideas through presentations and written reports. Particular emphasis will be placed on developing speaking ability and oral communication skills.

2.

Course Title:日本語 B

Number of Credits: 2

Class Code: 100370404

Instructor: Prof. Goto

Schedule: Mon 2nd | Wed 1st

Course Description:

In this course, students will develop their grammar, vocabulary, reading, listening, speaking, and writing skills in an integrated manner. Students will apply their knowledge through discussions, summaries, and communicative activities.

At the end of the course, students will present their ideas through presentations and written reports. The course also prepares students for the JLPT N2. Particular emphasis will be placed on grammar.