

[2025 Spring module]

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Level	Course Number	Course Name	Credits	Term	Days Period	Classroom	Instructor	Course Overview	manaba Registration key
J1	3901192	Comprehensive Japanese 1 A	4.0	SprABC	Tue/Wed /Thu/Fri 4	9P209	Sekizaki Hironori, Kaneko Nobuko, Kanno Sayaka	Students will become able to participate in simple daily communicative activities. Regarding speaking and listening skills, students will be able to understand simple sentences and easy complex sentences, and produce simple sentences. Regarding reading and writing skills, students will be able to read and write simple compositions about familiar themes in hiragana, katakana, and kanji studied in class.	8495848
J2	3901212	Comprehensive Japanese 2 A	4.0	SprABC	Tue/Wed /Thu/Fri 2	9P203	Sekizaki Hironori, MOON CHANGYUN, Kaneko Nobuko, Kanno Sayaka	Students will develop their ability to communicate in everyday situations while deepening their understanding of the Japanese language and Japanese culture. In speaking and listening skills, students will develop the ability to understand complex sentences and simple paragraphs, and to produce complex sentence-level discourse. In reading and writing skills, students will become able to read and write longer, coherent compositions while appropriately using hiragana, katakana, and kanji.	6800507
J3	3901232	Comprehensive Japanese 3 A	4.0	SprABC	Tue/Wed /Thu/Fri 3	9P209	Sekizaki Hironori, Iwasaki Takuya, Nakano Jiro, Kanno Sayaka	Students will develop their ability to communicate in everyday situations while deepening their understanding of the Japanese language and Japanese culture. In speaking and listening skills, students will develop the ability to understand complex sentences and simple paragraphs, and to produce complex sentence-level discourse. In reading and writing skills, students will become able to read and write longer, more complicated compositions while appropriately using hiragana, katakana, and kanji.	7046109
J4	3901072	Comprehensive Japanese 4 Grammar A	1.0	SprAB	Tue1	9P209	HIDAKA Shinsuke	Students will learn lower-intermediate grammar, including meaning and usage.	7868577
J4	3901092	Comprehensive Japanese 4 Speaking and Listening A	1.0	SprAB	Fri1	9P209	Ishida Mami	Students will be able to listen to and understand correctly simple speech about familiar topics. They will be able to do simple presentations and listen to the presentations of others.	7278378
J4	3901112	Comprehensive Japanese 4 Reading and Writing A	1.0	SprAB	Thu1	9P209	Ishida Mami	Students will be able to read and write coherent texts about things they are familiar with.	8879045
J4	3901252	Comprehensive Japanese 4 Seminar A	1.0	SprAB	Wed1	9P209	Nakano Jiro	Students will develop the skills and Japanese proficiency necessary for attending college classes and strengthen their overall Japanese abilities.	2054299
J5	3901132	Comprehensive Japanese 5 Grammar A	1.0	SprAB	Tue2	9P209	Ishida Mami	Students will learn mid-intermediate grammar, including meaning and usage.	7137804
J5	3901152	Comprehensive Japanese 5 Speaking and Listening A	1.0	SprAB	Fri2	9P209	Hori Keiko	Students will listen to materials about familiar and slightly specialized topics, and be able to express what they have understood and think correctly through speech. They will also be able to express their opinions.	8831576
J5	3901172	Comprehensive Japanese 5 Reading and Writing A	1.0	SprAB	Thu2	9P209	Yanagita Shinobu	Students will be able to read and write coherent texts that are about things they are familiar with, as well as slightly specialized topics.	7880691
J5	3901272	Comprehensive Japanese 5 Seminar A	1.0	SprAB	Wed2	9P209	Hatano Hiroaki	Students will develop the skills and Japanese proficiency necessary for attending college classes and strengthen their overall Japanese abilities.	1298333
J6	3901292	Comprehensive Japanese 6 Grammar A	1.0	SprAB	Tue3	9P102	Ishida Mami	Students will learn and be able to use upper-intermediate to advanced grammar.	8643563
J6	3901312	Comprehensive Japanese 6 Speaking and Listening A	1.0	SprAB	Fri3	9P102	Hori Keiko	Students will be able to listen to and understand somewhat specialized speeches and explanations. In addition, they will be able to use expressions appropriate to the person they are speaking to.	6573983
J6	3901332	Comprehensive Japanese 6 Reading and Writing A	1.0	SprAB	Thu3	9P102	Chen Yiyin	Students will be able to speak and write compositions about what they think of the somewhat highly specialized things they read for class.	8722206
J6	3901352	Comprehensive Japanese 6 Seminar A	1.0	SprAB	Wed3	9P102	Yamada Noe	Students will develop the skills and Japanese proficiency necessary for attending college classes and strengthen their overall Japanese abilities.	6028442
J7-J8	3901372	Comprehensive Japanese 7 Grammar A	1.0	SprAB	Tue4	9P103	Lee Hsin Ying	Students will learn and be able to use advanced level grammar.	8540777
J7-J8	3901392	Comprehensive Japanese 7 Speaking and Listening A	1.0	SprAB	Fri4	9P102	Hatano Hiroaki	Students will understand content concerning social and cultural themes. They will be able to summarize content, and express their opinion about it to others in an easy-to-understand manner.	5592786
J7-J8	3901412	Comprehensive Japanese 7 Reading and Writing A	1.0	SprAB	Thu4	9P102	Hirakata Yukiko	Students will be able to speak and write compositions about what they think of the highly specialized things they read for class.	5904136

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J7-J8	3901432	Comprehensive Japanese 7 Seminar A	1.0	SprAB	Wed4	9P102	Nakano Jiro	Students will develop the skills and Japanese proficiency necessary for attending college classes and strengthen their overall Japanese abilities.	5810057
J4-J5	3901452	Varieties of Japanese I A	1.0	SprABC	Tue5	9P209	Ishida Mami	Students will enrich their knowledge of Japanese by learning about variations of the Japanese language including dialects and expressions and vocabulary according to gender, social positions, and character.	1624822
J6-J8	3901472	Varieties of Japanese II A	1.0	SprABC	Mon5	9P209	Ono Masaki	Students will deepen their understanding of the Japanese language as they enjoy learning about different genres and uses of the language.	4849570
J6-J8	3901552	Japanese Project II A	1.0	SprABC	Thu5	9P209	Yanagita Shinobu	Through the use of drama, students will learn about timing one's speech and natural Japanese expressions, and be able to apply these to situations in daily living and for particular times and places.	4114945
J1-J8	3901592	Japanese Project Work A	1.0	SprABC	Fri5	9P209	Chen Yiyin	Students will complete project work based themes they set themselves. They will aim to expand their vocabulary and stock of expressions through coming into contact with native Japanese, and employ all the Japanese they have studied up to this point.	2901873
J1-J8	3901612	Japanese Socio-cultural Studies (Taught in English) A	1.0	SprABC	Mon5	9P203	Vanbaelen Ruth	Get familiar with Japanese society and culture, and deepen your understanding of Japanese language.	5052167
J1-J8	3901662	Japanese Issues (Culture) (Taught in English) A	1.0	SprABC	Fri5	9P102	Yamamoto Chinami	Deepen your understanding of Japanese culture.	2734179

Kanji

K1	3902012	Kanji 1 A	1.0	SprABC	Mon1	9P209	Yanagita Shinobu	Students will learn about how kanji conveys meaning, and how to distinguish between different character forms and structures. They will study the kanji that appear most often in everyday life and devise strategies for how to remember them. (BKB L1-11)	4609271
K2	3902032	Kanji 2 A	1.0	SprABC	Mon1	9P103	Chen Yiyin	Students will learn the form and structure of kanji and how to distinguish between parts such as radicals and phonetic components. They will also study both the Japanese and Chinese readings of the kanji. They will be able to look up the kanji that they see often in everyday life and devise strategies for remembering them. (BKB L11-22)	6533648
K3	3902052	Kanji 3 A	1.0	SprABC	Mon2	9P209	Yanagita Shinobu	Students will learn elementary kanji vocabulary, and how to distinguish correctly between kunyomi (Japanese) and onyomi (Chinese) readings. They will be able to read easy reading materials that use kanji, and write simple sentences using kanji. (BKB L23-35)	7102133
K4	3902072	Kanji 4 A	1.0	SprAB	Mon2	9P103	Chen Yiyin	Students will learn kanji vocabulary from the latter half of the basic level and be able to differentiate between kunyomi (Japanese) and onyomi (Chinese) readings. They will also be able to read easy reading materials that use kanji with the help of a dictionary, and write simple compositions using kanji. (BKB L36-45)	5179175
K5	3902092	Kanji 5 A	1.0	SprAB	Mon3	9P209	Ishida Mami	Students will learn how to use kanji vocabulary correctly in practice as they learn how to read and write them. In addition, students will be able to identify their own weak points and devise methods to overcome them. (IKB vol.1 L1-5)	4381849
K6	3902112	Kanji 6 A	1.0	SprAB	Mon3	9P103	Chen Yiyin	Students will learn to use upper-intermediate kanji vocabulary correctly in practice as they learn how to read and write them. Students will take kanji from things they want to read on their own and devise methods to be able to use them. (IKB vol.1 L6-10)	6542247
K7	3902132	Kanji 7 A	1.0	SprAB	Mon4	9P103	Ishida Mami	Students will be able to properly distinguish between and use vocabulary depending on their specialized fields, such as educational psychology in the humanities and science and technology in the sciences, while they learn to read and write advanced level kanji vocabulary. They will also select kanji and kanji vocabulary from reading material they enjoy and learn how to use them for their own purposes. (IKB vol.2 L1-5)	4735944
K8	3902232	Kanji 8 A	1.0	SprAB	Mon5	9P103	Ishida Mami	Students will be able to properly use vocabulary from specialized fields such as the earth sciences, economics and finance, and history, as they learn to read and write advanced level kanji vocabulary. They will also select kanji and kanji vocabulary from reading material they enjoy and learn how to use them for their own purposes. (IKB vol.2 L6-10)	8601263