JAPANESE (JAPN)

Courses

JAPN 001. Elementary Japanese I. 0 or 4 Credits.
Introduction to spoken and written Japanese through aural-oral drills and grammar presentation. The three writing systems of Japanese (hiragana, katakana, and kanji) are introduced. No prior knowledge expected.

JAPN 002. Elementary Japanese II. 0 or 4 Credits.
Continuation of JAPN 001. Prerequisite: JAPN 001 or equivalent.

JAPN 010. Japanese-Daily Communication. 3 Credits.
Introductory level course on speaking everyday Japanese. Emphasis on solid understanding and accurate use of grammar patterns in a culturally appropriate context and conversational situations. No prior knowledge expected.

JAPN 051. Intermediate Japanese I. 4 Credits.
Continuation of JAPN 002 designed to enable the students to converse in everyday Japanese and to read and write basic texts. Prerequisite: JAPN 002 or equivalent.

JAPN 052. Intermediate Japanese II. 4 Credits.
Continuation of JAPN 051. Prerequisite: JAPN 051 or equivalent.

JAPN 095. Special Topics. 1-6 Credits.
See Schedule of Courses for specific titles.

JAPN 096. Introductory Special Topics. 1-6 Credits.
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JAPN 101. Advanced Japanese I. 3 Credits.
Further development of oral proficiency and advanced study of grammatical structure of modern Japanese, supplemented by audiovisual materials and authentic written texts of several kinds. Prerequisite: JAPN 052 or equivalent.

JAPN 102. Advanced Japanese II. 3 Credits.
Continuation of JAPN 101. Prerequisite: JAPN 101 or equivalent.

JAPN 121. Japanese Conversation I. 1-3 Credits.
Development of speaking and listening skills related to concrete topics through total immersion in Japanese. Prerequisite: JAPN 052 or equivalent.

JAPN 122. Japanese Conversation II. 1-3 Credits.
Development of functional skills to carry out daily conversation in varied social contexts. Prerequisite: JAPN 052 or equivalent.

JAPN 195. Intermediate Special Topics. 1-6 Credits.
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JAPN 196. Intermediate Special Topics. 1-6 Credits.
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JAPN 197. Readings and Research. 1-6 Credits.
Independent study of a specific area, subject, or theme with an approved instructor.

JAPN 198. Readings and Research. 1-6 Credits.
Independent study of a specific area, subject, or theme with an approved instructor.

JAPN 201. Studies of Japanese Texts I. 3 Credits.
Introduction to rapid reading skills, directed reading of authentic texts and guided practice of conversational skills in multiple social contexts. Course can be repeated with different content. Prerequisite: JAPN 102 or equivalent.

JAPN 202. Studies of Japanese Texts II. 3 Credits.
Continuation of JAPN 201. Application of the rapid reading skills developed in JAPN 201 using higher-level reading materials. Course can be repeated with different content. Prerequisite: JAPN 201 or equivalent.

JAPN 221. Japanese for Communication I. 1-6 Credits.
Training in skills to communicate on concrete and abstract topics. Repeatable with different content. Prerequisite: JAPN 102 or equivalent.

JAPN 222. Japanese for Communication II. 1-6 Credits.
Development of skills to present information and viewpoints in varied social contexts. Repeatable with different content. Prerequisite: JAPN 201 or equivalent.

JAPN 295. Advanced Special Topics. 1-6 Credits.
Contact department for details.

JAPN 296. Advanced Special Topics. 1-6 Credits.
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JAPN 297. Adv Readings and Research. 1-6 Credits.
Advanced independent study of a specific area, subject, or theme with an approved instructor.

JAPN 298. Adv Readings and Research. 1-6 Credits.
Advanced independent study of a specific area, subject, or theme with an approved instructor.