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JAPANESE LANGUAGE COURSES (JPAN)

002. Introduction to Spoken Japanese II. (B) Staff.Prerequisite(s): Completion of JPAN 001 or the equivalent. See LPS Course Guide. **This course does not fulfill the language requirement in the College.

Although some reading/writing instruction is given, the major emphasis is on oral communication skill.

011. Beginning Japanese I. (A) Staff.Prerequisite(s): None.

Intended for students who have no Japanese background. All four skills, speaking/listening/writing/reading, are equally emphasized. Hiragana/Katakana (Two sets of Japanese syllabic letters) and some Chinese characters (Kanji) are introduced. Textbooks: Yookoso I (Getting Started - Chapt. 3) and basic Kanji Book I (L.1-L.4) Kanji: reproduction-approx.50/recognition-approx.80

012. Beginning Japanese II. (B) Staff.Prerequisite(s): Completion of JPAN 011 or the equivalent.

Textbooks: Yookoso I (Chapt. 4 - Chapt. 7) and Basic Kanji Book I (L.5 - L.10) Kanji: reproduction-approx. 110/recognition-approx.200

021. Intensive Beginning Japanese I. (A) Staff.

Intended for students with little or no background in Japanese who wish to finish the language requirement in one year. (Equivalent to JPAN 011 + JPAN 012) Textbooks: Yookoso I and Basic Kanji Book I (L.1-L.10) Kanji: reproduction-approx.110/recognition-approx.200

022. Intensive Beginning Japanese II. (B) Staff.Prerequisite(s): completion of JPAN 021 or the equivalent.

This course is the equivalent to JPAN 111 + JPAN 112, and completes the College language requirement. Textbooks: Yookoso II and Basic kanji book I (L.11 - L.22) Kanji: reproduction-approx.250/recognition-approx 350

111. Beginning Japanese III. (A) Staff.Prerequisite(s): Completion of JPAN 012 or the equivalent.

Continuation of JPAN 012. Textbooks: Yookoso II (Do You Remember-Chapt. 3) and Basic Kanji Book I (L.11 - L.16) Kanji: reproduction-approx.170/recognition-approx.250

112. Beginning Japanese IV. (B) Staff.Prerequisite(s): Completion of JPAN 111 or the equivalent.

This course completes the College language requirement. Textbooks: Yookoso II (Chapt. 4 - Chapt. 7) & Basic Kanji Book I (L.17-L.22) Kanji: reproduction-approx250/recognition-approx.350

211. Intermediate Japanese I. (A) Staff.Prerequisite(s): Completion of JPAN 112 or JPAN 022 or the equivalent.

A continuation of Japanese language beyond the language requirement. Textbooks: Integrated Approach to Intermediate Japanese (L.1 - L.8), and Basic Kanji Book II (L.23 - L.30) Kanji: reproduction-approx.310/recognition-approx.400

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212. Intermediate Japanese II. (B) Staff.Prerequisite(s): Completion of JPAN 211 or the equivalent.

A continuation of Japanese language at the intermediate level Text books: Integrated Approach to the Intermediate Japanese (L.9 - L.15) and Basic Kanji Book I (L.31 - L.37) Kanji: reproduction-approx.370/recognition-approx.450

311. (JPAN611) Intermediate Japanese III. (A) Takami.Prerequisite(s): Completion of JPAN 212 or the equivalent.

This course is a continuation of Japanese language at the upper intermediate level, and authentic reading/listening materials are introduced besides the textbooks. Textbooks: Tobira: Gateway to Advanced Japanese (L.1 - L.7 , Basic Kanji Book II (L.37 - L.45), Kanji: reproduction-approx500/recognition-approx.550

312. (JPAN612) Intermediate Japanese IV. (B) Takami.Prerequisite(s): Completion of JPAN 311 or the equivalent.

Textbooks: Textbooks: Tobira: Gateway to Advanced Japanese L.8-L.14 , and selected video materials. Kanji: reproduction-approx.550/recognition-approx.700

381. Japanese for the Professions. (A) Takami.Prerequisite(s): Completion of JPAN 212 or the equivalent. Offered through Penn Language Center.

An intermediate level course of Japanese language focusing on workplace-related topics. Intended for students who will use Japanese in the professions. Textbook: Powering Up Your Japanese Through Case Studies: Intermediate and Advanced Japanese.

382. (JPAN682) Japanese for the Professions II. (B) Takami.Prerequisite(s): Completion of JPAN 381 or the equivalent. Offered through the Penn Language Center

An intermediate level course of Japanese language focusing on workplace-related topics. Intended for students who will use Japanese in the professions. Textbook: Powering Up Your Japanese Through Case Studies: Intermediate and Advanced Japanese.

411. Advanced Japanese I. (A) Staff.Prerequisite(s): Completion of JPAN 312 or the equivalent.

Minimum 600 - 700 kanji knowledge is expected. A continuation of Japanese language beyond the intermediate level.

412. Advanced Japanese II. (B) Staff.Prerequisite(s): Completion of JPAN 411 or the equivalent.

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481. Advanced Japanese for Proficiency I. (A) Staff.Prerequisite(s): Completion of the JPAN 312 or 382 or the equivalent. Offered through Penn Language Center.

This course is for students with an advanced background in Japanese, who are interested in taking at least the Level 2 Japanese Proficiency Test. Solid grammar, an extensive vocabulary, and the knowledge of at least 800-900 Chinese characters is required. This course is not continuous with any existing 300-level Japanese course; therefore, your grade from a 300-level course does not qualify you to take this course. Eligibility will be determined through an interview and placement test taken in the first meeting. All students who take this course are required to take the Japanese Proficiency Test in December.

Since the JLPT is administered in December every year, if you wish to fully prepare for the test, the instructor strongly recommends that you take JPAN 482 first in the spring of the same year. For example, if you plan to take the test in December, 2010, start taking 482 in the spring 2010 and take 481 in the fall 2010. Different from other courses, this full-year course begins in the spring and ends in the fall, because the test is given in December. However, participation in 482 is optional.

482. Advanced Japanese for Proficiency II. (B) Staff.Prerequisite(s): Japanese proficiency test and permission of instructor. Offered through the Penn Language Center.

This course is for students with an advanced-low or advanced-mid background in Japanese, aiming to strengthen the four language skills (speaking, reading, writing, and listening) and to deepen their understanding of Japanese culture. The class will use authentic Japanese through media, such as newspapers, television, and articles, regarding Japanese culture and society as well as current news. Students will narrate, describe, and express their opinions with details, examples, and strong reasoning, using sophisticated terms and phrases related such topics.

491. (EALC251, EALC651) Readings in Classical Japanese I. (A) Chance, L..Prerequisite(s): Completion of JPAN 212 or equivalent.

Readings in classical texts drawn from the Heian, Kamakura, Muromachi, and Edo periods. Introduction to the different styles of classical Japanese, and to classical Japanese as a whole.

492. (EALC252, EALC652) Readings in Classical Japanese II. (B) Chance.Prerequisite(s): JPAN 212.

Readings in classical texts drawn from the Heian, Kamakura, Muromachi, and Edo periods. Introduction to the different styles of classical Japanese, and to classical Japanese as a whole.

511. Readings in Advanced Japanese. (G) Staff.Prerequisite(s): Completion of JPAN 412 or the equivalent.

Readings in advanced literary and journalistic texts written in modern Japanese.

512. Readings Advanced Japanese II. (D) Staff.Prerequisite(s): Completion of JPAN 511 or the equivalent.

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