

Department of Language and Cultures

JAPA132: Introductory Japanese 2

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Course Description

JAPA132 is a continuation of JAPA131. This paper aims to further build a basic foundation that will enable students to acquire and develop four language skills: listening, speaking, reading and writing.

Upon successful completion of this course, students should be able to make a guess or a prediction, to express the idea of "doing something tentatively," to talk about their determinations, to make a request, to talk about their experiences and so on.

Class times

Lectures: Monday, Wednesday, Friday: 10:00-10:50am

Tutorials: Stream 1 - Mon, Wed, Fri 11:00 - 11:50am

Stream 2 - Mon, Wed, Fri 1:00 - 1:50pm

Stream 3 - Mon, Wed, Fri 2:00 - 2:50pm

Assessment

Internal Assessment (40%)

Vocabulary Quizzes	15% (5 X 3%)
Vocabulary & Grammar Quizzes	12% (3 X 4%)
Kanji Quiz	3% (1 X 3%)
Mid-Term Test	10% (1 X 10%)

Final examination (60%)

Two-hour written examination	50%
Oral Test	10%

Textbook

げんき(GENKI) 1 (second edition) Textbook (covered from Ch10~Ch12) &
げんき(GENKI) 2 (second edition) Textbook (covered from Ch13~Ch18) and
Workbooks (sold separately. Workbook purchase strongly recommended)
[published by The Japan Times] Available at the University Book Store

Class Schedule

Topics	Tests and assignments	Weeks
<u>Chap 10:</u> Comparatives, superlatives, talking about plans and intentions, indicating a change, describing the means of transportation		1 & 2
<u>Chap 11:</u> Describing hope or aspiration, talking about experiences	Vocabulary Quiz 1	2 & 3
<u>Chap 12:</u> Making a statement, giving advice, giving reasons, saying that it is necessary to do something, making a guess or a prediction	Vocabulary Quiz 2 Vocabulary Quiz 3	3 & 4
<u>Chap 13:</u> Talking about something one can do, expressing the idea of "doing something tentatively," or "trying something," describing the frequency of events over a period of time		5 & 6
<u>Chap 14:</u> Talking about desire, meaning that something is a "possibility," giving and receiving, giving advice or recommendation	Vocabulary Quiz 4 Vocabulary Quiz 5	6 & 7

<p><u>Chap 15</u>: Suggesting a plan to close friends & family, talking about determinations, describing an action performed in preparation for something</p>	<p>Mid-Term Test</p>	<p>8 & 9</p>
<p><u>Chap 16</u>: Describing transactions of things, making a request, saying that one hopes something nice happens, describing when something happens or happened</p>	<p>Vocab & Grammar Quiz 1</p> <p>Vocab & Grammar Quiz 2</p>	<p>9 & 10</p>
<p><u>Chap 17</u>: Hearsay report, quoting what one has heard in informal speech, "if" conditionals, describing what one does not need to do</p>	<p>Vocab & Grammar Quiz 3</p> <p>Oral Test</p>	<p>10, 11 & 12</p>
<p><u>Chap 18</u>: Transitive verbs, saying that two actions are performed at the same time, meaning "I wish I had done or I should have done something"</p>	<p>Kanji Quiz</p>	<p>12 & 13</p>