

Tsuyama College		Year	2021	Course Title	Japanese History
Course Information					
Course Code	0026		Course Category	General / Compulsory	
Class Format	Lecture		Credits	School Credit: 2	
Department	Department of Integrated Science and Technology Advanced Science Program		Student Grade	2nd	
Term	Year-round		Classes per Week	2	
Textbook and/or Teaching Materials					
Instructor	KADOYA Hidenori, NOZAKI Kahoru				
Course Objectives					
Objectives: To cultivate historical thinking by analyzing the structural characteristics of Japanese politics, diplomacy, economics, and society in the first half of the 20th century in the context of the relationship between imperialization and nationalism, and to acquire a perspective on contemporary international society in the midst of globalization.					
1 Understanding the structural features of politics and foreign policy in the context of the relationship between constitutionalism and empire.					
2 To understand the structural features of Japanese capitalism and its changing process.					
3 To understand the characteristics of modernizing and popularizing society and culture.					
Rubric					
	Ideal Level	Standard Level	Acceptable Level	Unacceptable Level	
Achievement 1	To be able to explain briefly in one's own words the characteristics and changes in politics and diplomacy	Be able to give a general definition of an individual political or diplomatic event.	To have acquired a general knowledge of political and diplomatic events on a case-by-case basis.	The criteria listed to the left are not met.	
Achievement 2	Explain the structure and changes in Japanese capitalism in a concise manner in your own words.	To be able to define in general terms the specific requirements that characterize the Japanese economy.	To have acquired a general knowledge of the events of Japanese economic history.	The criteria listed to the left are not met.	
Achievement 3	Be able to succinctly explain the process of modernization and popularization in your own words.	To be able to give a general definition of each of the people and events that characterize modern Japanese society and culture.	Having acquired knowledge of people and events that represent society and culture as a general knowledge.	The criteria listed to the left are not met.	
Assigned Department Objectives					
Teaching Method					
Outline	General or Specialized : General Required, Elective, etc. : Required subjects Relationship with Educational Objectives : this class is equivalent to (1) Cultivate human creative talent, rich in practical abilities (5) Attain a global perspective and understanding of social development (7) Develop communication and presentation abilities Relationship with JABEE programs : The main goals of learning / education in this class are (B), B-2 Course outline : By studying the history of Japan in the first half of the 20th century from the point of view of the correlation between imperialization and nationalism, we aim to acquire knowledge that will guide us as we live in the future, and to develop our humanity from a global perspective.				
Style	Course method : Students should be able to construct a coherent picture of the content of the objectives indicated in the textbooks and supplementary handouts. Grade evaluation method : Examinations 4 times a year 100% (25% x 4) In principle, students are not allowed to bring their own documents to the regular examinations. However, students may be allowed to bring in their own notes, etc., only when there are situations in which proactive preparation is deemed necessary in order to measure the level of achievement.				
Notice	Course advice : This course is compulsory for the completion of the second year . To have an attitude of taking a stand on the facts, free of subjectivity. Being able to organise the facts in one's own way and present a coherent picture of the person and events. To discover the meaning of studying history. Foundational subjects: World History(1st year), Ethics(1st), Attendance advice: It is not easy to find joy in learning if you are passive. It is important to remember that learning will only become cultured if you are willing to learn. If you are late for a class, you should be aware that you will not be penalized for being late.				
Characteristics of Class / Division in Learning					
<input type="checkbox"/> Active Learning		<input type="checkbox"/> Aided by ICT		<input type="checkbox"/> Applicable to Remote Class	
<input type="checkbox"/> Instructor Professionally Experienced					
Course Plan					
			Theme	Goals	
1st Semester	1st Quarter	1st	Guidance from the syllabus and the direction of Japan's modernisation	To understand the general direction of modernisation as envisaged by Japan with the opening of the country.	
		2nd	The Formation of the Imperial Japanese Constitution and Features of Constitutional Government (1)	To understand the premises for the formation of the Imperial Constitution of Japan and its basic features.	

		3rd	The Formation of the Imperial Japanese Constitution and Features of Constitutional Government (2)	Understanding of clan politics and the establishment of political parties.			
		4th	Sino-Japanese War (1)	To understand the significance of Japan's foreign and defence policy and the Sino-Japanese conflict over the Korean Peninsula.			
		5th	Sino-Japanese War (2)	To learn about the Sino-Japanese War and to understand its significance.			
		6th	The Establishment of Japanese Capitalism and its Characteristics	To understand the characteristics of industrial society as established through policies for the promotion of industry and wealth.			
		7th	Mid-term examinations				
		8th	Return of answers and examination commentary for the first semester's midterm exams. Russo-Japanese War (1)	To understand the relationship between the Powers and China, a precondition for the Russo-Japanese War			
	2nd Quarter	9th	Russo-Japanese War (2)	To learn about the Russo-Japanese War and to understand its significance.			
		10th	Merger of the Korean peninsula	To understand the process of imperialisation. To gain knowledge of the Chinese Revolution.			
		11th	Taisho Democracy	To understand the formation and development of the movement to advance constitutional politics.			
		12th	The Development of Japanese Capitalism	To understand the characteristics of the structure of industry and the nature of labour that supports it.			
		13th	World War I (1)	To understand the background and development of the First World War and the purpose of Japan's involvement in the war.			
		14th	World War I (2)	A multifaceted understanding of the First World War and the Russian Revolution and their impact on Japan.			
		15th	First semester exam				
		16th	The return of answers to the first semester's final examinations and exam commentary. Japan in the interwar years(1)	To understand the development of social movements in the inter-war period.			
	2nd Semester	3rd Quarter	1st	Japan in the interwar years(2)	To understand the establishment and characteristics of party politics in the inter-war period.		
			2nd	Japan in the interwar years(3)	To understand the features of the international order in the inter-war period and the changes in Japanese diplomacy.		
3rd			Japan in the interwar years(4)	Understanding of social change and cultural popularisation.			
4th			The Great Depression and Japanese capitalism(1)	To understand the business cycle and the flow of fiscal and monetary policy after World War.			
5th			The Great Depression and Japanese capitalism(2)	To understand the causes and development of the Showa Depression and its impact on society.			
6th			The Manchurian Incident and the Sino-Japanese War (1)	To understand the situation in China after the Chinese Revolution and Japan's expansion into the continent.			
7th			The Manchurian Incident and the Sino-Japanese War (2)	To understand the political process leading to the end of party politics.			
8th			mid-term exam				
4th Quarter		9th	Mid-term exam papers returned and exam commentary. The Manchurian Incident and the Sino-Japanese War (3)	Understand the social changes brought about by the prolonged war.			
		10th	Asia Pacific War	To understand the background and development of the Second World War and the start of the Asia-Pacific War.			
		11th	Wartime Society and Resistance Movements	Understand the social, economic and resistance movements during the war.			
		12th	Front expansion and defeat	To understand the development of the 'Greater East Asia Co-Prosperity Sphere' and the process of wartime civilian life, ground warfare and war defeat.			
		13th	Occupied Japan	To understand the formation of the new international order and the Cold War. To understand demilitarisation and democratisation and national life			
		14th	Constitutional Law and the People	To understand the process of enactment of the Japanese Constitution and its economic and social reforms.			
		15th	final exam				
		16th	Return of answers to late stage exams and exam commentary				
Evaluation Method and Weight (%)							
	Examination	Presentation	Mutual Evaluations between students	Behavior	Portfolio	Other	Total

Subtotal	100	0	0	0	0	0	100
Basic Proficiency	100	0	0	0	0	0	100
Specialized Proficiency	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cross Area Proficiency	0	0	0	0	0	0	0