

Tsuyama College		Year	2021		Course Title	Japanese and Japanese Culture	
Course Information							
Course Code		0012		Course Category		General / Compulsory	
Class Format		Lecture		Credits		School Credit: 2	
Department		Department of Integrated Science and Technology Communication and Informations System Program		Student Grade		1st	
Term		Year-round		Classes per Week		2	
Textbook and/or Teaching Materials		Teacher-produced materials and others will be guided as appropriate.					
Instructor		SUGIYAMA Akira,MICHIGAMI Fumie					
Course Objectives							
Learning purposes : Learn about Japanese society and culture and deepen your understanding of it so that you can blend in with the Japanese community and make the most of your time at the school. Cultivate the ability to research the topic, organize the information gathered, and give a presentation in Japanese.							
Course Objectives : 1. Deepen your understanding of Japanese society and culture. 2. Gather information and be able to select and summarize the information you need. 3. To be able to give a simple presentation in Japanese.							
Rubric							
	Excellent		Good		Acceptable		Not acceptable
Achievement 1	Have a solid understanding of Japanese culture, which enables them to rethink their own culture and express their own opinions.		A solid understanding of the Japanese culture, and through that, the students will be able to rethink the culture of their home country.		Understand the Japanese culture to some extent.		Have not reached the level indicated on the left.
Achievement 2	The student can gather information and discard and compile the information I need from it.		The student can gather the information they need.		Able to gather necessary information under the direction of the teacher		Have not reached the level indicated on the left.
Achievement 3	Able to give a presentation that includes your own opinions based on the information gathered.		Able to give a presentation in Japanese based on the information gathered		Able to give a simple presentation in Japanese based on the information gathered		Have not reached the level indicated on the left.
Assigned Department Objectives							
Teaching Method							
Outline	General or Specialized : General Field of learning : Japanese language Foundational academic disciplines : Humanities/Literature, linguistics Relationship with Educational Objectives : This class is equivalent to "(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 "(F)", also "(B)" is involved. Course outline : This is an intensive class for first-year international students. Students will learn about Japanese culture and manners so that they will be able to live and study in Japan smoothly in the future. Students will also deepen their understanding of Okayama Prefecture and Tsuyama City. One of the goals is to make use of what they learn in class and in their daily lives to blend in with their surroundings. Students will also develop their ability to collect necessary materials, select and choose the information they need, summarize it, and make a presentation.						
Style	Course method : We will deepen our learning on the following topics in the form of classroom lectures and practical (training) 1. Japan and World War II 2. About the Japanese New Year Yayoi Town Mochi Pounding Festival, Homestay, New Year's calligraphy 3. About Okayama Prefecture 4. About Our Town Tsuyama Relationship between Tsuyama and Western Studies, History of Tsuyama National College of Technology 5. Manners in Japan - about honorific language 6. Japanese for health They will be asked to write a report on each topic in Japanese, which will be evaluated. Grade evaluation method : Assignments (70%), presentation (20%), and attendance (10%) will determine the overall evaluation. A score of 60 or more is considered a passing grade, and the student will not be required to retake the exam.						
Notice	Precautions on the enrollment : Students must take this class (no more than one-third of the required number of class hours missed) in order to complete the 1st year course. Course advice : Students should study up to Lesson 30 of "Minna no Nihongo Shokyu II (2nd Edition)" in advance and understand the contents of the study. There is a lot to learn, so students should prepare and review every day. We also want students to have an interest in the Japanese language and culture. Foundational subjects : Japanese language courses taken in my home country and training to prepare for study abroad. Related subjects : Japanese language I (1st year), Japanese writing(1st year), Japanese conversation and listening I (1st year), Japanese language II (2nd year), Japanese conversation and listening II (2nd year), Japanese language III(3rd year) Attendance advice : Actively participate in class and submit all assignments on time. Try to look up vocabulary you don't understand. Make an effort to find out information about Japan outside of class time. The content of the class will change depending on the class.						

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				
Must complete subjects				
Course Plan				
			Theme	Goals
1st Semester r	1st Quarter	1st	About Okayama Prefecture [Pre-coaching] What is Okayama Prefecture like? Transportation system in Japan	Understand the geography of Okayama Prefecture, its places of interest and Japan's transportation system.
		2nd	About Okayama Prefecture [Training] Learn how to read bus and train timetables. Be able to buy a ticket from a timetable or price list without assistance.	Understand the geography of Okayama Prefecture, its places of interest and Japan's transportation system.
		3rd	About Okayama Prefecture [Training] Tour of Okayama Castle and Korakuen Garden Make your own plan and put the plan into practice using Japanese.	Understand the geography of Okayama Prefecture, its places of interest and Japan's transportation system.
		4th	About Okayama Prefecture [Post Guidance] Create reports	Talk about what you learned in Okayama in Japanese and share it with others. Compose a report on the experience.
		5th	About the Japanese New Year [Pre-coaching] Research and present about Japanese New Year's Day.	Students will summarize their research in Japanese and present their findings.
		6th	About the Japanese New Year [Training] Participation in the Yayoi Town Mochi Pounding Festival	Participate in the Yayoi Town Mochi Pounding Festival to experience and understand a traditional Japanese event.
		7th	About the Japanese New Year [Training] Experiencing New Year's Eve and New Year's in Japan with a host family.	Experience and understand Japanese traditional events during homestay.
		8th	About the Japanese New Year [Training] Experiencing New Year's Eve and New Year's in Japan with a host family.	Experience and understand Japanese traditional events during homestay.
	2nd Quarter	9th	About the Japanese New Year [Post Guidance] Share what they experienced in Japanese, and create a report on what they did.	Discuss what they experienced in Japanese and write a report.
		10th	Japan and World War II [Pre-coaching] Research and write an investigation and report on Hiroshima Peace Memorial Museum and Peace Memorial Park. Research and write a report on Itsukushima Shrine, a world cultural heritage site. We plan the schedule of the study tour.	Students will summarize what they have researched in Japanese and present their findings. Each student will research the places of interest in Hiroshima, plan their own itinerary, and discuss their plans together.
		11th	Japan and World War II [Training] Training in Hiroshima (2 days and 1 night)	Participants will visit Peace Memorial Park to deepen their understanding of the atomic bombing and Hiroshima. The participants will also visit Itsukushima Shrine, a world cultural heritage site, to deepen their knowledge of Hiroshima.
		12th	Japan and World War II [Training] Training in Hiroshima (2 days and 1 night)	Participants will visit Peace Memorial Park to deepen their understanding of the atomic bombing and Hiroshima. The participants will also visit Itsukushima Shrine, a world cultural heritage site, to deepen their knowledge of Hiroshima.
		13th	Japan and World War II [Training] Training in Hiroshima (2 days and 1 night)	Participants will visit Peace Memorial Park to deepen their understanding of the atomic bombing and Hiroshima. The participants will also visit Itsukushima Shrine, a world cultural heritage site, to deepen their knowledge of Hiroshima.
		14th	Japan and World War II [Training] Training in Hiroshima (2 days and 1 night)	Participants will visit Peace Memorial Park to deepen their understanding of the atomic bombing and Hiroshima. The participants will also visit Itsukushima Shrine, a world cultural heritage site, to deepen their knowledge of Hiroshima.
		15th	Japan and World War II [Training] Training in Hiroshima (2 days and 1 night)	Participants will visit Peace Memorial Park to deepen their understanding of the atomic bombing and Hiroshima. The participants will also visit Itsukushima Shrine, a world cultural heritage site, to deepen their knowledge of Hiroshima.
		16th	Japan and World War II [Training] Training in Hiroshima (2 days and 1 night)	Participants will visit Peace Memorial Park to deepen their understanding of the atomic bombing and Hiroshima. The participants will also visit Itsukushima Shrine, a world cultural heritage site, to deepen their knowledge of Hiroshima.
2nd Semester r	3rd Quarter	1st	Japan and World War II [Post Guidance] Create reports	Discuss what they experienced in Japanese and write a report.

		2nd	Japanese New Year ·Goals for this year ·first calligraphy of the year	Think about your goals for this year and talk about them and why they are important to you in Japanese. Experience calligraphy.
		3rd	Japanese Manners - about honorific language Learn about honorific language	Understand the overall system of honorific language based on up and down and close relationships and use humble language appropriately.
		4th	Japanese Manners - about honorific language Learn about respectful language	Understand the overall system of honorific language based on up and down and close relationships and use humble language appropriately.
		5th	Japanese Manners - about honorific language Learn about humble language	Understand the overall system of honorific language based on up and down and close relationships and use humble language appropriately.
		6th	Japanese Manners - about honorific language Respectful language practice	Understand the overall system of honorific language based on up and down and close relationships and use humble language appropriately.
		7th	Japanese Manners - about honorific language Respectful language practice	Understand the overall system of honorific language based on up and down and close relationships and use humble language appropriately.
		8th	About Our Town Tsuyama [Pre-coaching] On Tsuyama and Western Studies [Training] Visit to the Tsuyama Museum of Western Studies	To understand the development of Western studies in Japan and its relationship with Tsuyama.
	4th Quarter	9th	About Our Town Tsuyama [Training] Visit to the Tsuyama Museum of Western Studies [Post Guidance] Create reports	To understand the development of Western studies in Japan and its relationship with Tsuyama.
		10th	Japanese for Health	Learn the names and symptoms of the disease and be able to speak in Japanese.
		11th	Japanese for Health	Learn the names and symptoms of the disease and be able to speak in Japanese.
		12th	Japanese for Health	Learn the names and symptoms of the disease and be able to speak in Japanese.
		13th	Japanese for Health	Learn the names and symptoms of the disease and be able to speak in Japanese.
		14th	About Our Town Tsuyama History of Tsuyama National College of Technology	By learning the history of Tsuyama National College of Technology, students will understand the relationship between the development of Japanese industry and the educational institution called a national college of technology.
		15th	About Our Town Tsuyama History of Tsuyama National College of Technology	By learning the history of Tsuyama National College of Technology, students will understand the relationship between the development of Japanese industry and the educational institution called a national college of technology.
		16th	feedback	We can share what we have learned through the intensive course "Japanese and Japanese Culture".

Evaluation Method and Weight (%)

	Assignments	Presentation	Mutual Evaluations between students	Behavior	Portfolio	Other	Total
Subtotal	70	20	0	10	0	0	100
Basic Proficiency	70	20	0	10	0	0	100
Specialized Proficiency	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cross Area Proficiency	0	0	0	0	0	0	0