

Tsuyama College		Year	2021		Course Title	Japanese Test	
Course Information							
Course Code		0023		Course Category		General / Elective	
Class Format		Lecture		Credits		School Credit: 1	
Department		Department of Integrated Science and Technology Communication and Informations System Program		Student Grade		1st	
Term		Year-round		Classes per Week		1	
Textbook and/or Teaching Materials		Reference books : "The Official Collection of Practice Questions for The Japanese Language Examination, Level 2", "The Official Collection of Past Problems for The Japanese Language Examination, Level 2", "The Official Textbook of The Japanese Language Examination, Advanced Level (for examinations at Levels 1 and 2)" (Tokyo Shoseki), etc., the official website of The Japanese Language Examination : <a href="http://www.nihongokentei.jp">http://www.nihongokentei.jp</a>					
Instructor		EHARA Yumiko					
Course Objectives							
Learning purposes : To improve the overall ability to use Japanese and to enhance communication skills.							
Course Objectives : 1. To expand knowledge of the Japanese language and apply it to communication in a variety of situations. ◎2. To be able to communicate using effective methods and means of explanation.							
Rubric							
	Excellent		Good		Acceptable		Not acceptable
Achievement 1	Pass The Japanese Language Examination Level 2 or higher with excellent grades.		Pass The Japanese Language Examination Level 2 or higher with good grades.		Pass The Japanese Language Examination Level 2 or higher.		Unable to pass Level 2 or higher of The Japanese Language Examination.
Achievement 2	To be able to communicate better by using the knowledge of Japanese language of Level 2 or higher of The Japanese Language Examination.		To be able to communicate smoothly by utilizing the knowledge of Japanese language of Level 2 or higher of The Japanese Language Examination.		To be able to communicate using the knowledge of Japanese language of Level 2 or higher of The Japanese Language Examination.		Unable to communicate using knowledge of Japanese at the second level of The Japanese Language Examination or higher.
Assigned Department Objectives							
Teaching Method							
Outline	General or Specialized : General Field of learning : Japanese Foundational academic disciplines : Literature, linguistics  Relationship with Educational Objectives : This class is equivalent to "(7) Develop communication and presentation abilities".  Relationship with JABEE programs : The main goal of learning / education in this class is "(E), E-2".  Course outline : Students will study the Japanese language (honorific expressions, grammar, vocabulary, meaning of words, notation, and kanji) on their own, and test the results of their studies by taking The Japanese Language Examination.						
Style	Course method : Under the guidance of the instructor, students will practice questions for The Japanese Language Examination on their own initiative.  Grade evaluation method : Students who have passed Level 2 or higher of The Japanese Language Examination must notify the instructor in charge and apply for credit to the Educational Affairs Section by the last day of the final examination of the school year. The Educational Affairs Committee will deliberate on the credit approval and evaluate whether the student passed or failed.						

Notice	<p>Precautions on the enrollment : Students must submit an application for elective courses by the designated date. In addition, this course is a qualifying course, and students must apply for credit in order to receive credit. The number of credits approved by the Educational Records and Programs Committee for Elective subjects is limited to 4 credits for general subjects.</p> <p>Course advice : As a preparatory study, students should check their own level by looking at the official website of The Japanese Language Examination. Students must take the examinations individually at the general venues (located in Okayama City and Kurashiki City in the prefecture). The examination dates for FY2021 are June 12 (Sat.) for the first session and November 13 (Sat.) for the second session.</p> <p>Foundational subjects : Japanese I (1st year), Japanese II (2nd), Japanese III (3rd), Japanese IV (4th) Related subjects : All subjects involving Japanese</p> <p>Attendance advice : The Japanese Language Examination consists of a wide range of questions in the six areas of honorifics, grammar, vocabulary, meaning of words, notation, and kanji, and a well-balanced score in all areas is necessary to pass. In order to pass the test, you will need to score well in all areas. Level 2 is at the level of working adults and university students, but it is difficult to pass on your own ability, so you will need to study for the test. Students should study in accordance with their own Japanese language ability and the date of the examination. There are three types of results for The Japanese Language Examination: "Certified," "Level 1 Certified," and "Failed." "Passing Level 2 or higher," for which credits are awarded, is either "Level 2 Certified," "Level 1 Certified," or "Level 1 Certified" (excluding "Level 2 Certified"). It is also possible to take Level 2 and Level 3 at the same time.</p>
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### Characteristics of Class / Division in Learning

<input type="checkbox"/> Active Learning	<input type="checkbox"/> Aided by ICT	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Applicable to Remote Class	<input type="checkbox"/> Instructor Professionally Experienced
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### Elective subjects

#### Course Plan

			Theme	Goals
1st Semester	1st Quarter	1st	Guidance on The Japanese Language Examination.	Understand the requirements for credit approval.
		2nd	Under the guidance of the teacher in charge, each student will practice questions for The Japanese Language Examination Level 2 or higher on their own initiative.	Study with the date of the exam in mind.
		3rd	Same as above.	Same as above.
		4th	Same as above.	Same as above.
		5th	Same as above.	Same as above.
		6th	Same as above.	Same as above.
		7th	Same as above.	Same as above.
		8th	1st semester mid-term exam	
	2nd Quarter	9th	Under the guidance of the teacher in charge, each student will practice questions for The Japanese Language Examination Level 2 or higher on their own initiative.	Study with the date of the exam in mind.
		10th	Same as above.	Same as above.
		11th	Same as above.	Same as above.
		12th	Same as above.	Same as above.
		13th	Same as above.	Same as above.
		14th	Same as above.	Same as above.
		15th	(1st semester final exam)	
		16th	Under the guidance of the teacher in charge, each student will practice questions for The Japanese Language Examination Level 2 or higher on their own initiative.	Study with the date of the exam in mind.
2nd Semester	3rd Quarter	1st	Under the guidance of the teacher in charge, each student will practice questions for The Japanese Language Examination Level 2 or higher on their own initiative.	Study with the date of the exam in mind.
		2nd	Same as above.	Same as above.
		3rd	Same as above.	Same as above.
		4th	Same as above.	Same as above.
		5th	Same as above.	Same as above.
		6th	Same as above.	Same as above.
		7th	Same as above.	Same as above.
		8th	2nd semester mid-term exam	
	4th Quarter	9th	Under the guidance of the teacher in charge, each student will practice questions for The Japanese Language Examination Level 2 or higher on their own initiative.	Study with the date of the exam in mind.
		10th	Same as above.	Same as above.
		11th	Same as above.	Same as above.

		12th	Same as above.	Same as above.
		13th	Same as above.	Same as above.
		14th	Same as above.	Same as above.
		15th	(2nd semester final exam)	
		16th	Explanation of credit application procedures for successful applicants.	Apply for credit by the due date.

Evaluation Method and Weight (%)							
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	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