

71010 UNIVERSITY PREPARATORY JAPANESE

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COURSE DESCRIPTION

This course is designed for IJ600 and high-achieving IJ500 students who are planning to take entrance examinations for universities or colleges in Japan. The language of instruction for the course is Japanese. Sample entrance examination questions and Japanese Language Proficiency Test questions are provided in class, together with the answers and explanations. Students must review each lesson, using materials assigned. Please note that auditing is not permitted for this course.

COURSE SCHEDULE

1. Introduction
2. Practice for Japanese Language Proficiency Test Level 1: Kanji and vocabulary (1)
3. Practice for Japanese Language Proficiency Test Level 1: Kanji and vocabulary (2)
4. Practice for Japanese Language Proficiency Test Level 1: Listening (1)
5. Practice for Japanese Language Proficiency Test Level 1: Listening (2)
6. Practice for Japanese Language Proficiency Test Level 1: Reading and grammar (1)
7. Practice for Japanese Language Proficiency Test Level 1: Reading and grammar (2)
8. Mid-term examination
9. Practice for the Japanese University Admission for International Students examination: Listening
10. Practice for the Japanese University Admission for International Students examination: Listening / Reading
11. Practice for the Japanese University Admission for International Students examination: Essay writing
12. Practice for a university entrance examination
13. Final examination

TEXTS

Textbook: None

Materials are provided.

ASSESSMENT

Attendance and class participation 20%; Assignments 20%; Quizzes 20%; Mid-term examination 20%; Final examination 20%