

82010 CHINESE BLACK INK PAINTING (*Sumie*)

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COURSE DESCRIPTION

This course introduces students to the ancient art form of *sumie* or Chinese black ink painting. Students gain an appreciation of this artistic discipline through practice of various techniques. The course is conducted in a mixture of Japanese, English or Spanish.

COURSE SCHEDULE

- Introduction: Free painting with *sumie*
- Discovery of light and shades of the ink
- Start of the first project
- Practicing basic brush stroke techniques
- Practicing brush stroke techniques with actual models or textbooks (including picture copying)
- Research and copying of classical drawing techniques
- Attempt new techniques without a brush

TEXTS

Textbook

杉山律夫『墨の花画集』 [*Sumie Flower Book*] エフエー出版, 1993.

ASSESSMENT

Attendance and class participation 30%; Assignments 70%