

**Subject:** 【For Exchange Students】 Japanese Elementary Grammar (1 credit)

**Class time & Lecturer:** Tuesday, Period 3: TATSUMI Tsuguko

**Target:** Those able to read and write hiragana and katakana, and communicate simply in early beginner-level Japanese

**Learning objectives:**

- ① Construct accurate sentences by correctly using basic verb conjugations and appropriate particles.
- ② Achieve personal objectives in specific everyday situations by applying learned grammar.
- ③ Use learned vocabulary and grammar to briefly describe objects or situations, and to state reasons or opinions.

**Class schedule \*Tentative**

**Note:** The pace of the course schedule may be adjusted depending on circumstances.

	Date	Day	Textbook	Contents
1	14 April	Tue	Orientation, Self-Introduction	Self-introductions
2	21 April	Tue	UNIT 3: Te-form ①	Polite Requests
3	28 April	Tue	UNIT 3: Te-form ②	Permission and Prohibition
4	12 May	Tue	UNIT 8: Adjectives ①	Comparatives and Superlatives
5	19 May	Tue	UNIT 8: Adjectives ②	Manner
6	26 May	Tue	UNIT 4: Te-form ③	Situation Description
7	2 June	Tue	Revision	Review of Lessons 1–6
8	9 June	Tue	Mid-term examination	Written & Oral Examinations
9	16 June	Tue	UNIT 5: Ta-Form	Experience & Advice
10	23 June	Tue	UNIT 6: Nai-Form	Prohibition and Obligation
11	30 June	Tue	UNIT 9: Potential Form	Ability & Change
12	7 July	Tue	UNIT 10: Plain Form ①	Noun Modification
13	14 July	Tue	UNIT 10: Plain Form ②	Reason & Explanation
14	21 July	Tue	UNIT 13: Expressions of Giving and Receiving	Benefit
15	28 July	Tue	Final Examination	Written & Oral Examinations

**Evaluation:** Exams (Mid-term & Final): 60%, In-class Tasks: 20%, Assignments (homework, quizzes, etc.): 10%, Class participation: 10%

**Textbook:** NIHONGO FUN & EASYII』 (Asuku) (Purchase required)

**Others:**

- If you are absent four or more times, you will be excluded from assessment. Consequently, even if you take the final examination, the score will not be included in your final grade.
- Arriving more than 20 minutes late or leaving early counts as an absence. Three instances of late arrival or early departure count as one absence.
- Students taking this course in the second semester must retake the placement test.

**Subject** 【For Exchange Students】 Japanese A Level (Japanese A: Beginner Part 1) (1 credit)

**Lecture Time/Instructor** Thursday, 1st period or 4th period: TATSUMI, Tsuguko

**Target Students** learning Japanese for the first time

**Learning Objectives**

- Learn natural Japanese expressions immediately applicable in daily life, aiming to achieve communication in Japanese
- Learn to read and write hiragana.

**Class schedule** \*Tentative

Note: The pace of the course schedule may be adjusted depending on circumstances.

English may be used as an auxiliary language for instructions and explanations.

	Date	Day	Unit	Contents
1	16 April	Thu	Guidance, Unit 1	Guidance, Introducing Yourself
2	23 April	Thu	Unit 2	Asking for Directions
3	30 April	Thu	Unit 3	Shopping
4	7 May	Thu	Unit 3 & 4	Shopping & Convenience stores and restaurants
5	14 May	Thu	Unit 3 & 4	Shopping & Convenience stores and restaurants
6	21 May	Thu	Unit 5 & 9	Asking permission & Talking about impressions
7	28 May	Thu	Midterm Exam	The midterm Exam
8	4 June	Thu	Unit 6	Making requests
9	11 June	Thu	Unit 7	Transportation
10	18 June	Thu	Unit 8	Talking about plans and activities
11	25 June	Thu	Unit 9 & 11: Life in Japan	Talking about impressions & Making Small Talk
12	2 July	Thu	Unit 10 & 12: Making and invitations	Eating & Socialising II - Invitations
13	9 July	Thu	Unit 12 • Speech Preparation	Preparation for the speech
14	16 July	Thu	Speech presentation	Review, other materials
15	23 July	Thu	Final Exam	The final Exam

**Evaluation:** Exams (mid-term and final) 60%, Assignments (homework, presentations, etc.) 20%, Class participation 20%

**Textbook:** 『NIHONGO FUN & EASY』 2nd edition (Asuku) (Purchase required)

**Others:**

- Students with four or more absences will be excluded from assessment. Consequently, even if they sit the final exam, their score will not be included in the final grade.
- Arriving more than 20 minutes late or leaving early will be counted as an absence. Furthermore, three instances of late arrival or early departure will be counted as one absence.
- Students taking the course in the second semester must retake the placement test.

**Subject:** For Exchange Students】 Japanese B Class (Japanese B: Lower Intermediate) (1 credit)

**Class time & Lecturer:** Tuesday, 4th Period: TATSUMI Tsuguko

**Target:** Students who can read and write hiragana and communicate simply in introductory-level Japanese

**Learning objective:**

- ① To enable students to engage in everyday communication using early beginner-level Japanese.
- ② To explain oneself, one's belongings, locations, etc., not just using individual words but by connecting sentences.
- ③ Use learned vocabulary and grammar to briefly explain daily routines and habits.

**Class schedule \*Tentative**

**Note:** The pace of the course schedule may be adjusted depending on circumstances.

English may be used as an auxiliary language for instructions or explanations.

	Month/ Date	Day	Unit	Contents
1	14 April	Tue	Guidance, Introducing Yourself	Guidance, Introducing Yourself
2	21 April	Tue	Topic 6 Eating Outdoors	Topic 6 Eating Outdoors
3	28 April	Tue	Topic 6 Eating Outdoors	Topic 6 Eating Outdoors
4	12 May	Tue	Topic 4 Going Out	Topic 4 Going Out
5	19 May	Tue	Topic 4 Going out	Topic 4 Going Out
6	26 May	Tue	Topic 5 Foreign Languages and Foreign Cultures	Languages and Cultures of Other Countries
7	2 June	Tue	Midterm Exam	The Midterm Exam
8	9 June	Tue	Review & Topic 3	Review, Topic 3: My Town
9	16 June	Tue	Topic 3 My Town	Topic 3 My Town
10	23 June	Tue	Topic 7 Business Trips	Topic7 Business Trips
11	30 June	Tue	Topic 7 Business Trips	Topic 7 Business Trips
12	7 July	Tue	Speech Preparation	Preparation for the Speech
13	14 July	Tue	Speech Presentation	Speech
14	21 July	Tue	Final Exam	The Final Exam
15	28 July	Tue	Review and Summary	Review, Summary

**Evaluation:** Examinations (mid-term and final) 60%, Assignments (homework, presentations, etc.) 20%, Class participation 20%

**Textbook:**

『まるごと日本のことばと文化』(三修社) Marugoto : Japanese language and culture (Sanshuusha) ・ 初級 1 (A2) かつどう/Elementary 1 (A2) communicative (purchase required)

**Others:**

- Absence exceeding four sessions will result in exclusion from assessment; even if the final examination is taken, the score will not be included in the final grade.
- Arriving more than 20 minutes late or leaving early counts as an absence. Furthermore, three instances of late arrival or early departure count as one absence.
- Students taking this course in the second semester must retake the placement test.

**Subject:** 【For Exchange Students】 Japanese C Class (Japanese C: Lower Intermediate) (1 credit)

**Class time & Lecturer:** Wednesday, 2nd Period: TATSUMI, Tsuguko

**Target** • International students who have mastered the first half of the beginner level of Japanese

**Learning objective:**

- ① Express one's opinions and thoughts on social issues.
- ② To acquire the vocabulary and grammar necessary to achieve the goal of communicating effectively in social activities using upper-beginner level Japanese.
- ③ Understand the societies and cultures of Japan and one's own country, along with the underlying values.

**Class schedule** \*Tentative

Note: The schedule may be subject to change depending on circumstances.

	Date	Day	Unit	Contents
1	15 April	Wed	Guidance, Self-Introduction	Introduce your name, family, and hobbies
2	22 April	Wed	Topic 3	Comforting foods
3	29 April	Wed	Topic 3	Comforting Food
4	13 May	Wed	Topic 5	The Joy of Learning Words
5	20 May	Wed	Topic 2	Looking for a House
6	27 May	Wed	Topic 7	A Town of History and Culture
7	3 June	Wed	Topic 7	Town of History and Culture
8	10 June	Wed	Mid-term examination	Written and Oral Examinations
9	17 June	Wed	Mid-term Exam Feedback & Topic 8	Exam feedback, travel mishaps
10	24 June	Wed	Topic 8 & Presentation Preparation	Travel troubles, speech draft preparation
11	1 July	Wed	Presentation	
12	8 July	Wed	Topic 7	Worry Consultation
13	15 July	Wed	Topic 9	Looking for work
14	22 July	Wed	Final Exams	Final Exams
15	29 July	Wed	Final Exam Feedback & Summary	Examination Feedback and Review

**Evaluation:**

Exams (mid-term & final) 60%, Assignments (homework, presentations, etc.) 20%, Class Participation 20%

**Textbook:**

『まるごと日本のことばと文化』（三修社）Marugoto : Japanese language and culture (Sanshuusha) ・ 初中級/Pre-Intermediate (A2/B1) (購入必須) (Purchase required)

**Others:**

- Students with four or more absences will be excluded from assessment; even if they take the final exam, the score will not be included in the final grade.
- Arriving more than 20 minutes late or leaving early counts as an absence. Furthermore, three instances of late arrival or early departure count as one absence.
- Students taking this course in the second semester must retake the placement test.