Miyazaki International College

Course Syllabus

Spring 2019

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| Course Title ( Credits ) | JA2 - Japanese 2 |
| Course Designation for TC |  |
| Language Teacher | |
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| Course Description: | | |
| This class is designed for students who have beginner and intermediate level of Japanese. Students will learn basic vocabulary that is necessary for their daily life in Japan and try to use in their Japanese conversation. Also students learn basic Japanese grammar and Kanji so that they will be able to take JLPT.  JLPT ・・・Japanese Language Proficiency Test  N5 110 kanji  N4 200 kanji  Intermediate ~ advance 700 kanji | | |
| Course Objectives | | |
| The aims of this class are to acquire basic words and phrases needed for daily life and improve their Japanese skills. Also students will get basic grammar knowledge to help their daily conversation and to help to pass the JLPT(from N3 to N1 depends on their level of Japanese ). | | |
| Course Schedule | | |
| Day | Topic | Content/Activities |
| 1 | explanation | Level check |
| 2 | Vocabulary 1 | Kanji reading / writing |
| 3 | Vocabulary 2 | Kanji reading / writing |
| 4 | Vocabulary 3 | Kanji reading / writing |
| 5 | Grammar 1 | Verb form and practice |
| 6 | Grammar 2 | Verb form and practice |
| 7 | Grammar 3 | Verb form and practice |
| 8 | Grammar 4 | Adjectives and practice |
| 9 | Grammar 5 | Adjectives and practice |
| 10 | Reading 1 | Reading practice style ① |
| 11 | Reading 2 | Reading practice style ② |
| 12 | Listening 1 | Listening practice (CD conversation ) |
| 13 | Listening2 | Listening practice(CD conversation) |
| 14 | Communication 1 | Talking practice and conversation |
| 15 | Communication 2 | Talking practice and conversation |
| 16 | Final Examination | Writing and talking |
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| Required Materials: | | |
| Textbook and note book | | |
| Course Policies (Attendance, etc.) | | |
| Participation is required at all classes. If you have three 'unexcused absences' you will drop one letter grade (for example from a B to C). If you have four 'unexcused absences' you will be asked to withdraw from the class. An 'unexcused absence' is any absence for which you do not have permission. If you have five absences (even if you have permission), you will not be able to take the Final examination. It means you will withdraw from the class. | | |
| Class Preparation and Review | | |
| Students are expected to spend at least one hour reviewing and doing homework and 30min preparing for every hour of lesson time. | | |
| Grades and Grading Standards | | |
| 60% in class assignments and participation  10% homework  30% final examination  Participation….means ask questions, answer questions and try to make an effort to understand and get new knowledge. | | |
| Methods of Feedback: | | |
| Students will receive feedback on their work du ring class. | | |
| Diploma Policy Objectives: | | |
| Work completed in this course helps students achieve the following Diploma Policy objective(s):  1: Advanced thinking skills (comparison, analysis, synthesis, and evaluation) based on critical thinking (critical and analytic thought)  2: The ability to understand and accept different cultures developed through acquisition of a broad knowledge and comparison of the cultures of Japan and other nations  3: The ability to identify and solve problems  4: Advanced communicative proficiency in both Japanese and English | | |
| Notes: | | |
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