

COURSE OUTLINE

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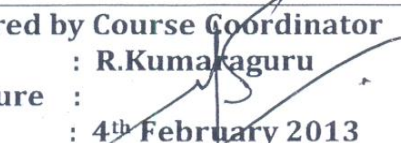
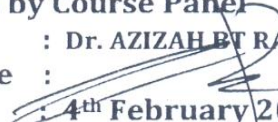
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Synopsis : The ability to converse using foreign languages is an asset that is highly demanded in this era of globalization. This "**Japanese Language for Postgraduates**" course is specially designed to equip postgraduates with the basic skills of learning Japanese Language. This course is designed using the Y3K formula consisting of: Yomi (Reading), Kaki(Writing)-Hiragana & Katakana, Kiku(Listening) and Kaiwa (Speaking). Cultural elements will be incorporated in each lesson and students will be required to do a presentation about Japanese culture and work ethics. By the end of this course, the postgraduates will be able to read, write and converse in basic Japanese Language and this will benefit them in their future career.

LEARNING OUTCOMES

By the end of the course, students should be able to:

No.	Course Learning Outcome	Programme Learning Outcome Addressed	Cognitive, Psychomotor and Affective Level	Assessment Method
1	pronounce and write Hiragana and Katakana	CS1	C1 P3	Q, Ex, T
2	carry out basic daily conversation in Japanese	CS1	C3 P3 A2	Ex
3	identify main ideas in short texts	CS2	C3	Q, T, Ex
4	write a short essay	CS1	C3 P3	Q, T, Ex
5	present the results of a study on Japanese culture / work ethics	CS3	C3 P3 A3	A, P

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STUDENT LEARNING TIME

Teaching and Learning Activities	Student Learning Time (hours)
1. Lecture	42
2. Self directed learning <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Written exercises - Preparation for lecture's quiz - Information seeking: Library / Internet 	42
3. SCL / Exercise JEXs	22
4. Assignment	10
5. Test (2)	2
6. Presentation	2
Total	120

TEACHING METHODOLOGY

Lecture and discussion
 Communicative exercise in groups
 Presentation

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WEEKLY SCHEDULE

Week 1	:	1.1	Introduction to Japanese Language for postgraduates course
		1.2	Introduction-Sound System, writing & sentence structure of Japanese
		1.3	Language
			Communicative Exercise / Quiz 1
Week 2	:	2.1	Greetings 1
		2.2	Hiragana あ - か
		2.3	Exercise komunikasi / Quiz 2
Week 3	:	3.1	Greetings 2
		3.2	Hiragana さ - た
		3.3	Vocabulary, Communicative Exercise / Quiz 3
Week 4	:	4.1	Greetings 3
		4.2	Hiragana な - は / Usage of 'はい・いいえ'
		4.3	Vocabulary, Communicative Exercise / Quiz 4
Week 5	:	5.1	Greetings 4
		5.2	Self-Introduction 1
		5.3	Hiragana ま - や / Vocabulary, Communicative Exercise / Quiz 5
Week 6	:	6.1	Greetings 5
		6.2	Self-Introduction 2
		6.3	Hiragana ら - ん / Vocabulary / Quiz 6 / Exercise Jexs 1
Week 7	:	7.1	Number 0 - 100
		7.2	Introducing Friend / Exercise Jexs 2
		7.3	TEST 1
Week 8	:		Mid Semester Break (Yasumi)
Week 9	:	9.1	Number 100 - 10 000
		9.2	Particle 'は'
		9.3	Hiragana が - ぼ / Communicative Exercise / Quiz 7
		9.4	Presentation & Discussion
Week 10	:	10.1	Particle 'も' & 'の'
		10.2	Question & Answer "なん、なんの、だれ、どこ"
		10.3	Hiragana きゃ - びょ / Vocabulary/ Listening 1
		10.4	Presentation & Discussion
Week 11	:	11.1	Naming objects 1- これ・それ・あれ
		11.2	Hiragana はつおん・長音 / Vocabulary
		11.3	Quiz 8 / Exercise Jexs 3
		11.4	Presentation & Discussion

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Week 12	:	12.1	Naming objects 2- この・その・あの
		12.2	Question & Answer “だれの、どなた”
		12.3	Revision for Hiragana / Vocabulary / Quiz 9
		12.4	Presentation & Discussion
Week 13	:	13.1	Reading Number – Age/ Year/ Telephone Number
		13.2	Exercise Jexs 4 / Assignment
		13.3	Quiz 10
		13.4	Presentation & Discussion
Week 14	:	14.1	Verbs 1 / Particle ‘を’ / Exercise Jexs 5
		14.2	Listening 2
		14.3	Revision
Week 15	:	15.1	Verbs 2
		15.2	Test 2
Week 16	:	Study week	

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GRADING

No.	Assessment	Quantity	Percentage (%)	Total Percentage (%)	Assessment week
1.	Attendance	14	½	7	Week 1 - 15
2.	Quiz (Q) Writing Listening	10 2	1 2	14	Week 1 – 6, 9, 11-12 Week 10, 14
3.	Exercise JEXs	5	2	10	Week 6, 7, 11, 13, 14
4.	Assignment / Visit (A)	1	9	9	Week 13-16
5.	Presentation (P)	1	10	10	Week 9 -13
6.	Test (T)	2	25	50	Week 8 & 15
Total				100	