## **Opasraportti**

### LC - Japanese (2019 - 2020)

# Tutkintorakenteisiin kuulumattomat opintokokonaisuudet ja - jaksot

905042Y: Elementary Course in Japanese 1, 5 op 905043Y: Elementary Course in Japanese 2, 5 op 905044Y: Intermediate Course in Japanese 1, 5 op 905045Y: Intermediate Course in Japanese 2, 5 op

905047Y: Japanese KANA and KANJI Course for Beginners 1, 2 op 905048Y: Japanese KANA and KANJI Course for Beginners 2, 1 - 3 op

905049Y: Japanese KANJI Course 1, 2 op 905050Y: Japanese KANJI Course 2, 1 - 3 op

### Opintojaksojen kuvaukset

## Tutkintorakenteisiin kuulumattomien opintokokonaisuuksien ja -jaksojen kuvaukset

#### 905042Y: Elementary Course in Japanese 1, 5 op

Voimassaolo: 01.08.1995 -

Opiskelumuoto: Language and Communication Studies

Laji: Course

Vastuuyksikkö: Languages and Communication

Arvostelu: 1 - 5, pass, fail
Opintokohteen kielet: Finnish

Leikkaavuudet:

ay905042Y Elementary Course in Japanese 1 (OPEN UNI) 5.0 op

#### **Proficiency level:**

A1 on the CEFR scale

#### Status:

This course is optional. It may be included in the language minor (25 ECTS) in OBS. The course may also be included in Language, Cultural and Communication Studies (the KieKuVi module). Voluntary for students who study Japanese Studies as a minor subject.

#### Required proficiency level:

For beginners. No previous studies required.

**ECTS Credits:** 

5 ECTS credits

#### Language of instruction:

Japanese / Finnish

Timing:

Autumn term

#### Learning outcomes:

Upon completion of the course the student should be able to communicate both orally and in writing by using simple phrases and idioms. The student should be able to introduce himself/herself and his/her family and discuss daily and weekly events using relevant basic vocabulary. The student should be familiar with the basics of Japanese etiquette and customs.

#### Contents:

The course unit offers the student basic information about Japanese grammar and writing system. The student is familiarised with *kana* characters and the best ways to learn them. The student learns useful phrases and works with a partner or in a small group and practises speaking and listening comprehension with the help of dialogue examples. The student also practises vocabulary in interview exercises, games and pair and group work (basic idioms, numbers, days of the week, locations, nationalities, family members and basic adjectives and verbs). The grammar covered by the course unit includes the dictionary and *masu* forms of verbs, the dictionary forms of adjectives, the negative form, the forms of the imperfect tense and the basic syllables: *ha* (pronounced *wa*) , *ga, mo, wo, ni, de* etc.

#### Mode of delivery:

Contact teaching

#### Learning activities and teaching methods:

4 hours of teaching per week (2 sessions) and independent study.

#### Target group:

Students of the University of Oulu. Students of other faculties, exchange students and students of the University of Applied Sciences in Oulu may also participate, provided that there is space in the group. For the time being, the students of the University of Applied Sciences apply for a special study right.

#### Prerequisites and co-requisites:

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#### Recommended optional programme components:

905057Y Japanese KANA and 905050Y KANJI Course for Beginners 1

#### Recommended or required reading:

More information about the book will be available on August. Students will be provided with some additional material by the teacher.

#### Assessment methods and criteria:

Regular and active participation in contact teaching and final exam.

Read more about <u>assessment criteria</u> at the University of Oulu webpage.

#### **Grading:**

1 - 5 / fail

#### Person responsible:

Takako Karppinen

#### Working life cooperation:

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#### Other information:

Students sign up for the course in WebOodi. If you do not yet have your WebOodi username and password, or if the sign-up period has passed, sign up by emailing the teacher.

#### 905043Y: Elementary Course in Japanese 2, 5 op

Voimassaolo: 01.08.1995 -

Opiskelumuoto: Language and Communication Studies

Laji: Course

Vastuuyksikkö: Languages and Communication

Arvostelu: 1 - 5, pass, fail Opintokohteen kielet: Finnish

Leikkaavuudet:

ay905043Y Elementary Course in Japanese 2 (OPEN UNI) 5.0 op

#### **Proficiency level:**

A1-A2 on the CEFR scale.

#### Status:

This course is optional. It may be included in the language minor (25 ECTS) in OBS. It may also be included in Language, Cultural and Communication Studies (the KieKuVi module). Voluntary for students who study Japanese Studies as a minor subject.

#### Required proficiency level:

905042Y Elementary Course in Japanese I. (The Japanese KANA and KANJI Course I is also recommended.).

#### **ECTS Credits:**

5 ECTS credits

#### Language of instruction:

Japanese / Finnish

#### Timing:

Spring term

#### Learning outcomes:

Upon completion of the course unit the student should be able to manage in various simple language use situations. Additionally, the student should be able to converse with a Japanese person using basic vocabulary and be able to express his/her opinions about matters relating to everyday life. The student should be able to write simple Japanese texts that include subordinate clauses with Japanese characters and read similar texts aloud. The student should have become more knowledgeable of Japanese customs.

#### Contents:

Throughout the course unit the student will learn additional basic Japanese grammar, vocabulary and subordinate clauses using kana characters. The student will participate in various kinds of exercises such as pair/group conversation, listening, making example sentences, text comprehension and textbook exercises. The student will also learn to use the inflectional forms of essential verbs and adjectives in different structures.

#### Mode of delivery:

Contact teaching

#### Learning activities and teaching methods:

4 hours of teaching per week (2 sessions) and independent study.

#### Target group:

Students of the University of Oulu. Students of other faculties, exchange students and students of the University of Applied Sciences in Oulu may also participate, provided that there is space in the group. For the time being, the students of the University of Applied Sciences apply for a special study right.

#### Prerequisites and co-requisites:

See Required proficiency level

#### Recommended or required reading:

Textbook: T. Karppinen, Japanin alkeet, Finn Lecture, 2014. Students will be provided with some additional material by the teacher.

#### Assessment methods and criteria:

Regular and active participation in contact teaching and final exam.

Read more about assessment criteria at the University of Oulu webpage.

#### **Grading:**

1 - 5 / fail

#### Person responsible:

Takako Karppinen.

#### Working life cooperation:

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#### Other information:

Students sign up for the course unit in WebOodi. If you do not yet have your WebOodi username and password, or if the sign-up period has passed, sign up by emailing the teacher.

#### 905044Y: Intermediate Course in Japanese 1, 5 op

Voimassaolo: 01.08.1995 -

Opiskelumuoto: Language and Communication Studies

Laji: Course

Vastuuyksikkö: Languages and Communication

**Arvostelu:** 1 - 5, pass, fail **Opintokohteen kielet:** Finnish

#### **Proficiency level:**

A2 on the CEFR scale.

#### Status:

This course is optional. It may be included in the OBS language minor (25 ECTS). It may also be included in Language, Cultural and Communication Studies (the KieKuVi module). Compulsory for students who study Japanese Studies as a minor subject.

#### Required proficiency level:

Successful completion of Elementary Japanese course II.

#### **ECTS Credits:**

5 ECTS credits

#### Language of instruction:

Japanese / Finnish

#### Timing:

Autumn term

#### Learning outcomes:

Upon completion of the course unit the student should be able to use subordinate clause structures and the different clause types. He/she should read and speak Japanese more fluently. The student should be able to write texts both by hand and with a computer program using syllabic characters as well as *kanji* characters.

#### **Contents:**

Throughout the course the student reviews basic grammatical structures and broadens his/her vocabulary and knowledge of grammar. The student reads texts containing *kanji* characters with the help of *furigana*. Additionally, the student practises reading and listening comprehension with the help of CDs and material on the Internet. The student becomes familiar with the different styles of spoken language (plain, polite and respectful style) and practises speech in front of the class and in small groups. The grammatical structures discussed during the course unit include the various forms of the *te* participial, tentative and potential forms, tenses and expressions of modality ('must, need, may' etc.).

#### Mode of delivery:

Contact teaching

#### Learning activities and teaching methods:

4 hours of teaching per week (2 sessions) and independent study.

#### Target group:

Students of the University of Oulu. Students of other faculties, exchange students and students of the University of Applied Sciences in Oulu may also participate, provided that there is space in the group. For the time being, the students of the University of Applied Sciences apply for a special study right.

#### Prerequisites and co-requisites:

See Required proficiency level

#### Recommended optional programme components:

905049Y Japanese KANJI Course 1

#### Recommended or required reading:

Information about the course book will be informed on August. Also other material from the teacher.

#### Assessment methods and criteria:

Regular and active participation in contact teaching, completion of given assignments and final exam. Read more about assessment criteria at the University of Oulu webpage.

#### **Grading:**

1 - 5 / fail

#### Person responsible:

Takako Karppinen

#### Working life cooperation:

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#### Other information:

Students sign up for the course unit in WebOodi. If you do not yet have your WebOodi username and password, or if the sign-up period has passed, sign up by emailing the teacher.

#### 905045Y: Intermediate Course in Japanese 2, 5 op

Voimassaolo: 01.08.1995 -

Opiskelumuoto: Language and Communication Studies

Laji: Course

Vastuuyksikkö: Languages and Communication

Arvostelu: 1 - 5, pass, fail
Opintokohteen kielet: Finnish

#### **Proficiency level:**

#### A2-B1 on the CEFR scale

#### Status:

This course is optional. It may be included in the OBS language minor (25 ECTS). The course may also be included in Language, Cultural and Communication Studies (the KieKuVi module). Voluntary for students who study Japanese Studies as a minor subject.

#### Required proficiency level:

Intermediate Course in Japanese I (905044Y), Japanese KANA course (905057Y) and Japanese KANJI Course 1 (905049Y).

#### **ECTS Credits:**

5 ECTS credits

#### Language of instruction:

Japanese / Finnish

#### Timing:

Spring term

#### Learning outcomes:

Upon completion of the course unit the student should be able to manage in practical speech situations quite well and be able to express his/her opinions to a moderate degree. Additionally, the student should be able to make the distinction between formal and informal language. The student should also be able to read intermediate-level texts and write a lecture diary or short essay by hand and with a word processing program.

#### Contents:

The student broadens his/her vocabulary. He/she practises spotting stylistic differences in both spoken and written Japanese. Additionally, the student practises reading and listening comprehension with the help of CDs. Speaking and speech comprehension are practised in class and in small discussion groups. The student reads texts containing *kanji* characters with the help of *furigana*. The grammatical forms discussed during the course unit include different ways of expressing the *te* participial, passive and causative forms, conditional forms and the different honorific styles (respectful style and humble style).

#### Mode of delivery:

Contact teaching and independent study

#### Learning activities and teaching methods:

3 - 4 hours of teaching per week (2 sessions) and independent study.

#### Target group:

Students of the University of Oulu. Students of other faculties, exchange students and students of the University of Applied Sciences in Oulu may also participate, provided that there is space in the group. For the time being, the students of the University of Applied Sciences apply for a special study right.

#### Prerequisites and co-requisites:

See Required proficiency level

#### Recommended optional programme components:

Japanese KANJI Course 3 (905056Y).

#### Recommended or required reading:

Information about the course book will be available on August. Also course material to be printed by the student will be distributed by the teacher.

#### Assessment methods and criteria:

Regular and active participation in contact teaching and completion of the given assignments. In the end of the course: an oral presentation.

Read more about assessment criteria at the University of Oulu webpage.

#### **Grading:**

1 - 5 / fail

#### Person responsible:

Takako Karppinen

#### Working life cooperation:

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#### Other information:

Students sign up for the course unit in WebOodi. If you do not yet have your WebOodi username and password, or if the sign-up period has passed, sign up by emailing the teacher.

#### 905047Y: Japanese KANA and KANJI Course for Beginners 1, 2 op

Voimassaolo: 01.08.2006 -

Opiskelumuoto: Language and Communication Studies

Laji: Course

Vastuuyksikkö: Languages and Communication

Arvostelu: 1 - 5, pass, fail Opintokohteen kielet: Finnish

Leikkaavuudet:

ay905047Y Japanese KANA and KANJI Course for Beginners 1 (OPEN UNI) 1.0 op

Voidaan suorittaa useasti: Kyllä

#### 905048Y: Japanese KANA and KANJI Course for Beginners 2, 1 - 3 op

Voimassaolo: 01.08.2006 -

Opiskelumuoto: Language and Communication Studies

Laji: Course

Vastuuyksikkö: Languages and Communication

Arvostelu: 1 - 5, pass, fail Opintokohteen kielet: Finnish

Leikkaavuudet:

av905048Y Japanese KANA and KANJI Course for Beginners 2 2.0 op

#### 905049Y: Japanese KANJI Course 1, 2 op

Voimassaolo: 01.08.2006 -

Opiskelumuoto: Language and Communication Studies

Laji: Course

Vastuuyksikkö: Languages and Communication

Arvostelu: 1 - 5, pass, fail Opintokohteen kielet: Finnish Voidaan suorittaa useasti: Kyllä

#### Proficiency level:

A2 on the CEFR scale

#### Status:

This course is optional and it may be included in Language, Cultural and Communication Studies (the KieKuVi module). Compulsory for students who study Japanese Studies as a minor subject. This course may be included in in the language minor (25 ECTS) in OBS.

#### Required proficiency level:

Elementary Course in Japanese 1 (5 ECTS) and Japanese KANA course (2 ECTS).

#### **ECTS Credits:**

2 ECTS credits

#### Language of instruction:

Japanese / Finnish

#### Timing:

Course will start in spring term.

#### Learning outcomes:

After completing the course, the student learns 109 basic kanji characters and is able to understand and write text containing those characters.

#### Contents:

In the contact teaching students are studying the use 109 basic kanji characters. The course also includes homework and independent learning of kanji characters and words. Homework includes to read and write example words and sentences.

#### Mode of delivery:

Multimodal teaching: Contact teaching 13 hrs and self-study 40 hrs (including homeworks). At the end of the course there is a one hour final exam.

#### Learning activities and teaching methods:

Independent study and homeworks 40 hours. Contact teaching 13 hrs.

#### Target group:

Students of the University of Oulu. Students of other faculties, exchange students and students of the University of Applied Sciences in Oulu may also participate, provided that there is space in the group. For the time being, the students of the University of Applied Sciences apply for a special study right.

#### Prerequisites and co-requisites:

See Required proficiency level

#### Recommended optional programme components:

Elementary Course in Japanese 2 (905043Y).

#### Recommended or required reading:

Student will receive material to be printed out.

#### Assessment methods and criteria:

Completion of all assignments and the final exam.

Read more about assessment criteria at the University of Oulu webpage.

#### **Grading:**

1 - 5, fail/passed.

#### Person responsible:

Takako Karppinen

#### Working life cooperation:

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#### Other information:

Students sign up for the course unit in WebOodi. If you do not yet have your WebOodi username and password, or if the sign-up period has passed, sign up by emailing the teacher.

#### 905050Y: Japanese KANJI Course 2, 1 - 3 op

Voimassaolo: 01.08.2006 -

Opiskelumuoto: Language and Communication Studies

Laji: Course

Vastuuyksikkö: Languages and Communication

Arvostelu: 1 - 5, pass, fail Opintokohteen kielet: Finnish

#### **Proficiency level:**

A2-B1 (Common European Framework of Reference)

#### Status:

This course unit is elective. It may be included in the OBS language minor (25 ECTS). The course may also be included in Language, Cultural and Communication Studies (the KieKuVi module). Voluntary for students who study Japanese Studies as a minor subject.

#### Required proficiency level:

Elementary Japanese Courses, Japanese KANA course and Japanese KANJI Course 1.

#### **ECTS Credits:**

2

#### Language of instruction:

Japan / Finnish

#### Timing:

Autumn term

#### Learning outcomes:

Upon completion of the course the student should be able to read and write Japanese text containing approximately 250 different *kanji* characters.

#### Contents:

The contact teaching acquaints the student with approximately 150 new kanji characters. Additionally the student must study the characters independently with the help of various exercises.

#### Mode of delivery:

Multimodal teaching

#### Learning activities and teaching methods:

The amount of work for the student is 54 hrs / 2 ECTS, as follows:

- 13 hrs contact teaching (including the course test)

- 41 hrs self-study.

#### Target group:

Students of the University of Oulu. Students of other faculties, exchange students and students of the University of Applied Sciences in Oulu may also participate, provided that there is space in the group. For the time being, the students of the University of Applied Sciences apply for a special study right.

#### Prerequisites and co-requisites:

See, Required proficiency level

#### Recommended optional programme components:

See, Required proficiency level

#### Recommended or required reading:

Teacher will give a material for students to print out.

#### Assessment methods and criteria:

Regular and active participation in the contact teaching, completion of all assignments, intermediate and final exam.

Read more about assessment criteria at the University of Oulu webpage.

#### **Grading:**

1-5, pass / fail

#### Person responsible:

Takako Karppinen

#### Working life cooperation:

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#### Other information:

Sign-up in WebOodi. If you don't have an account or if the sign-up time has ended, please, contact the teacher of the course.