

# E1554 Japanese Language 4-1

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## 【Course Aim】

The class aims to upgrade the learners' overall communication skills from the intermediate level to the advanced level through reading appropriate examples of authentic Japanese writings combined with discussion and reports which deepen their understanding of the materials. Various aspects of Japanese culture will be introduced through the active use of Japanese language already covered.

## 【Contents of Course】

This course is designed for students who have completed at least four or five semesters of formal training (no less than 300 hours) at college level or its equivalent in spoken as well as written Japanese. Students are supposed to possess the abilities to read and write simple essays and communicate smoothly in basic everyday situations.

## 【Course Schedule】

【第1回】 Orientation

【第2~4回】 Lesson 1

【第5回】 Lesson 1 review

【第6~12回】 Lesson 2, Project1

【第13回】 Lesson 2 review

【第14~16回】 Lesson 3

【第17~20回】 Lesson 3 review \*Saturday class(Saturday,October 15th)

【第21~24回】 Lesson 4 ,Project2

【第25回】 Lesson 4 review

【第26~31回】 Lesson 5,Lesson 5 review

【第32回】 Comprehensive review (Lesson 1-5)

【第33~35回】 Lesson 6

【第36~40回】 \*field trip(Saturday,November 19th)

【第41回】 Lesson 6 review

【第42~47回】 Lesson 7, Project3

【第48回】 Lesson 7 review

【第49~54回】 Lesson 8, Project4

【第55回】 Lesson 8 review

【第56~58回】 Project 5

【第59~60回】 Comprehensive review (Lesson 6-8)

\* The schedule and course content may change according to circumstances

## 【Preparation / Advice】

Students will be required to read the textbook and look up the meanings of new words prior to each lesson. Students will be required to review what they learned after class.

## 【Texts】

Mayumi Oka(2009)TOBIRA: Gateway to Advanced Japanese, Kuroshio publishing

or

Sachiko Miwa(2004) Chuukyuu e ikou : Nihongo no bunkei to hyogen 59, 3A Network

\*The textbook will be lent out to each of you in the class.

## 【Reference】

徳弘 康代 (2010)『日本語学習のためのよく使う順漢字2100』三省堂

## 【Grading】

1. daily performance 20%
2. Assignments and quizzes 15%
3. Lesson tests 20%
4. Midterm examination 15%
5. Final examination 20%
6. Project work 10%

## 【Other】

Any absence will affect your course grade and anyone missing more than one-third of the classes will be ineligible for credit. Please note that, in principle, there will be no makeup lesson or test in this course.