

Kanagawa University 2021 Summer ONLINE Japanese Language and Culture Program

Program Dates: 14 July – 4 August 2021 (JST)

In consideration of preventing potential spread of COVID-19, we will hold the 2021 Summer Kanagawa University Japanese Language and Culture Program online.

The purpose of this program is for students of our partner universities to deepen understanding of Japan and Japanese culture through learning Japanese, lectures about Japan, and experiencing Japanese culture.

<Eligibility>

- 18 years old or over on the first day of the program
- Those who are enrolled in an undergraduate course (equivalent to a Japanese university's 4-year degree course) or who have obtained a "Bachelor's degree" at a partner university of Kanagawa University (Those who have only graduated high school are not eligible to apply)
- Those who have the English capability to follow a lecture in English (Hands-on Experience of Japanese Culture and Lectures About Japan are conducted in English)
- Those who have capability to take the program online (ICT environment: internet connection, web cam/mic, Zoom application)
- Those who have knowledge of hiragana and katakana by the start of the program

<Fee>

JPY 52,000

* the participants of our partner universities may be exempt from the fee within the framework of the student exchange agreement.

Payment instructions and the invoice will be sent to you after you have applied.

[Note] Payment in Japanese yen must be completed by wire transfer to the bank account stated on the invoice by the payment deadline. All bank handling charges, at both sending and receiving ends, must be paid by the sender. Please write name of applicant in the message field on the bank transfer sheet. Credit card payment is not accepted.

•• Cancellation Policy ••

If applicants cancel participation in the program after the payment of program fee, the following amount will be refunded.

If the date of cancellation notice is

on or before May 31 (JST)	100% of program fee refunded
from June 1 to June 29 inclusive (JST)	JPY 20,000 will be refunded
on or after June 30 (JST)	Non-refundable

JST=Japan Standard Time

*Any bank handling fees will be deducted from the refunded program fee.

<Program Places>

25 participants (Minimum Participants Required: 10 participants)

<Application>

Application Deadline: 10 May 2021 (JST)

•• Procedure for students of our partner universities ••

1. Students: Tell the person in charge at your institution your intention to participate.
2. Person in charge: First send the "Letter of Nomination". ***Limited to the first 25 applicants.**
3. Students: Apply for the program from the link or QR code below.

If you are not from one of our partner universities, please directly apply for the program (3). If there is still a vacancy after the application deadline, your application will be accepted. We will contact you after the application period has finished.

<https://bit.ly/2P3O4kd>



● **Required documents**

Please attach the following documents to the application form.

-Signed Pledge

You can download the pledge from the link in the application form so please sign and attach it.

-Scan of Certificate of Enrollment in English or Japanese

For students of our partner universities, if you can't submit it, a scan of your Student ID Card is also fine.

<Program Outline>

● **Japanese Language Classes**

A) Aim: To improve oral communication ability to learn real, living Japanese (including an interview with Kanagawa University students)

B) Target participants: Beginners, however those who have no knowledge of Japanese characters must learn hiragana and katakana before joining the program.

C) Class Level: Introductory (A1 level in CEFR scale)

D) Class Outline:

- Class Hours: Mon ~ Fri, 2 hours/day, approx.16 hrs. in total + online learning (preparation and assignments that will take you about 1 hour each time)
- Class Numbers: Approx. 10 students/class; maximum number of students per class is 14
- Class Style: Remote (online) classes using Zoom, combination of real-time and on-demand content

● Hands-on Experiences of Japanese Culture

Content to be announced. 2 activities will be held.

● Lectures About Japan

Content to be announced. 2 lectures will be held.

● Exchange Events with Kanagawa University students

Content to be announced.

● Sample Schedule

* Please note the schedule is subject to change.

* We will give the participants the program handbook which has the latest schedule before the program starts.

Date	Day	16:00-17:00	17:00-18:00	18:00-19:00
14 Jul	Wed	Orientation	Japanese 1	Japanese 2
15 Jul	Thu	Japanese Culture	Campus Tour	
16 Jul	Fri	Japanese 3	Japanese 4	Office Hour
17 Jul	Sat	Off		
18 Jul	Sun	Off		
19 Jul	Mon	Japanese 5	Japanese 6	Office Hour
20 Jul	Tue	Lecture About Japan (100 mins)		Student Exchange Event
21 Jul	Wed	Off		
22 Jul	Thu	Japanese 7	Japanese 8	Office Hour
23 Jul	Fri	Japanese Culture		
24 Jul	Sat	Off		
25 Jul	Sun	Off		
26 Jul	Mon	Japanese 9	Japanese 10	Office Hour
27 Jul	Tue	Lecture About Japan (100 mins)		Student Exchange Event
28 Jul	Wed	Off		
29 Jul	Thu	Japanese 11	Japanese 12	Office Hour
30 Jul	Fri	Student Exchange Event		
31 Jul	Sat	Off		
1 Aug	Sun	Off		
2 Aug	Mon	Japanese 13	Office Hour	
3 Aug	Tue	Japanese 14	Office Hour	
4 Aug	Wed	Japanese 15, 16		Summary

Office Hour: Optional Class (question time and conversation practice with KU students)

NOTE: all dates and times are shown based on Japan Standard Time.

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