

# COURSE DETAIL

## JAPANESE VOCABULARY AND GRAMMAR ESSENTIALS I

**Country**

Hong Kong

**Host Institution**

Hong Kong University of Science and Technology (HKUST)

**Program(s)**

Hong Kong University of Science and Technology

**UCEAP Course Level**

Lower Division

**UCEAP Subject Area(s)**

Japanese

**UCEAP Course Number**

10

**UCEAP Course Suffix**

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**UCEAP Official Title**

JAPANESE VOCABULARY AND GRAMMAR ESSENTIALS I

**UCEAP Transcript Title**

JAPANESE VOC&GRAM 1

**UCEAP Quarter Units**

1.50

**UCEAP Semester Units**

1.00

### **Course Description**

This online course is designed for students beginning their journey in Japanese, with a focus on building a solid and comprehensive foundation in vocabulary and grammar structures. Students explore the fundamentals of the Japanese writing and sound system while deepening their understanding of beginner-level grammar and vocabulary. The flexible format allows students to progress at their own pace through engaging video lectures, interactive chatbot exercises, online quizzes, and a final in-person exam. Students gain a strong grasp of Japanese sentence structures and essential grammar rules but also develop a robust vocabulary that enables them to construct simple sentences, understand basic texts, and engage in elementary-level communication with confidence. Students are encouraged to also enroll in the 2-credit LANG 1211: Communicative Japanese for Beginners I to reinforce their learning through face-to-face conversational practice and real-life scenarios. Graded P or F.

### **Language(s) of Instruction**

#### **Host Institution Course Number**

LANG1212

#### **Host Institution Course Title**

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#### **Host Institution Course Details**

<https://prog-crs.hkust.edu.hk/ugcourse/2025-26/search?keyword=LANG1212>

#### **Host Institution Campus**

#### **Host Institution Faculty**

#### **Host Institution Degree**

#### **Host Institution Department**

Humanities & Social Science

**Course Last Reviewed**

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