

# COURSE DETAIL

## ELEMENTARY JAPANESE

**Country**

Japan

**Host Institution**

The University of Osaka

**Program(s)**

STEM Research in Osaka

**UCEAP Course Level**

Lower Division

**UCEAP Subject Area(s)**

Japanese

**UCEAP Course Number**

20

**UCEAP Course Suffix**

A

**UCEAP Official Title**

ELEMENTARY JAPANESE

**UCEAP Transcript Title**

ELEMENTARY JAPANESE

**UCEAP Quarter Units**

5.50

**UCEAP Semester Units**

3.70

### **Course Description**

This course is designed for students seeking a comprehensive introduction to elementary Japanese across the four core skills: speaking, listening, reading, and writing. Through interactive classroom activities, it provides opportunities for students to communicate effectively in colloquial spoken and written Japanese; understand fundamental grammatical structures; convey information orally, and express personal opinions.

The class also develops literacy skills by reading and writing paragraphs using Hiragana, Katakana, and approximately 300 Kanji characters. Emphasis is placed on practical usage and foundational fluency to support everyday communication.

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

Japanese

### **Host Institution Course Number**

JB200

### **Host Institution Course Title**

COMPREHENSIVE JAPANESE JB200

### **Host Institution Course Details**

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### **Host Institution Campus**

The University of Osaka

### **Host Institution Faculty**

### **Host Institution Degree**

### **Host Institution Department**

Center for International Education and Exchange

**Course Last Reviewed**

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