

Course Title 科目名	Japanese Orthography and Reading Skills IVA (401) 日本語表記法 IVA (401)			Instructor 担当者	IKEZAWA Meiko 池澤 明子		
Semester 学期	Fall	Language of Instruction 使用言語	N/A	Credits 単位	4	hrs/wks 時間数/週	4

【Course Objectives : 授業の到達目標】

The goal of this course is to acquire basic knowledge and skills of academic Japanese, especially in the domain of writing. At the end of the term, students will write a research plan by using what they have learned.

【Course Summary : 授業の概要】

1. Quizzes about the previous / next lesson's content.
2. Learning new words, expressions, sentence patterns, grammar and academic skills of the lesson.
3. Exercises in reading and writing.

【Study Required outside Class (Preparation etc): 事前・事後学習】

Before every lesson, students are expected to:

1. Prepare for the quizzes regarding the previous / next lesson, by memorizing words, expressions, sentence patterns and academic skills.
2. Read the textbook and do its exercises.
3. Write some short essays by using the content of the lesson.
4. At the end of the term, students will write a research plan as a final assignment.

【Class Outline: 授業計画(各回の授業内容)】

Session 1	Course introduction and self-introduction	Session 16	Lesson 8-1. Description of findings
Session 2	Lesson 1-1. Basic rules for writing	Session 17	Lesson 8-2. Writing and reading
Session 3	Lesson 1-2. Writing and reading	Session 18	Lesson 9-1. Pointing out issues
Session 4	Lesson 2-1. Styles of writing Japanese	Session 19	Lesson 9-2. Writing and reading
Session 5	Lesson 2-2. Writing and reading	Session 20	Lesson 10-1. Quotations
Session 6	Lesson 3-1. Paragraph	Session 21	Lesson 10-2. Writing and reading
Session 7	Lesson 3-2. Writing and reading	Session 22	Lesson 11-1. Problems and solutions
Session 8	Lesson 4-1. Particles <i>wa</i> and <i>ga</i>	Session 23	Lesson 11-2. Writing and reading
Session 9	Lesson 4-2. Writing and reading	Session 24	Lesson 12-1. Description of procedure
Session 10	Lesson 5-1. Setting a theme	Session 25	Lesson 12-2. Writing and reading
Session 11	Lesson 5-2. Writing and reading	Session 26	Lesson 13-1. Usage of demonstrative pronouns
Session 12	Lesson 6-1. Reasons, Time	Session 27	Lesson 13-2. Writing and reading
Session 13	Lesson 6-2. Writing and reading	Session 28	Lesson 14-1. Writing research plans
Session 14	Lesson 7-1. Giving definitions	Session 29	Lesson 14-2. Writing and reading
Session 15	Lesson 7-2. Writing and reading	Session 30	Presentation of the research plan

【Required Textbooks and Course Materials: 教科書】

アカデミック・ジャパニーズ研究会編『改訂版 大学・大学院留学生の日本語②作文編』(アルク、2015年)

【Recommended Textbooks and Course Materials: : 参考図書】

None

【Grading Criteria: 成績評価の方法】

Lesson quizzes: 28%, Lesson essays: 28%, Presentation: 14%, Research plan: 30%.

Every item will be evaluated considering students' comprehension, achievement and competence in writing skills of academic Japanese. Attendance of more than 80% is required for submitting the research plan, that is mandatory for the credit.

【Note: 履修上の注意】

More detailed information about the course and the evaluation will be provided in class. Course content and schedule may change regarding class conditions.