Japanese Language Course 2013





Introduction

This course introduces the basics of Japanese language and culture focusing on the practical use of the language and cultural awareness. Students will learn Hiragana and Katakana (Japanese characters) for writing and reading and will develop basic communication skills in listening, speaking, reading and writing. They will also learn approximately 30 Kanjis (Chinese characters).

Both traditional and contemporary Japanese culture and society through various materials (videos, quizzes etc.) and activities (Origami, wearing Yukata etc.) will also be introduced. This course requires good study habits and class participation.

Learning Outcomes:

Topics:

- Greetings and Introductions
- Asking and giving personal information
- The time
- Shopping ; Basic concepts
- Ordering at a restaurant:
- Describing daily routines
- Making plans for the weekend
- Inviting somebody to do something

Grammar:

- Introduction to Japanese writing system
- Hiragana / Katakana
- 30 Kanjis
- Japanese pronunciation
- Word order
- Ko/so/a/do system
- Time expressions
- Particle ni / de / to
- Verbs with particle o / ni

Culture:

- Understanding some practical culture differences
- Introducing traditional and contemporary cultures

Course Fee: R4850

Duration: 28 February – 31 July 2013 18:00-20:00 Every Thursday

Application:

The closing date for each programme is two weeks before the date of commencement. Early application is highly advised, as limited seats are available, please ensure that all items of the application form are completed, the form is available on the web at www.ceatup.com. Online registrations facilities are also possible on the same website.

CE at UP

The University has established a separate unit, Continuing Education at University of Pretoria (Trust), to coordinate and administer all its training offerings. Therefore all communication and contact will be through CE at UP.

Certificate:

Certificate of Attendance

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 2005- present

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Registration Enquiries

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