



Kobe Japanese Program

-Discover Japan-Australia つながり in Kobe!-

DATE 8th-29th January, 2020 (3 weeks)

CAPACITY 20 students

ELIGIBILITY

- ☐ Students enrolled in partner universities in Australia
List of partner universities: http://www.office.kobe-u.ac.jp/ipiep/partners_en.html
- ☐ Students with upper elementary level of Japanese who just finished Genki 1 level.



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CONTENTS & HOURS

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OVERVIEW The Kobe Japanese Program (KJP) is designed for undergraduate or graduate students with upper elementary Japanese language skills, providing opportunities to study Japanese language and society focusing on the Kobe area and links with Australia. Students will learn to express themselves in Japanese about their field trip experiences and other activities.

1. JAPANESE LANGUAGE <36 contact hours>

- 24 classes (1.5 hours each) of upper elementary level Japanese provided by native Japanese instructors.
- ◆ Learn key grammar and vocabulary of upper elementary level (corresponding to Japanese textbook Genki II).
 - ◆ Practice practical conversation
 - ◆ Introduction to important Kanji used in daily life
 - ◆ Read texts related to area studies
 - ◆ Prepare for presentation

2. JAPANESE STUDIES <12 contact hours>

- 8 classes (1.5 hours each) of area study focusing on studies of Kobe in relation with Australia.
- ◆ Lecture on Japan-Australia relationship by Consul General of Australian Consulate-General in Osaka
 - ◆ Lecture on disaster prevention/mitigation by visiting "DRI- Disaster Reduction and Human Renovation Institution" (The Great Hanshin-Awaji Earthquake memorial museum)
 - ◆ Visiting Japanese corporations which have strong relationships with Australia
 - ◆ Visiting Himeji Castle, UNESCO World Heritage Site

3. FIELD STUDY <6 contact hours>

Visit a Japanese agricultural site and learn how they support high-quality agricultural production. Lecture given by professional. Hands on experience of agriculture.
Visit to: Kobe University Food Resources Education and Research Center in Kasai city

4. OTHER ACTIVITIES

Exchange with Japanese students and locals, optional excursions etc.



PROGRAM SCHEDULE

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	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun
	Jan 6	Jan 7	Jan 8	Jan 9	Jan 10	Jan 11	Jan 12
AM	Check-in to Accommodation		Orientation	Japanese ①②	Japanese ③④	(Optional) Kobe excursion	Off
PM			Welcome Party	Japanese Studies ①	Exchange Event		
	Jan 13	Jan 14	Jan 15	Jan 16	Jan 17	Jan 18	Jan 19
AM	National Holiday	Japanese ⑤⑥	Japanese ⑦⑧	Japanese ⑨⑩	Japanese ⑪⑫	Off	Off
PM				Japanese Studies ②			
	Jan 20	Jan 21	Jan 22	Jan 23	Jan 24	Jan 25	Jan 26
AM	Japanese ⑬⑭	Japanese ⑮⑯	Field Trip	Japanese ⑰⑱	Japanese ⑲⑳	(Optional) Exchange Event	Off
PM	Japanese Studies ③			Japanese Studies ④	Exam		
	Jan 27	Jan 28	Jan 29				
AM	Japanese ㉑㉒	Japanese ㉓㉔	Presentation				
PM			Farewell Party				

DAILY SCHEDULE



Japanese Language Classes	1st period	8:50-10:20
	2nd period	10:40-12:10
Lunch Break		12:10-13:20
Japanese Studies	3rd period	13:20-14:50
	4th period	15:10-16:40

ASSESSMENT CRITERIA



Pass	S	100-90
	A	89-80
	B	79-70
	C	69-60
Fail	F	59-0

Grades are assessed according to a combination of attendance and class participation (40%), assignments (30%), quizzes (5%), exam (15%) and presentation (10%).

TRANSCRIPT/CERTIFICATE



Participants will receive a certificate of completion and evaluation transcript. It depends on your university as to whether points for non-credited courses can be transferred.
Please consult with your home university beforehand about transferring credits.



ACCOMMODATION

Participants can select from 4 types of off-campus student housings located in the Kobe area. Please see our website for details for prices, locations, and facilities. Prices include meals (breakfast and dinner) on weekdays and Saturdays. Please apply in the application form with the order of preference. Please understand not all applicants may receive their preferred housing due to limited capacity.



VISA

Participants are responsible for contacting the Japanese embassy or consulate in their home country directly to determine if they are required to apply for a visa in advance. If you need to obtain a short-term stay visa, please notify Kobe University so we can issue the supporting documents.

OVERSEA TRAVEL INSURANCE

Participants must carry appropriate overseas travel insurance to cover illness, injury, and indemnity during their stay in Japan.



IMPORTANT DATES



Application period begins	1 Aug, 2019
Application deadline	20 Sep, 2019
Offer of acceptance	Late September, 2019
Arrival Date	6-7 Jan, 2020
Housing check-in	6-7 Jan, 2020
Payment Due	8 Jan, 2020
Program starts	8 Jan, 2020
Program ends	29 Jan, 2020
Housing check-out	can stay until 4-5 Feb, 2020 (up to 1 month)

FEEES



Tuition	100,000 JPY	(≈1,300 AUD)
Accommodation & Meals	63,000 -77,000 JPY	(≈850-1,000 AUD)
Total Program Fees	163,000 -177,000 JPY	(≈2,150 -2,300 AUD)

→Fees include:

- Course material
- Cultural and social activities
- Welcome and Farewell receptions
- Wi-Fi connection on campus
- Meals (breakfast & dinner) on weekdays and Saturdays
- Internet Connection (wired connection) in student housings

→Not included:

- Travel expenses to/from Japan
- Purchase of overseas travel insurance
(illness, injury and indemnity)
- Meals (lunch)
- Transportation between student housing and campus

HOW TO PAY

Students are expected to pay the tuition fee on the first day of arrival in cash.

Students will be asked to pay the accommodation fee in cash by the student housing management after checking in.

HOW TO APPLY



Please send the following application documents by email.

✉ cie-winter@edu.kobe-u.ac.jp

1. Application Form (with photo)
2. Written oath
3. Copy of Passport & your Student ID card



Find the forms
on our website

DEADLINE Friday 20 September 2019

SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITY

KOBE UNIVERSITY FUND

<50,000 JPY>

Kobe University is delighted to support partner students with a grant of 50,000 JPY each from the "Kobe University Fund."

*Students receiving other scholarships are not eligible.

HUMAP SCHOLARSHIP

<80,000 JPY>

There is a scholarship opportunity from Hyogo prefecture for students studying in the sister state, Western Australia. Students from UWA and Curtin are encouraged to apply by 20 September. Ask for application documents.



ENQUIRIES / APPLY TO

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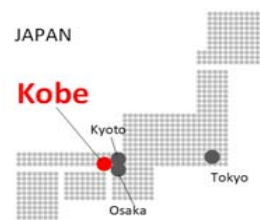
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