



KOBE JAPANESE PROGRAM 2022

JANUARY SESSION Discover the Kobe Area and Japan-Australia つながり!

ONLINE 5th - 26th January 2022

The Kobe Japanese Program (KJP) is designed for undergraduate or graduate students with upper elementary Japanese language skills.

The focus of the course is Japanese Language and Area Studies including culture and society, based on the Kobe and Hyogo area, and its links to Australia.

This year the course will be conducted entirely online, utilizing various live teaching methods, to provide the most interactive learning experience possible.

Requirements:

- ◆ Undergraduate or graduate students enrolled in Australian Universities
Students from universities in other countries may enroll so long as they are aware the course content is catered to Australian students.
- ◆ Level: Upper Elementary, completed Genki 1 level or equivalent
- ◆ Internet connection, computer / mic / headset, and appropriate study environment

Capacity: 24

CONTENT & HOURS

* Program content subject to change

1. JAPANESE LANGUAGE <36 hours>

2hr Class + 1hr Tutorial × 12 days

The course will review grammar and vocabulary from Genki 1 level, and introduce new grammar points from Genki 2. Students will begin preparing for the final presentation in the latter half of the course.

Classes will be conducted 9:00~11:00AM JST by native Japanese instructors. With less than 12 students per class, we promote more communicative, hands-on learning.

Students will have the opportunity to apply their Japanese skills in tutorials, which they may choose to take before/ after real-time classes according to their time zone.

- ◆ Practical conversation
- ◆ Introduction of important daily life vocabulary
- ◆ Texts related to area studies
- ◆ Preparation leading up to presentation

2. AREA STUDIES <12 hours>

2hr Session × 6

Focusing on Kobe City and Hyogo prefecture, students will gain insight into Japanese culture, traditional handicrafts, industry & society.

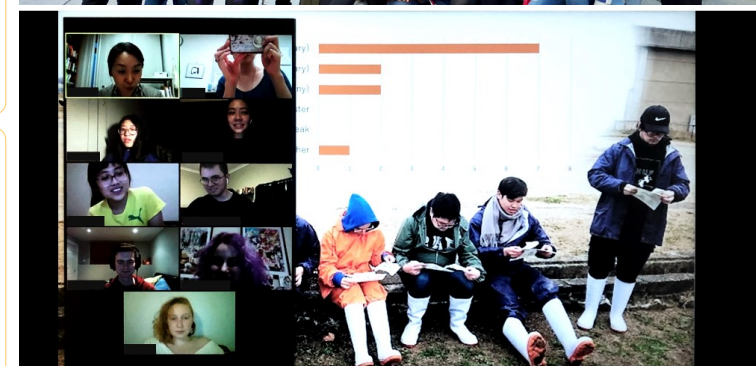
Classes will take place outside a classroom setting, each session featuring a real-time Q&A session.

- ◆ Virtual tours
- ◆ Guest lecturers
- ◆ Topic examples (subject to change): Kobe City, Arima Onsen, Sake brewery, Australia-Japan relations, Disaster Prevention, Dialects, Agriculture

3. EXTRACURRICULAR

Outside classes, the program offers organic interaction with local Kobe university students.


- ◆ A buddy system for personal communication
- ◆ Kobe University International Student Symposium



PROGRAM SCHEDULE

JANUARY 2022

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	MON	TUES	WED	THUR	FRI	SAT	SUN
	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th
AM			Orientation	Japanese 1	Japanese 2	Area Studies 1	
PM					Exchange Meeting		
	10th	11th	12th	13th	14th	15th	16th
AM	Japanese 3	Japanese 4	Area Studies 2	Japanese 5	Japanese 6	Area Studies 4	
PM					Area Studies 3		
	17th	18th	19th	20th	21st	22nd	23rd
AM	Japanese 7	Japanese 8	Area Studies 5	Japanese 9	Japanese 10	Area Studies 6	
PM				17:00- 20:00 International Student Symposium			
	24th	25th	26th	27th	28th	29th	30th
AM	Japanese 11	Japanese 12	Presentation Closing Ceremony	 AM classes 9:00~11:00 Japan Standard Time.			
PM							

ASSESSMENT CRITERIA



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

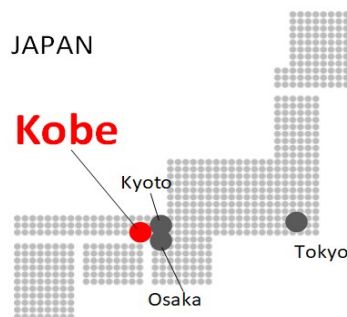
Grades are assessed by Attendance & class participation (40%), assignments (50%), and final presentation (10%)

TRANSCRIPT/CERTIFICATE



Upon completion of the course, participants will receive an evaluation transcript, and those with passing grades will receive a certificate of completion. Whether points for non-credited courses can be transferred as credit depends on your university. Please consult with your home university beforehand.

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IMPORTANT DATES



Applications open	1st Oct, 2021
Application close	31st Oct, 2021
Offer of acceptance	Early Nov, 2021
Payment Due	19th Nov, 2021
Program starts	5th Jan, 2022
Program ends	26th Jan, 2022

FEES



55,000 JPY (∴ 700AUD)

Your placement will be confirmed upon payment by bank transfer by 19th Nov 2021.

APPLICATION



Please send the following application documents by email to cie-winter@edu.kobe-u.ac.jp

1. Application Form
2. Copy of your Student ID card
3. Photograph (if not on ID)

DEADLINE Sunday 31st Oct 2021

Find the forms on our website



ENQUIRIES

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