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**National Taiwan University of Science and Technology**

**2020 Summer Program**

**EJP 101 Elementary Japanese Language**

**Course Outline**

**Term: July 06-August 07, 2020**

**Class Hours: 10:00-11:50 (Monday through Friday)**

**Course Code: EJP 101**

**Instructor: Naoko Kurokawa**

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**Credit: 4**

**Class Hours:**

According to the regulations of Minister of Education, R.O.C, 18 class hours could be counted as 1 academic credit in all universities in Taiwan. This course will have 72 class hours, including 40 lecture hours, professor 10 office hours, 10-hour TA discussion sessions, 2-hour review sessions, 10-hour extra classes.

**Course Textbooks**

Textbook: *Genki I - An Integrated Course in Elementary Japanese (2nd edition)*, LL.1-6, The Japan Times Workbook: *Genki I (2nd edition)*, The Japan Times

**Course Description:**

This course is intended for students with no prior knowledge of Japanese. It is designed to introduce students to the everyday language of Japan. Lessons will be organized around natural conversational topics, leading students from fundamental aspects of grammar to readings in simple texts.



### Course Objectives:

The course aims at the acquisition of the four basic skills; listening, speaking, reading and writing in modern Japanese with an emphasis on grammatical accuracy and socially appropriate language use. Upon completion of this course, students will be able to carry on basic daily conversations. All three writing systems will be introduced: first Hiragana, then Katakana, and Kanji (Chinese characters).

### Grading & Evaluation:

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| 1. Attendance and Performance in class  | 20% |
| Performance includes your effort to speak in Japanese in class, active participation and dialogue acting-out. |     |
| 2. Homework   | 15% |
| 3. Tests  | 30% |
| 4. Quizzes (Hiragana, Katakana, Vocabulary, Lesson Quizzes)   | 15% |

**Grading Scale:** 90-100%=A, 80-89%=B, 70-79%=C, 60-69%=D, and below 60% = F

### Course Schedule (tentative):

7/6 M	L1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◆ Introduction, Greetings, Numbers</li> <li>◆ X wa Y desu</li> <li>◆ Question Sentences</li> <li>◆ Noun1 の Noun2</li> </ul>
7/7 Tu	L1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◆ Telling time &amp; age</li> <li>◆ Exchange information about yourself (status, nationality, major, etc.)</li> </ul>
7/8 W	L2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◆ L.1 Review &amp; Practice</li> <li>◆ Demonstratives (あれ・これ・それ・どれ)</li> <li>◆ だれの Noun</li> <li>◆ Particle も</li> </ul>
7/9 Th	L2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◆ Negation ~じゃないです</li> <li>◆ Particle ね&amp;よ</li> <li>◆ Shopping at a store</li> </ul>
7/10 F	L3	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◆ L2 Review &amp; Practice</li> <li>◆ Introduction to Verbs</li> </ul>
7/13 M	L3	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◆ Verb Conjugation</li> <li>◆ Verb Types and the Present Tense</li> </ul>
7/14 Tue	L3	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◆ Particles を、で、に、へ</li> </ul>



		◆ Time References
7/15 W	L3	◆ Invitation ~ませんか ◆ Word Order ◆ Frequency Adverbs
7/16 Th	L4	◆ Test (LL.1-3)
7/17 F	L4	◆ Existential Verbs います、あります ◆ Describing Where Things Are
7/20 M	L4	◆ Past Tense of です ◆ Past Tense of Verbs ◆ Particle も、と ◆ Duration
7/21 Tue	L4	◆ L4 Review & Practice (past tense, invitation, days of week etc.)
7/22 W	L5	◆ Introduction to Adjectives (past & present)
7/23 Th	L5	◆ Adjectives (past & present) ◆ Express like & dislike with すき、きらい
7/24 F	L6	◆ Adjective ◆ Suggestions ~ましょう、みましょうか
7/27 M	L5	◆ Review & Practice
7/28 Tues	L6	◆ Te-form ◆ Making request ~てください ◆ Describing Two Activities
7/29 W	L6	◆ Permission ~てもいいです ◆ Prohibition ~てはいけません
7/30 Th	L6	◆ Stating a reason ~から ◆ Offering help ~みましょうか
7/31 F	L6	◆ Review & Practice
8/3 M	L7	◆ Action in progress & Resultant state ~ている ◆ Describing someone's physical features
8/4 Tu	L7	◆ Te-form for joining sentences ◆ Purpose of movement ~しに行く ◆ Counting people
8/5 W	L7	◆ Review & exercises
8/6 Th		Oral Interview Test (LL.1-7)
8/7 F		Test (LL.4-7)