Information about the Integrated Japanese Language Program

Application method
All students who wish to take Japanese language courses must apply online through the IJLP Course Enrollment System. If you are taking the IJLP for the first time, you will need to take the orientation and the placement test given at the start of the semester. For details about the orientation and the placement test, see the ISC website or the Enrollment System before the semester starts.

Kanazawa University International Student Center Website
http://isc.ge.kanazawa-u.ac.jp/
Home > Integrated Japanese Language Program

Enrollment Periods
Spring semester (April - September): March and April
Autumn semester (October - March): September and October

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KANAZAWA UNIVERSITY INTERNATIONAL STUDENT CENTER
# Outline of the Integrated Japanese Language Program

## Who can take these classes?
The Integrated Japanese Language Program is a Japanese language program for all international students studying at Kanazawa University.

## What will you be able to do?
The aim of the IJLP is to improve students’ Japanese language ability and help them fit into the university and life in Japan. The ultimate goals of course are the following:
- Students can gain enough language ability to be able to understand lectures and seminars and be able to carry out their study and research in Japanese.
- Students can gain enough knowledge to be able to understand Japanese culture and society by learning the language.

## What kinds of classes are there?
The program consists of three types of classes: regular classes, kanji classes and skill-specific classes. Students can select the appropriate classes to fit their needs in each area.

### Comprehensive classes:
Seven different levels, from zero (never studied Japanese before) to advanced. Learn Japanese comprehensively in a class that matches the student's own level.

### Kanji classes:
Divided into difficulty levels. Students learn how to read and write kanji, and how to use kanji vocabulary.

### Skill-specific classes:
A range of classes for the four different skills of “speaking,” “listening,” “writing,” and “reading.” Students can choose the class that best suits their learning goals.

## Where can you study?
The courses are offered at Kakuma campus (General Education Hall and Natural Science and Technology Main Hall) and Takaramachi campus.

## Classes/Course

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