



Gakushuin University

Japanese Language Preparatory Course (JLPC)

Online lessons
before coming to Japan

Training about life in
Japan and campus

Enjoying Life with
Japanese Students

Phase 1

Phase 2

Phase 3



6-month self-guided E-learning
+ on-line lesson



2-week intensive Japanese training
on using campus facilities



Class about making friends with
Japanese students and knowing about
after-school activities and clubs

Dates & Schedule:

The application deadline	December 15th, 2021
Phase 1 (on-line)	February 2022 ~ July 2022
Phase 2(on-campus)	Late August 2022
The start of fall semester	September 2022
New!! Phase 3(on-campus)	October 2022 ~ December 2022

Aims of JLPC:

This program is designed for potential exchange students whose home universities offer no Japanese classes or who have not reached the Japanese proficiency level Gakushuin University requires for exchange students.

Fees: No extra fees are charged for taking the JLPC as it is part of the exchange program.

(except for coursebooks that the participating students are required to purchase at their own expense).

Application: The deadline is December 15, 2021.

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If you're interested, feel free to contact us.



Take a look at the
JLPC video!!

<https://youtu.be/dDO9sFC8ago>

GAKUSHUIN UNIVERSITY

Japanese Language Preparatory Course (JLCP)

For exchange students coming to Japan in Fall 2022

① Aims of Japanese Language Preparatory Course

"Japanese Language Preparatory Course" offered by Gakushuin University's International Centre aims to prepare incoming exchange students from its overseas partner universities for their study at Gakushuin starting in September. This program is designed for potential exchange students whose home universities offer no Japanese classes or who have not reached the Japanese proficiency level Gakushuin requires for exchange students.


Notes:

- ◆ No extra fees are charged for taking this course as it is part of the exchange program (except for coursebooks that the participating students are required to purchase at their own expense).

② Schedule for Japanese Language Preparatory Course

- ◆ The application deadline is December 15, 2021.
- ◆ This course consists of 3 components: Phase 1 (on-line), Phase 2 (on-campus), and Phase 3 (on-campus).
- ◆ The first phase, which extends from February to July, provides remote Japanese language training, combining self-directed E-learning and on-line lessons with Japanese language instructors.
- ◆ In the second phase, you will take an intensive Japanese language training for two weeks from the last week of August on Gakushuin campus. The aim of the second phase is to learn practical Japanese and become familiar with life in Japan and Gakushuin University.
- ◆ In the third phase, you will be offered classes to build relationships with Gakushuin University students, and get to know the after-school-activities and clubs at Gakushuin University. You will enrich your study abroad experience by deepening your relationships with Japanese students. The class will be held from October to December.

◆ Table of Schedule for Japanese Language Preparatory Course

	Applying to JLPC	Due in December
	Phase 1 (on-line) (Remote education: Self-guided E-Learning + on-line lesson) ◆ E-Learning : Registering in "JF Japanese e-Learning Minato" courses, students study independently in accordance with the course schedule. ◆ On-line lesson : With the "Zoom" video conference system, each student takes one 30-minute Japanese lesson with an instructor every week.	From February to July
	Arriving in Japan. Phase 2 (on-campus) (Two-week intensive Japanese training on Gakushuin campus) ◆ Learning Japanese in class. ◆ Using in real life with Japanese Buddy	From August to September
	The fall semester begins.※ Phase 3 (on-campus) (Japanese language classes on Gakushuin campus) ◆ Learning the conversation skills to deepen your relationships with Japanese students ◆ Knowing the after-school activities and club in Gakushuin	From October to December

※ This course is designed for exchange students who plan to study abroad at Gakushuin University during the fall semester.

③ Japanese Language Preparatory Course -- Phase 1

This phase of the course provides remote Japanese language education, which includes E-learning and on-line lessons. Each student studies Japanese in his/her home country by engaging online with Gakushuin's Japanese language instructors, staff and students in Japan.

- ◆ Phase 1 extends from February to July.
- ◆ PCs and Internet access are necessary to participate in Phase 1.
- ◆ We use the E-learning platform, "JF Japanese e-Learning Minato." Each learner must register in relevant courses of "JF Japanese e-Learning Minato" to study.
- ◆ In Phase 1, students proceed with self-study in accordance with the curricula of the "Marugoto: Japanese Language and Culture" series, which are the official coursebooks of the "JF Japanese e-Learning Minato" courses.

- ◆ We strongly recommend that participating students purchase the "Marugoto: Japanese Language and Culture" coursebooks for their self-study.
- ◆ You will have the opportunity to practice what you have learned, which is called "Wrap up." You will be able to talk with staff and Japanese students of Gakushuin University, and gain confidence in your use of Japanese. A unique feature of the program is that students will be able to build relationships with people of the host university before coming to Japan.
- ◆ We use the video conference system "Zoom" for on-line lessons.
- ◆ Each student takes one 30-minute on-line lesson once a week. There are 27 lessons in all.
- ◆ The time for the on-line lesson will be contacted by the person in charge after the application is accepted. Please choose a time slot that you can participate in among the time slots provided by the person in charge.

④ Japanese Language Preparatory Course -- Phase 2

Phase 2 is a two-week intensive Japanese language training offered on Gakushuin campus from the last week of August to the first week of September. Students can obtain information necessary to have safe and healthy lives in Japan and to adjust themselves to life at Gakushuin University. They are also given practical training for Japanese language for daily life. After successful completion of Phase 2, the participants will start their study at Gakushuin University from mid-September.

⑤ Japanese Language Preparatory Course – Phase 3

Phase 3 will begin as soon as you start your studies at Gakushuin University. 10 classes will be offered from October to December. In 10 classes, you will learn conversational skills such as chatting, inviting, recommending, sharing your worries, and announcing news in order to make friends with Japanese students. There will also be activities to learn about after-school activities and student clubs at Gakushuin University. We believe that you be able to enrich your life at Gakushuin University by using the conversation skills you have learned in the classes and building relationships with Japanese students.