

UNIVERSITÀ DEGLI STUDI DI MILANO-BICOCCA

SYLLABUS DEL CORSO

Lingua Giapponese III

1920-3-E2001R060-E2001R070M

Course title

Japanese Language 3

Topics and course structure

The Japanese language 3 course is aimed at students of the Bachelor of Science in Intercultural Communication who have already passed the exam of Japanese Language 2. The course will deepen the knowledge of the grammatical structures of the Japanese language. This will involve the learning of 317 ideographic characters (kanji) in writing. It is also required to know the reading of all the words and all the kanji that appear in the scheduled lessons of the textbook and in the material included in the fotocopies prepared by the professors (dispense). The course is supported by language exercises held by a Japanese professor. The course is divided in two parts: 1) one of 42 teaching hours to explain the grammatical patterns, the kanji and the reading sections included in the textbook; 2) one of 14 teaching hours during which the students will learn how to translate texts of various nature from Japanese to Italian.

Objectives

Knowledge and understanding

Students will gain a solid and systematic knowledge of the fundamentals of the Japanese language at an intermediate level.

Ability to apply knowledge and understanding

Students will learn to rework autonomy grammatical structures and vocabulary learned during the course of the program, as well as to recognize and read a sufficient number of kanji for the understanding of texts written in the Japanese language at an intermediate level.

With regard to the independence of judgment and the strengthening of communication skills, teachers urge students to formulate their own opinion independently. The ability to learn is stimulated through active participation in lectures and discussion of the materials provided by the teachers.

Methodologies

Lessons with the professors and Japanese teachers

Online and offline teaching materials

Online materials: texts uploaded in e-learning

Offline materials: dispense by the professors

Programme and references for attending students

Japanese Language 3 aims to upgrade grammar and syntax analysis of intermediate level. Lectures focuses on theoretical teaching (comparative and contrastive analysis).

Genki. An Integrated Course in Elementary Japanese, vol. 2 (dalla lezione 17 alla 23), a cura di Eri Banno et al., Tokyo, The Japan Times, 2013

Dispense a cura dei docenti (c/o fotocopisteria "Fronteretro", viale Sarca, 191)

Susanna Marino, il Dizionario giapponese, Bologna, Zanichelli, 2019

Materiali inviati tramite la piattaforma e-learning

Appunti presi a lezione

Programme and references for non-attending students

The same of attending students

Assessment methods

- Written an Oral exams
- the written test involves grammar and kanji exercises, a comprehension test and a translation (with dictionaries) from Japanese into Italian and viceversa. Once the written test has been passed, the students will be able to

access to the oral exam, which is composed by: reading (without furigana) of one or more texts read in class; grammar questions; questions in Japanese on the texts included in the book, in the exercise book and in the fotocopies prepared by the professor.

Evaluation

The ability of the students to read, translate and analize texts written in Japanese; the ability of the students to communicate in Japanese

Office hours

by appointment taken by email

Programme validity

The programmes are valid 2 years

Course tutors and assistants