Translation (English into Japanese)

Section 1

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[Course Outline / Description]

This course is to tackle with translation of English into Japanese and vice versa. Students are *expected to have N2 level Japanese proficiency*. We will, also, work on Japanese grammar with considerable time and attention.

What we do is to work on lessons on Japanese grammar, one chapter a week, and short newspaper articles, one article a lesson. One of you presents your own translation of the article each time to lead comprehension of the article of the class.

Section 2

[Course Objectives/Goals/Learning Outcomes]

- 1. Students will be able to be equipped with vocabularies and grammars to attain N1 or post-N2 level (hopefully).
- 2. Students will be able to advance essay skills with the acquired knowledge.
- 3. Students will be able to deepen understanding of Japanese people and culture on an everyday level through the materials and activities we use.

Section 3

[Class Schedule/Class Environment, Literature and Materials]

1	イントロ・Short 個人面談	記事 (J→E)	助詞の使い方 1/2	詎
2	1 助詞の使い方	1	助詞の使い方 2/2	
3	助詞の使い方	2	言葉の形(品詞・時制)1/2	
4	2 言葉の形 (品詞・時制)	3	言葉の形(品詞・時制)2/2	
5	言葉の形(品詞・時制)	4	動詞(自/他・能動/受身)1/2	
6	3 動詞(自/他・能動/受身)	5	動詞(自/他・能動/受身)2/2	
7	動詞(自/他・能動/受身)	6	呼応(co-occurrence)1/2	
8	4 呼応(co-occurrence)	7	呼応(co-occurrence)2/2	
9	呼応(co-occurrence)	8	文末表現 1/2	
10	5 文末表現	9	文末表現 2/2	
11	文末表現	10	カタカナの使い方 1/2	
12	6 カタカナの使い方	11	カタカナの使い方 2/2	
13	カタカナの使い方	12	読点の打ち方 1/2	
14	7 読点の打ち方	13	読点の打ち方 2/2	
15	読点の打ち方	14	Lesson Test 1 の準備	1
16	Lesson Test 1	記事 (E→J)	ひらがなと漢字のバランス 1/2	
17	8 ひらがなと漢字のバランス	1	ひらがなと漢字のバランス 2/2	

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18	ひらがなと漢字のバランス	2	書き言葉らしさ 1/2	3
19	9 書き言葉らしさ	3	書き言葉らしさ 2/2	4
20	書き言葉らしさ	4	文の長さと読みやすさ 1/2	5
21	10 文の長さと読みやすさ	5	文の長さと読みやすさ 2/2	6
22	文の長さと読みやすさ	6	指示詞による文の接続 1/2	7
23	11 指示詞による文の接続	7	指示詞による文の接続 2/2	8
24	指示詞による文の接続	8	接続詞と文章の構成 1/2	9
25	12 接続詞と文章の構成	9	接続詞と文章の構成 2/2	10
26	接続詞と文章の構成	10	読み手への配慮 1/2	11
27	13 読み手への配慮	11	読み手への配慮 2/2	12
28	読み手への配慮	12	Lesson Test 2 の準備	13
29	Lesson Test 2	13	期末試験準備	14
30	総復習	14	期末試験準備	

[Textbooks/Reading Materials]

Chapters are distributed through Blackboard, and newspaper articles are by handouts

Section 4

[Learning Assessments/Grading Rubric]

Grading: 100% = Lesson tests (x2) 50% + Final exam 50%

Tests are on both grammar and translation.

You may use an electronic dictionary but not a smart phone or PC.

Section 5

[Additional Information]

Things to concern:

- 1. No makeup tests are given (unless something beyond your control has occurred to you).
- 2. Absence each time costs 3 points from your final grading points.
- 3. Late show up (5 min or more after the starting time of the session) costs 1 point from your final grading points.