Japanese Reading and Writing 4abc

Section 1

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[Course Outline / Description]

This course is for those who are enrolled in Japanese 4 or an upper level. Students who are enrolled in this course already need to be familiar with about 400 basic Kanji, not only reading but also writing.

In this class, students will be using basic grammar tools to focus on reading and writing on various topics, while expanding their kanji and vocabulary. This course will cover Lesson 22 through Lesson 32 of Kanji Look and Learn textbook and workbook.

Section 2

[Course Objectives/Goals/Learning Outcomes]

176 more kanji will be introduced during the semester (16 kanji per week). You will read materials, including a biography, an advertisement and a questionnaire. You will also be able to write on topics related to the reading materials.

Section 3

[Class Schedule/Class Environment, Literature and Materials]

- 1. Orientation, Review of Kanji
- 2. Lesson22 (learn 8 new Kanji and practice writing and reading)
- 3. Lesson22(learn 8 new Kanji and read a questionnaire)
- 4. Lesson23(learn 8 new Kanji and practice writing and reading)
- 5. Lesson23(learn 8 new Kanji and read an essay)
- 6. Lesson24(learn 8 new Kanji and practice writing and reading)
- 7. Lesson24(learn 8 new Kanji and read an essay)
- 8. Lesson Test(1)
- 9. Lesson25(learn 8 new Kanji and practice writing and reading)
- 10. Lesson25(learn 8 new Kanji and read a history about Hiroshima)
- 11. Lesson26(learn 8 new Kanji and practice writing and reading)
- 12. Lesson26(learn 8 new Kanji and read a short story)
- 13. Lesson27(learn 8 new Kanji and practice writing and reading)
- 14. Lesson27(learn 8 new Kanji and read an essay)
- 15. Lesson Test(2)
- 16. How to write a composition in Japanese
- 17. Lesson28(learn 8 new Kanji and practice writing and reading)
- 18. Lesson28(learn 8 new Kanji and read an advertisement)
- 19. Lesson29(learn 8 new Kanji and practice writing and reading)
- 20. Lesson29(learn 8 new Kanji and read a biography)
- 21. Lesson30(learn 8 new Kanji and practice writing and reading)
- 22. Lesson30(learn 8 new Kanji and read an itinerary)
- 23. Lesson Test(3)
- 24. Lesson31(learn 8 new Kanji and practice writing and reading)
- 25. Composition Test
- 26. Lesson31(learn 8 new Kanji and read an essay)

27. Lesson32(learn 8 new Kanji and practice writing and reading)

- 28. Lesson32(learn 8 new Kanji and read an advertisement)
- 29. Reading test
- 30. Review for final exam

[Textbooks/Reading Materials]

Kanji look and learn: 512 kanji with illustrations and mnemonic hints: イメージで覚える

「げんき」な漢字 512 ISBN: 9784789013499

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Section 4

[Learning Assessments/Grading Rubric]

Final Exam 30%

Kanji quiz 20%

Chapter Test 35%

Essay 10%

Reading Test 5%