

## Kanji and readings 4A

### Section 1

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#### 【Course Outline / Description】

The fourth level of Kanji and Reading Japanese. This course is for those who are enrolled in Japanese 4 or an upper level. Students must hold an understanding of basic Japanese grammar. 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.

### Section 3

#### 【Class Schedule/Class Environment, Literature and Materials】

- 第1回 Orientation, Review
- 第2回 Lesson22 (Asynchronous)
- 第3回 Lesson22(Practice Kanji and read a questionnaire)
- 第4回 Lesson23(Asynchronous)
- 第5回 Lesson23(Practice Kanji and read an essay)
- 第6回 Lesson24(Asynchronous)
- 第7回 Lesson24(Practice Kanji and read an essay)
- 第8回 Lesson Test(1)
- 第9回 Lesson25(Asynchronous)
- 第10回 Lesson25(Practice Kanji and read a history about Hiroshima)
- 第11回 Lesson26(Asynchronous)
- 第12回 Lesson26(Practice Kanji and read a short story)
- 第13回 Lesson27(Asynchronous)
- 第14回 Lesson27(Practice Kanji and read an essay)
- 第15回 Review
- 第16回 Reading Test (1)
- 第17回 Lesson Test(2)
- 第18回 Lesson28(Asynchronous)
- 第19回 Lesson28(Practice Kanji and read an advertisement)
- 第20回 Lesson29(Asynchronous)
- 第21回 Lesson29(Practice Kanji and read a biography)
- 第22回 Lesson30(Asynchronous)
- 第23回 Lesson30(Practice Kanji and read an itinerary)
- 第24回 Lesson Test(3)
- 第25回 Lesson31(Asynchronous)

第 26 回 Lesson31(Practice Kanji and read an essay) Review of Kanji

第 27 回 Lesson32(Asynchronous)

第 28 回 Lesson32(Practice Kanji and read an advertisement)

第 29 回 Review

第 30 回 Reading test (2)

**【Textbooks/Reading Materials】**

1. 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 : genki plus

著者名 坂野永理, 池田庸子, 品川恭子, 田嶋香織, 渡嘉敷恭子著

出版社名 The Japan Times

ISBN 番号 9784789013499

2. Kanji look and learn Workbook : 512 kanji with illustrations and mnemonic hints : イメージで覚える「げんき」な漢字 512 : genki plus

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**Section 4**

**【Learning Assessments/Grading Rubric】**

Final Exam 20%

Composition 10%

Kanji Quiz 20%

Lesson Test 30%

Reading Test 20%

**Section 5**

**【Additional Information】**

Students who are enrolled in this course already need to be familiar with about 400 basic Kanji, not only reading but also writing.

## Kanji and Readings 4b

### Section 1

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#### 【Course Outline / Description】

The fourth level of Kanji and Readings in Japanese. Students must have an understanding of basic Japanese grammar. 176 kanji will be introduced during the semester. Students will be using basic grammar for reading and writing on various topics, while expanding their kanji and vocabulary knowledge. We will read materials, including biographies, advertisements and questionnaires. Students also write three short essays on certain topics and present one of them in the class (“Essay presentation”). This course will cover Lesson 22 through Lesson 32 of the Kanji Look and Learn textbook and workbook.

We will use Blackboard and Zoom as communication tools. The instruction and the learning materials for each class will be posted in Blackboard. Students are requested to check the course schedule and Blackboard on each class day.

### Section 2

#### 【Course Objectives/Goals/Learning Outcomes】

1. To be able to read and write more Kanji.
2. To be able to understand texts with Kanji which you have learned.
3. To be able to write essays with more Kanji.

### Section 3

#### 【Class Schedule/Class Environment, Literature and Materials】

	Class contents
1 Zoom	<b>-Orientation</b> -Lesson 22: Learn new kanji -Workbook pp.112-115
2 Zoom	- L22 : Practicing kanji - Reading the text (Workbook p.116)
3 Self-study	- L23: Learn new kanji, - Assignment (Workbook pp.117-120)
4 Zoom	<b>-Kanji quiz (L22)</b> -L23: Practicing kanji -Reading the text (Workbook p.121)
5 Self-study	-L24: Learn new kanji -Assignment (Workbook pp.123-126)

6 Zoom	<b>-Kanji quiz (L23)</b> -L24: Practicing kanji -Reading the text (Workbook p.127)
7 Self-study	-L25: Learn new kanji, -Assignment (Workbook pp.128-131)
8 Zoom	<b>-Kanji quiz (L24)</b> -L25: Practicing kanji -Reading the text(Workbook p.132) -Preparing for Essay1
9 Self-study	-L26: Learn new kanji, -Assignment (Workbook pp.133-136)
10 Zoom	<b>-Kanji quiz (L25)</b> -L26: Practicing kanji -Reading the text(Workbook p.137)
11 Self-study	-L27: Learn new kanji, -Assignment (Workbook pp.138-141)
12 Zoom	<b>-Kanji quiz (L26)</b> -L27: Practicing kanji -Reading the text(Workbook p.142)
13 Zoom	<b>Exam 1 (L22-27) Group1</b>
14 Zoom	<b>Exam 1 (L22-27) Group2</b>
15 Self-study	- L28: Learn new kanji, - Assignment(Workbook pp.143-147)
16 Zoom	<b>-Kanji quiz (L27)</b> -L28: Practicing kanji -Reading the text(Workbook pp.148-149)
17 Self-study	-Write Essay 2
18 Self-study	-L29: Learn new kanji, -Assignment(Workbook pp.150-153)
19 Zoom	<b>-Kanji quiz (L28)</b> -L29: Practicing kanji - Reading the text(Workbook p.154)
20 Self-study	-L30: Learn new kanji, -Assignment(Workbook pp.155-159)
21 Zoom	<b>-Kanji quiz (L29)</b> -L30: Practicing kanji -Reading the text(Workbook pp.160-161)
22 Self-study	-L31: Learn new kanji, -Assignment (Workbook pp.162-166)
23 Zoom	<b>-Kanji quiz (L30)</b> -L31: Practicing kanji -Reading the text(Workbook p.167) -Preparing for Essay3

24 Self-study	-L32: Learn new kanji, -Assignment(Workbook pp.169-172)
25 Zoom	<b>-Kanji quiz (L31)</b> -L32: Practicing kanji -Reading the text(Workbook p.173)
26 Self-study	-Review
27 Zoom	<b>-Kanji quiz(L32)</b> -Review
28 Self-study	-Review
29 Zoom	<b>Exam2 (Lesson28-32) Group1</b>
30 Zoom	<b>Exam2 (Lesson28-32) Group2</b>

**【Textbooks/Reading Materials】**

「Kanji Look and Learn」 Eri Banno, etc. The Japan Times

「Kanji Look and Learn Workbook」 Eri Banno, etc. The Japan Times

**Note: Please obtain the textbooks before the course starts. You can find them in an online store.**

**Section 4**

**【Learning Assessments/Grading Rubric】**

Exam 1 -----	20%
Exam 2 -----	20%
Kanji Quizzes (10)-----	15%
Essays -----	10%
Assignments -----	35%

**【Additional Information】**

1. It is critical that students attend Zoom session and submit assignments according to the schedule.  
An assignment submitted later than the deadline will cause 20% reduction from the achieved points in that assignment.
2. Exams will not be rescheduled for any reason. Make-ups will be given only for medical reasons with written proof.
3. The kanji quiz will be held in the first 10 minutes of a zoom session. There is no make-up quiz for the students who missed the quiz. The worst score of the quizzes in the semester will not be included in the result.