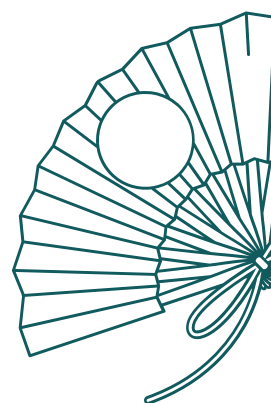
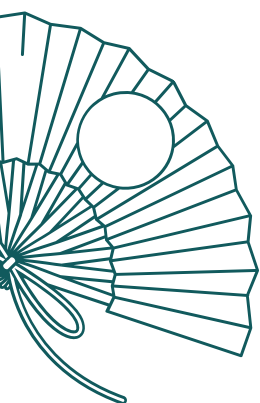


OSAKA

2025



INTENSIVE JAPANESE LANGUAGE & CULTURE COURSE



KANSAI UNIVERSITY

Summer 1: June 3 - June 26 (24 days)

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Welcome to Kansai

The Kansai Region is a captivating blend of historical treasures, vibrant cities, and stunning natural landscapes. It encompasses six prefectures: Osaka, Kyoto, Hyogo, Nara, Wakayama, and Shiga. Kansai is a must-visit destination for anyone looking to experience the essence of Japanese culture, history, and cuisine.

KANSAI UNIVERSITY

Kansai University, located in Osaka, is one of Japan's leading private universities with a rich history and a commitment to academic excellence, research, and global engagement. Founded in 1886, Kansai University has grown into a comprehensive institution offering a wide range of undergraduate and graduate programs.



Make friends on campus

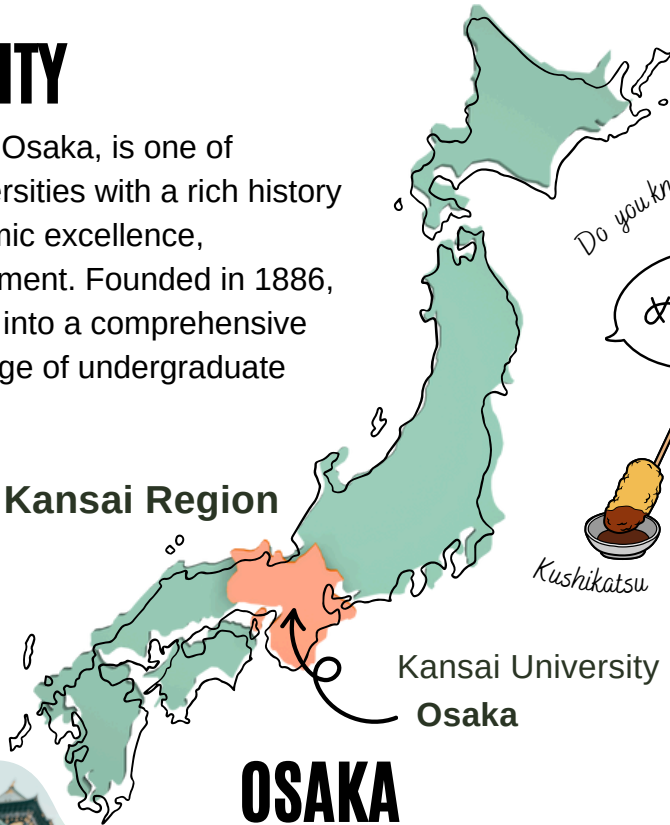


Take train to



Osaka Castle

Kansai Region



Kansai University
Osaka

Do you know what these Kansai-ben mean?

めっちゃ

なんでやねん

ほな



Kushikatsu



Explore the vibrant city of Osaka

OSAKA

Studying in Osaka provides a unique and enriching environment for learning Japanese. The city's vibrant culture, friendly atmosphere, distinctive Kansai dialect (Kansai-ben), and proximity to the historical and cultural treasures of the Kansai region create an ideal study abroad destination.



Takoyaki



Okonomiyaki

Kansai's Rich Heritage

Osaka's central location and excellent transportation network make it incredibly convenient to access nearby cities and their cultural and historical gems.



KYOTO

The Ancient Capital



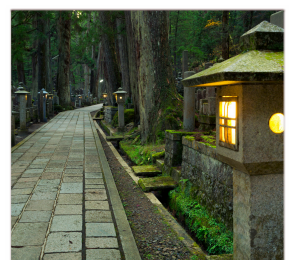
NARA

The Ancient Capital



KOBE

The Cosmopolitan Port City



WAKAYAMA

Nature & Spiritual Sites

Program Contents

Experience Japanese Language in Action!

This program offers an enriching and immersive experience designed to enhance your language skills and deepen your understanding of Japanese culture. It especially focuses on developing students' speaking abilities through rigorous academic instruction, hands-on cultural activities, and real-world practice, ensuring a holistic approach to learning. Here are the key highlights of our program:



Japanese Language Class:

Engage in comprehensive language courses tailored to your proficiency levels, from beginner to advanced, with a focus on practical communication and cultural nuances.



Cultural Experience:

Participate in traditional Japanese activities and dive into the rich cultural heritage of Japan.



Field Trips:

Explore the historical and cultural treasures of the Kansai region with visits to iconic landmarks.



Meet and Greet with Local Students:

Build friendships and practice language through interactions with KU students, enhancing your conversational abilities and cultural understanding.



Final Presentation:

Conduct interviews with local people in Japanese and present your findings, showcasing your language proficiency and the cultural insights you've gained throughout the program.

Conversation Partners

Real Conversations, Real Progress

Partner with Kansai University local students who assist you in practicing your Japanese. Learn vocabulary and grammar from textbooks, then apply your knowledge in real conversations with your conversation partners.

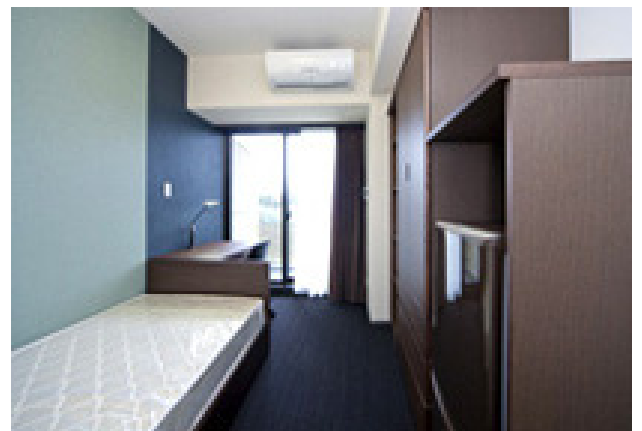




Accommodation

UNIVERSITY DORMITORY

Experience the vibrant community at our university by staying in one of our five international dormitories. Form lasting friendships with both international and local students. Each dorm has resident assistants to help you adjust to life here, offering support and guidance. Enjoy a supportive environment, cultural exchange, and a true sense of community in our university dormitories.



HOMESTAY EXPERIENCE

Staying in a Japanese home offers a unique opportunity to immerse yourself in the culture, language, and customs from a local perspective. Embrace the warmth of a Japanese family and make your own home in Japan!



Experience Japan



Like Never Before



Course Guide

Course Period:

Summer 1 :Tuesday, June 3, 2025 - Thursday, June 26, 2025 (24 days)

Summer 2 :Tuesday, July 1, 2025 - Thursday, July 24, 2025 (24 days)

Campus:

Kansai University, Minami-Senri International Plaza (1-2-20, Satakedai, Suita-shi, Osaka)

Eligible Participants:

Students who have foreign nationality and are enrolled in a college or university, or those who have graduated from college or university within one year of starting the course

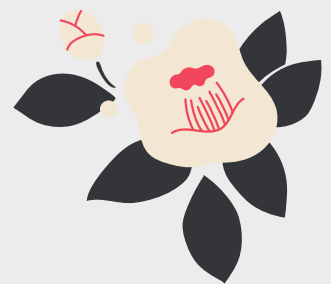
Qualifications Required:

- Ability to read and write Hiragana and Katakana
- Ability to type in Japanese language
- Ability to give a simple self-introduction and to explain one's daily schedule
- Those who have studied Japanese for at least 50 hours.

Course Content:

- Japanese language classes
- Japanese culture experience
- Field trip
- Interaction with Kansai University students
- Presentation in Japanese

*The contents of Japanese culture experience and field trip are subject to change.



Features:

- Conversation Partners

Kansai University students support the class as conversation partners, allowing you to practice and improve your Japanese conversation skills.

- Cultural Exchange Opportunities

Through interaction with Kansai University students, you can make friends in Japan.

- Enhancement of Presentation Skill

By preparing for the final presentation, you will aim to improve your presentation skills in Japanese.



Capacity:


The course will be limited to 45 students in principle.

- We may close applications as soon as we reach the designated number of applicants even before the application deadline.
- About 10 to 12 students per class
- When applying on a university basis, the number of students will be limited to approximately 5 to 10 students per university. The number of participants accepted from each university may be adjusted depending on the number of applicants.
- Minimum number of students: If the number of students is less than 10 for each class, classes will not be held.

Completion Requirements, Certificate of Completion:

Only participants who have attended at least 80% of all classes and activities from the Opening Ceremony to the Closing Ceremony will receive a certificate of completion. Upon completion of the course, participants will receive a certificate of completion* (original) and a transcript (electronic version), but no credits will be awarded by Kansai University.





Class:

Primary Class:

If you have not reached the level of ability listed in ①②③ below, you will not be able to apply for the course because we have not set up a class for you to participate in. Please check them carefully.

① Ability to read and write Hiragana and Katakana

② Ability to type in Japanese language

③ Ability to understand basic Japanese language

(This class is equivalent to JLPT N5 level *. Lower primary level)

Reference: Textbooks: " Marugoto: Japanese language and culture Starter A1 Coursebook for communicative language activities" and "Tsunagu Nihongo Beginner Level Series vol.1"

<Reading> One is able to read and understand typical expressions and sentences written in Hiragana, Katakana, and basic Kanji used in daily life.

<Listening> One is able to listen and comprehend conversations about topics regularly encountered in daily life and classroom situations, and is able to pick up necessary information from short conversations spoken slowly.

Primary-Intermediate Class:

This class is for participants who can understand and mostly use basic Japanese.

(This class is equivalent to JLPT N4 - N3 level*. Higher primary level.)

Reference: Textbook: "Dekiru Nihongo: Sho Chu Kyu"

Intermediate-Advanced Class:

This class is for participants who have advanced to the intermediate level of Japanese language and have the ability to communicate in basic Japanese.

(This class is equivalent to JLPT N2* or higher.)

Reference: Textbook: "TOBIRA: Gateway to Advanced Japanese"

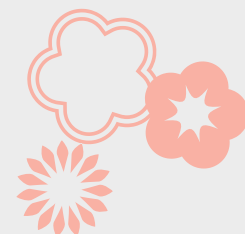
* JLPT levels: Refer to the website, "JLPT Japanese-Language Proficiency Test".

<https://www.jlpt.jp/e/about/levelsummary.html>

[Important]

* The class you will attend will be announced after you arrive in Japan.

* The language used in class is Japanese only. No explanation is given in an intermediary language.



Course Fees: The fees depend on the type of accommodation

Accommodation Option	Summer 1 & 2 Fees (JPY)
International Dormitory, Student House Shurei-ryo, Dormitory Tsukigaoka (Female only)	236,500
Minami-Senri International Plaza	251,700
KU G-House	275,070
Homestay	333,150

※ Optional: Short-Term Homestay: JPY21,340 / 2 nights, 3 days

[Important]

*Please note that your application for the dormitory and homestay can not be guaranteed.

*If you arrange accommodation by yourself, please ask us about fees.

Overseas travel accident insurance:

Overseas travel accident insurance specified by Kansai University is mandatory for all participants. Its cost will be added to the bill on top of the above fees. The period of insurance coverage conform to the duration of the course designated by Kansai University.

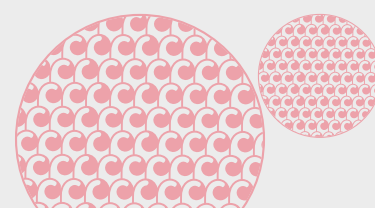
<Overseas travel accident insurance> Summer 1 & 2: JPY 15,650

*The course fees include:

Japanese language class / Course materials / Accommodation fee / Japanese culture experience / Field trip / Interactions with KU students

* The course fees do NOT include:

Airfares / Transportation fees during the stay except for Field trip / Overseas travel accident insurance fees / Visa application fees / Meals and any other living expenses





Payment of Course Fees:

- Accepted students will receive an email with guidelines for payment of fees after the application period is closed.
- **Pay the required fees to the designated bank account in Japanese YEN** by the deadline.
- A money transfer from outside of Japan may take time.
- Be sure to make the payment well in advance so that it will be completed by the deadline.
- **As a rule, the fees once paid, will not be refunded.**

Visa :

Students are responsible for obtaining the Visa. We will prepare and send them documents required for visa application after confirming the payment of the fees. If students are unable to obtain a visa, they will not be able to participate in the course. Be sure to consult the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Japan website for more information before applying for the course.

https://www.mofa.go.jp/j_info/visit/visa/index.html

Schedule before Enrollment:

Schedule is subject to change except course commencement date.

Schedule	Summer 1	Summer 2
Application deadline (Online registration and Submission of the documents) <small>*We may close the application as soon as we reach the fixed number of applicants</small>	Tuesday, March 25	Wednesday, April 9
Announcement of the availability of the course Announcement of acceptance, payment and further procedure	Early April	Mid-April
Payment deadline Letter of Acceptance to be sent to students after confirmation of payment.	Early April	Late April
Sending of documents required for visa application (Preparation of documents as soon as payment is confirmed)	Late April	Mid-May
Announcement of Pre-course information (Information on meeting time and place for accommodation orientation)	Late May	Late June



Accommodation Information

Dormitory Name	Type of Dorms	How to get to campus	Meals
International Dormitory *single & twin room	co-ed gender-specific floor	On foot time:15 minutes	No meal plan at this dormitory You are welcome to prepare meals in the shared kitchen
Student House Shurei-ryo *single room only	co-ed gender-specific floor	By train & on foot time:25 minutes	
Dormitory Tsukigaoka *twin room only *shared room with KU Student	female only	1.By train & on foot 2.On foot only time:20 minutes	
Minami-Senri International Plaza Dormitory *single room only	co-ed gender-specific & all gender unit	On campus	
KU G-House *single room only	co-ed gender-specific & all gender unit	By bus & on foot time:30 minutes	You can have your meals at the cafeteria during its opening hours. You are also welcome to prepare meals in the shared kitchen.

Dormitory Details

(Japanese) <https://www.kansai-u.ac.jp/Kokusai/Dormitory/facility/>

(English) <https://www.kansai-u.ac.jp/Kokusai/Dormitory/en/>

Type of Dorms

Except for the all-gender units in the International Plaza Dormitory and KU G-House, residents are assigned to dormitory floors or units according to the sex on their passports.

Other:

security system : self-locking doors

wifi availability in the dorm rooms: wireless LAN

what to bring: towel /hairdryer/amenity *For other items, please refer to the dormitory details.

The IJLC participation fees cover the room rent, including utilities and internet, as well as the entrance fee, deposit, and linen rental fee.

Homestay:

Breakfast and dinner included.

Free Wi-Fi is available.

Location approx. 30-60 minutes from the campus.

*It is your responsibility to pay for the transportation fees.

*There may be international students from other countries staying in the same household.

*For Short-Term Homestay (Optional), accommodation for 3 days and 2 nights includes 2 breakfasts
1 lunch and 2 dinners.



Transportation routes and travel time to the accommodation

There is no pick-up bus or other transportation service provided by Kansai University between the airport and your accommodation, so please make your own way to and from the airport.

To locate your accommodation, please refer to the URL listed under “dormitory details” in the section on titled "Accommodation Information". It is recommended to book a flight that arrives at Kansai International Airport no later than 12:00 p.m.

Arrival Time on the Day of Arrival

(Arrival day = the day before the opening ceremony)

- **Please be punctual.**
 - ※Please review the schedule carefully.
- **You are required to attend the orientation for your respective accommodation (dormitory or homestay). Attendance is mandatory.**

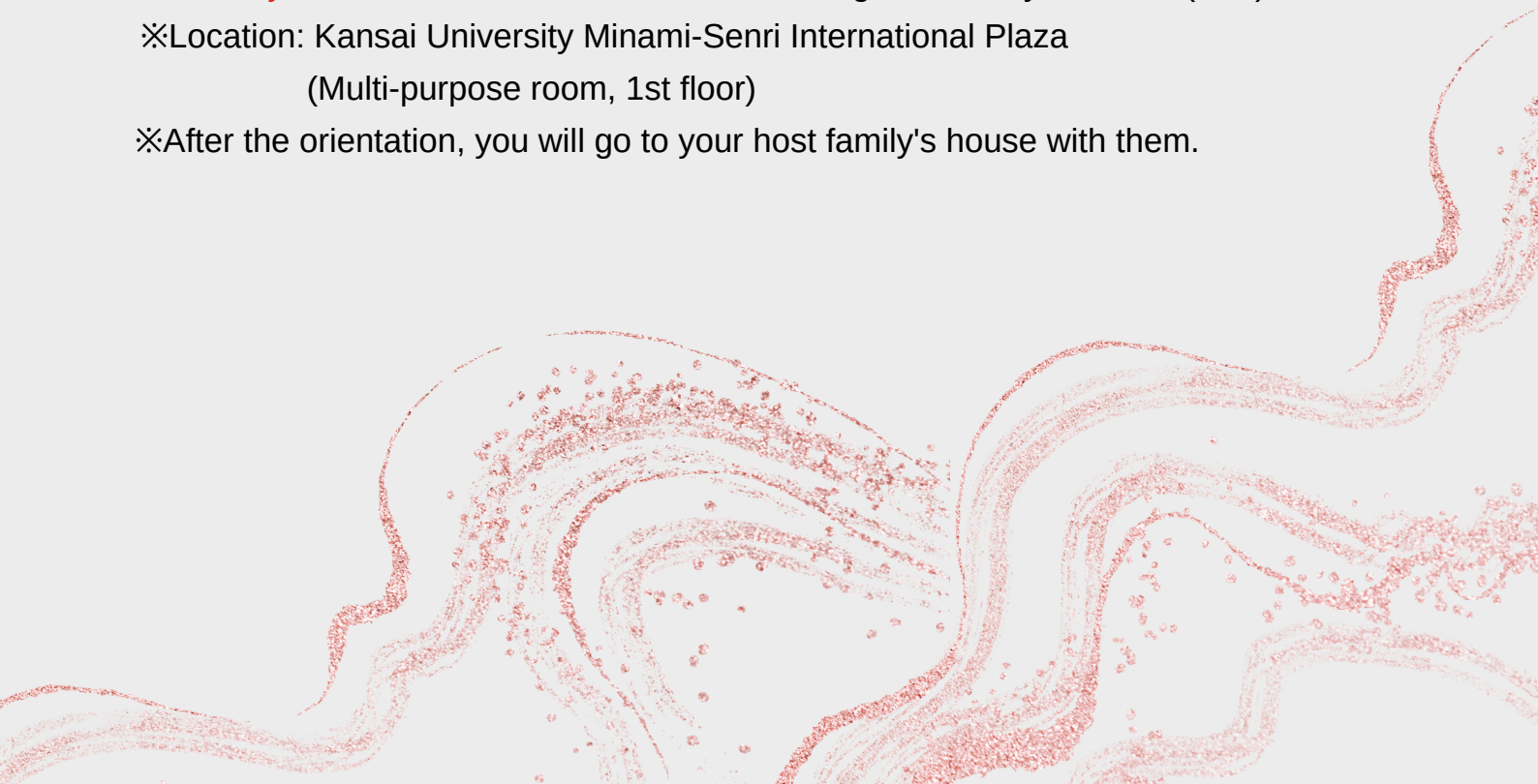
① **Dormitory accommodation:** Arrive at your designated dormitory by **3:00 PM** (JST)

② **Homestay accommodation:** Arrive at the following location by **4:00 PM** (JST)

※Location: Kansai University Minami-Senri International Plaza

(Multi-purpose room, 1st floor)

※After the orientation, you will go to your host family's house with them.



Application Procedure:

STEP1 Apply Online using the registration form

Scan the QR code or access the following URL.

Answer the questions on the form and register.



Summer 1

<https://forms.office.com/r/zAdquRe2uU>



Summer 2

<https://forms.office.com/r/L1W0DWCBtg>

STEP2 Send the application documents ①② by email to ijlc@ml.kandai.jp

- ① The certification document issued by the university or other institution where the student is enrolled or from which they graduated (Scanned copy of student's ID (both sides), Certificate of Enrollment or Certificate of Graduation, etc.)
- ② Scanned copy of passport ID page with your photo

Note: When sending an e-mail, please be sure to include your name.

Please be careful not to make a mistake when sending personal information.

Application Completed

After submitting both STEP 1 and STEP 2, if there are any issues, we will contact you via email, so please be sure to check your email regularly. After both submissions are complete, you will receive an email with the receipt of your application and information on taking the placement test from the Center for International Education, Kansai University within a week.

If you do not receive any communication within a week of submitting the STEP 2 application documents (by email), please contact ijlc@ml.kandai.jp.

Take a Placement Test

- Students must complete on their own without referring to texts or other materials.
- If the test results are unclear, an online interview may be conducted beforehand. In such cases, only the relevant individuals will be contacted via email.
- This test is used only as a reference for class placement.
- The score of the test result is not available to applicants.

Application period

The application is complete once both the online registration and the submission of documents are received.

Summer 1 : Tuesday, March 25, 2025 (must be received by 11:59PM JST)

Summer 2 : Wednesday, April 9, 2025 (must be received by 11:59PM JST)

*We will let you know by email whether the courses will be held or not within approximately 10 days after the deadline.

*Course contents are subject to change or can be canceled due to natural disasters or other circumstances, even if the courses are scheduled to be held.

*As a rule, the fees once paid, will not be refunded.

Summer 1 Schedule

Schedule is subject to change
Saturday, Sunday and public holidays are days off.

		Tue. June 3 (First day)	Wed. June 4	Thu. June 5	Fri. June 6
1st period 9:00-10:30			10:00-12:00 Opening Ceremony and Orientation	Holiday	Japanese
2nd period 10:40-12:10					Japanese
		【Dormitory】 Check in before 15:00	12:10-13:00 Welcome Party		12:10-12:15 Consulting class level (only who wish to switch levels)
3rd period 13:00-14:30		【Homestay】 Check in before 16:00			13:00-15:00 Interaction with KU students 15:00-16:00 Campus Tour
	Mon. June 9	Tue. June 10	Wed. June 11	Thu. June 12	Fri. June 13
1st period 9:00-10:30	Japanese	Japanese	Japanese	9:00-17:00 Field Trip	Japanese
2nd period 10:40-12:10	Japanese	Japanese	Japanese		Japanese
3rd period 13:00-14:30	12:10-12:15 Fix class level (only who consult the class)	Japanese Culture Experience			
					*Optional Short-term homestay Jun. 13-15
	Mon. June 16	Tue. June 17	Wed. June 18	Thu. June 19	Fri. June 20
1st period 9:00-10:30	Japanese	Japanese	Japanese	9:00-17:00 Field Trip	Japanese
2nd period 10:40-12:10	Japanese	Japanese	Japanese		Japanese
3rd period 13:00-14:30	Japanese	Japanese	Japanese		Japanese
	Mon. June 23	Tue. June 24	Wed. June 25	Thu. June 26	
1st period 9:00-10:30	Japanese	Japanese	9:00-11:00 Final Presentation	Check-out	
2nd period 10:40-12:10	Japanese	Japanese	11:10-12:00 Closing Ceremony		
3rd period 13:00-14:30	Japanese	Japanese	12:10-13:00 Farewell Party		

Summer 2 Schedule

Schedule is subject to change
Saturday, Sunday and public holidays are days off.

		Tue. July 1	Wed. July 2	Thu. July 3	Fri. July 4
1st period 9:00-10:30			10:00-12:00 Opening Ceremony and Orientation	Japanese	Japanese
2nd period 10:40-12:10				Japanese	Japanese
		【Dormitory】 Check in before 15:00		12:10-13:00 Welcome Party	12:10-12:15 Consulting class level (only who wish to switch levels)
3rd period 13:00-14:30		【Homestay】 Check in before 16:00			13:00-15:00 Interaction with KU students 15:00-16:00 Campus Tour
	Mon. July 7	Tue. July 8	Wed. July 9	Thu. July 10	Fri. July 11
1st period 9:00-10:30	Japanese	Japanese	Japanese	9:00-17:00 Field Trip	Japanese
2nd period 10:40-12:10	Japanese	Japanese	Japanese		Japanese
3rd period 13:00-14:30	Japanese Culture Experience				Japanese
					*Optional Short-term homestay July 11-13
	Mon. July 14	Tue. July 15	Wed. July 16	Thu. July 17	Fri. July 18
1st period 9:00-10:30	Japanese	Japanese	Japanese	9:00-17:00 Field Trip	Japanese
2nd period 10:40-12:10	Japanese	Japanese	Japanese		Japanese
3rd period 13:00-14:30	Japanese	Japanese	Japanese		Japanese
	Mon. July 21	Tue. July 22	Wed. July 23	Wed. July 23 Thu. July 24	
1st period 9:00-10:30	Holiday	Japanese	9:00-11:00 Final Presentation	Check-out	
2nd period 10:40-12:10		Japanese	11:10-12:00 Closing Ceremony		
3rd period 13:00-14:30		Japanese	12:10-13:00 Farewell Party		



Important : Please ensure to review it thoroughly.

Kansai University Center for International Education will follow the Japanese laws, guidelines, and other norms concerning the use of personal information (address, name, telephone number or personally identifiable information) provided by the applicant. When applying for the Course, be sure to refer to the following website for more details about the use of personal information:

www.kansai-u.ac.jp/English/info/privacy.html

*In terms of information security, Kansai University determines information security policies and guidelines for use of social media. Therefore, we prohibit you to disseminate class-related materials such as videos and documents provided without any permission. In the event that any of these actions are recognized, it may be subject to a claim for damages based on Japanese laws.

(Japanese Only: www.kansai-u.ac.jp/ja/info/security_policy.html)

Contact Information :

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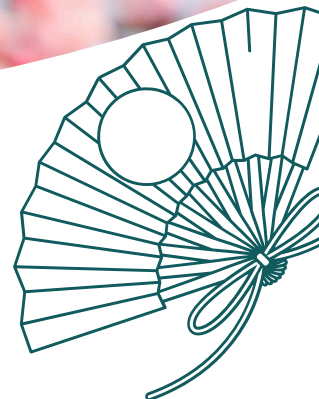
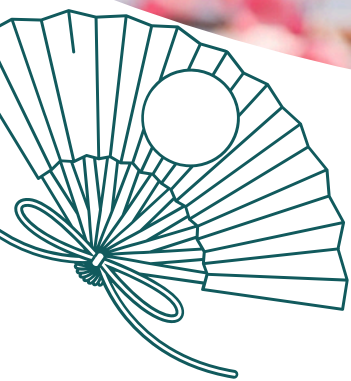
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🌐 <https://www.kansai-u.ac.jp/ku-jpn/other/ijlc.html>

*Winter holidays of Kansai University

Thursday, December 26, 2024 - Monday, January 6, 2025





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