

2018-2019



Center for Japanese Language and Culture, Aichi Shukutoku University
JAPANESE STUDIES PROGRAM

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Feature

The Center for Japanese Language and Culture at Aichi Shukutoku University was founded in 1992 with a mission to provide students with knowledge of the Japanese language that can be used with confidence on various occasions and for various purposes. Our teaching staff is always ready and enthusiastic to satisfy the needs of each student. Each year we accept students from China, Korea, the United Kingdom, Germany, the United States, and more, and our alumni are found pursuing excellence in their chosen fields all around the world.



- 1** We offer six levels of instruction, from “Japanese I (Beginner’s Level)” to “Japanese VI (Advanced Level).”
- 2** We also offer elective courses on Japanese culture.
- 3** Class sizes are limited to 10 students or less.
- 4** Once a week, students will receive detailed individual instruction at sessions called “language clinic”.
- 5** Our program includes an overnight field trip and various other activities outside the classroom.
- 6** Students can live in our on-campus residence hall called iHouse.
- 7** Students who have completed the CJLC will have the Japanese proficiency requirement for admission to Aichi Shukutoku University waived. (conditions apply)

Japanese Studies Program

At the Aichi Shukutoku University Center for Japanese Language and Culture, we offer courses in Japanese language instruction to match students' individual levels, as well as courses in Japanese culture that place emphasis on practical experience and other subjects such as translation and theory of Japanese grammar.

We offer six levels of instruction, from "Japanese I (Beginner's Level)" to "Japanese VI (Advanced Level)." To complete the program, students are required to earn 12-16 credits from Required Courses (depending on individual student's level) each semester. Check our website for more detailed course descriptions of each class.

Program Outline

<http://www.aasa.ac.jp/institution/international/cjlc-e/description/index.html>

Japanese Studies Program Class Schedule

1st Period	9:30–10:20	50 min
2nd Period	10:30–11:20	50 min
3rd Period	11:30–12:20	50 min
Lunch/Free Period		
4th Period	13:30–15:00	90 min
5th Period	15:10–16:40	90 min



Required Courses:

- Classes of all levels meet every day from Monday through Friday.
- Classes of all levels meet in the morning for 10 (12 in case of Japanese I and II) 50-minute periods a week; basically 4 periods for conversation and 6 periods for reading and writing, and one 90-minute period a week in the afternoon. In addition, students enrolled in Japanese I to IV have two 50-minute periods a week for listening.
- There is a once-a-week language-counseling hour called "language clinic" for every course, which is the time for students to get individual guidance from the instructor.

Elective Courses:

- All classes meet in the afternoon.
- All classes meet once a week for 90 minutes.
- We offer classes of flower arrangement, calligraphy, Japanese culture and some more, through which students can gain hands-on experiences.

Example: Fall Semester (Japanese I)

16 Japanese language credits, 4 additional credits

Time	Day	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
1st	9:30–10:20	Japanese I (kanji)	Japanese Listening I		Japanese I (kanji)	Japanese Listening I
2nd	10:30–11:20	Japanese I	Japanese I	Japanese I	Japanese I	Japanese I
3rd	11:30–12:20	Japanese I	Japanese I	Japanese I	Japanese I	Japanese I
Lunch/Free Period						
4th	13:30–15:00		Flower Arrangement	Japanese Workshop I	Clinic	Calligraphy
5th	15:10–16:40					

Example: Spring Semester (Japanese V)

12 Japanese language credits, 4 additional credits

Time	Day	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
1st	9:30–10:20					
2nd	10:30–11:20	Japanese V	Japanese V	Japanese V	Japanese V	Japanese V
3rd	11:30–12:20	Japanese V	Japanese V	Japanese V	Japanese V	Japanese V
Lunch/Free Period						
4th	13:30–15:00	Translation		Japanese Workshop V	Japanese Culture	
5th	15:10–16:40	Clinic				

The period of study at the Center for Japanese Language and Culture is one year. However, those who fulfill certain conditions will be permitted to extend their period of study for up to another year.

Students receive a certificate of completion upon successfully fulfilling the requirements below.

- Completion of two semesters of study
- Earning a minimum of 28 credits with at least 14 credits earned each semester
- Of these 14 credits mentioned above, 12-16 credits (depending on the student's level) per semester must be Japanese language credits



Annual Schedule

The following is the annual schedule of our Japanese Studies Program. The academic calendar for ASU undergraduate and graduate students is from April to March the following year, but **the Japanese Studies Program starts in September and ends in May**. Each year students enjoy participating in various cultural events organized by the Center. The schedule is subject to change.



Fall Semester 2018

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Arrival in Japan
Orientation
Placement Test

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Entrance Ceremony
(Aug. 31st [Fri])
Beginning of the Fall
Semester (Sep. 3rd [Mon])

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Field Trip
(Oct. 24th [Wed], Oct. 25th [Thu])
Aichi Shukutoku University Festival
(Oct. 27th [Sat], Oct. 28th [Sun])

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End of the Fall Semester
(Dec. 24th [Mon])



Spring Semester 2019

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Beginning of the Spring
Semester (Jan. 15th [Tue])

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Spring Vacation
(Feb. 19th [Tue] – Feb. 22nd [Fri])

4

Health Check-up

5

End of the Spring Semester
(May 10th [Fri])
Closing Ceremony
(May 17th [Fri])



Financial Information

The following is a summary of estimated fees and expenses for 2018.

Item	Estimated Cost for 1 Year of Study		Total: 800,000 yen
	Processing Fee	First Semester (Due in September)	Second Semester (Due in January)
Admission Fee	20,000 yen	—	—
Security Deposit	—	30,000 yen *2	—
Class Tuition	100,000 yen	255,000 yen	355,000 yen
Facilities and Equipment Fee	—	20,000 yen	20,000 yen
Total	120,000 yen *1	305,000 yen	375,000 yen

*The following fees are subject to change without notice.



*1) Admitted students are required to submit 120,000 yen (100,000 for class tuition, 20,000 for admission fees) upon declaring their intent to enter the program. In the event that the student decides not to enter the program, this payment will not be refunded.

*2) The security deposit is used to pay for any liabilities the student incurs. Any unused funds will be returned to the student upon completion of the program.

ASU Alumni Scholarship for International Students

This scholarship, awarded on the basis of academic achievement at the Center for Japanese Language and Culture, is given in the form of a partial tuition refund of 30% at the close of each semester.

Health Services and Insurance

1. National Health Insurance

International students living in Japan must join National Health Insurance (NHI). NHI covers 70% of the total medical expenses when you receive treatment at medical institutions. The insurance fees differ depending on the city or ward you reside. The average annual premium is approximately 14,000 yen.

2. Personal Accident Insurance for Students Pursuing Education and Research (PAS) and Liability Insurance

All ASU students must join Personal Accident Insurance for Students Pursuing Education and Research (PAS). This insurance covers unexpected physical injuries incurred while engaging in educational and research activities on and off campus. In addition, all students must join Liability Insurance for Students Pursuing Education and Research. This insurance covers compensation when a student causes damage to others or their belongings during educational and research activities and while commuting between university facilities and between the university and the place of residence. The insurance fee for PAS is 800 yen per year and 340 yen per year for Liability Insurance, which makes the total amount per year 1,140 yen.

3. Annual Health Check-up

We provide an annual health check-up for all students for free. You may apply for Certificate of physical condition on campus which is often required for university admission and the job hunting process.

Application Documents

Please consult the “2018-2019 Application Guide” on our website for more detailed information regarding the admission procedure. You can also download application documents from our website.

Application Information

<http://www.aasa.ac.jp/institution/international/cjlc-e/application/index.html>

Please visit our website to look at the pages that our students have created to introduce our Japanese program.

<http://www.aasa.ac.jp/institution/international/cjlc-e/homepage/index.html>

Housing – International House (iHouse)

iHouse, newly opened in 2013, is a three-story handsome-looking building. Being multipurpose, iHouse contains dormitory rooms for international students on the 2nd and 3rd floors, and seminar rooms, tatami rooms, a tea ceremony room, a multipurpose lounge, and a cooking studio on the 1st floor. The facilities on the 1st floor are available to all students and faculty members of the university for various purposes. The dormitory zone is separated completely for security purposes from the rest of the facilities by the door which can be opened only with the resident's ID card. To provide any necessary support for the residents, there is a live-in hall director staying on duty 24 hours.

Rooms

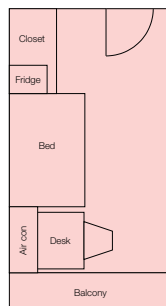
All rooms are single rooms.

[Room Size] 12.86m²

[Number of Rooms] 29 rooms on the 2nd floor,
24 rooms on the 3rd floor

[Basic Room Facilities] Single bed frame and mattress, desk and chair, desk lamp, refrigerator, air conditioner, closet, internet connection, curtains

[Floor Plan]



[Costs]

Room Charge	Security Deposit	Cleaning Charge	Maintenance Fee	Electricity Charge
¥20,000/month	¥40,000 When moving in	¥5,000* When moving out	¥5,000/month	Actual cost

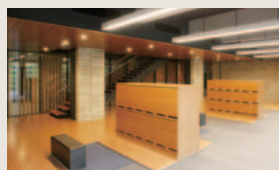
* A cleaning charge will be automatically deducted from the security deposit when you move out.

Common Facilities

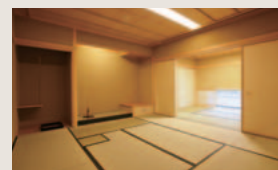
iHouse's common facilities include kitchens, a living and dining room, a study room (on the 3rd floor only), mini lounges, shower rooms, toilets, a laundry room on each floor and a vending machine in the entrance hall. A wired LAN Internet connection is available in each room, and a Wi-Fi Internet connection is available in the communal living room.

iHouse Surroundings

iHouse is located in a convenient area with supermarkets, restaurants and clothing stores all within walking distance. If you want to go to Sakae, the center of Nagoya, you can take a city bus right at the front gate of Nagakute Campus. Within 15-20 minutes, it will take you to the nearest subway station. In another 30 minutes, you will be in Sakae.



Entrance Hall



Room for Tea-Ceremony



Living/Dining Room



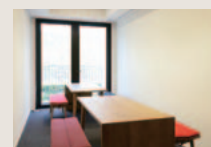
Study Room



Room



Kitchens



Mini Lounge



Lounge

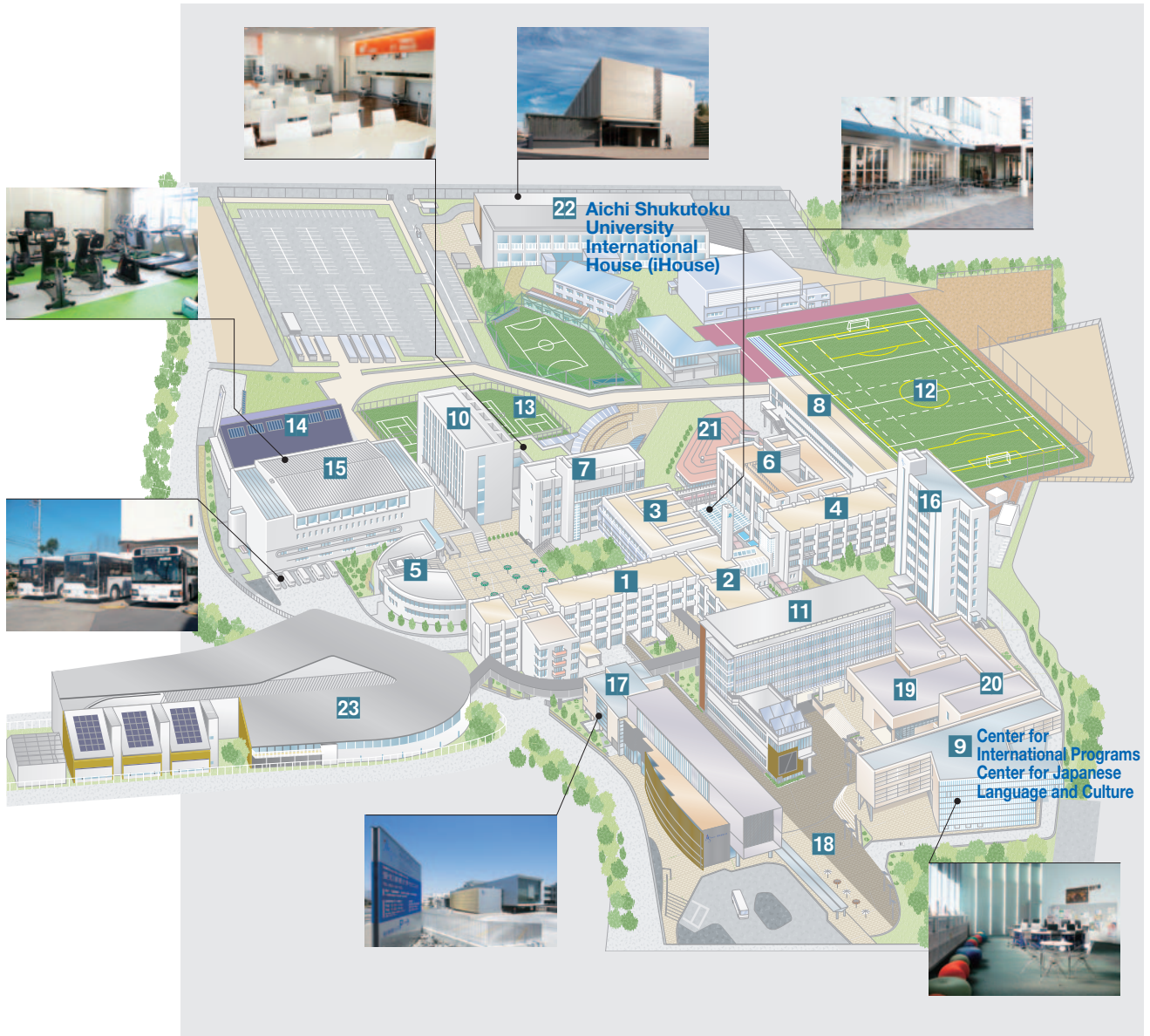


Laundry Room



Nagakute Campus Map

Aichi Shukutoku University has two campuses, Nagakute Campus and Hoshigaoka Campus. Classes of the Center for Japanese Language and Culture are held at Nagakute Campus.



As of December 2017

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| 1 Building 1 | 9 Building 9
(Center for International Programs
Center for Japanese Language and Culture) | 16 Research Building |
| 2 Building 2 | 10 Building 10 | 17 Aichi Shukutoku University Clinic |
| 3 Building 3 | 11 Building 11 | 18 Main Gate |
| 4 Building 4 | 12 Athletics Ground | 19 Library |
| 5 Building 5 | 13 Tennis Courts | 20 Library South Wing |
| 6 Building 6 | 14 Heated Indoor Pool | 21 Ryokufu-kan (Cafeteria) |
| 7 Building 7 | 15 Gymnasium | 22 Aichi Shukutoku University
International House (iHouse) |
| 8 Building 8 | | 23 Building 12 |

Access to Aichi Shukutoku University



NAGAKUTE Campus International House (iHouse)

24 minutes from *Nagoya Station* to *Hongo Station* on the Higashiyama Subway Line. Take a city bus from *Hongo Station* to *Itaka Ryokuchi* and get off the bus at the last stop. (*Itaka Ryokuchi Stop* is right in front of ASU.) It takes about 15 minutes.

HOSHIGAOKA Campus

18 minutes from *Nagoya Station* to *Hoshigaoka Station* on the Higashiyama Subway Line. A 5-minute walk from the No. 3 exit.



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