



Osaka Kyoiku University (Osaka Prefecture)



Come and join us at OKU to Learn Japanese Education and Culture!

◇ University overview

○ Characteristics and history

Osaka Kyoiku University (OKU) is one of the leading educational universities in Japan, which has 145 years of history and tradition. OKU offers an Evening Program for Elementary School Teacher Training, which is the only national program of its kind in Japan for working students and in-service teachers. OKU has two campuses in Kashiwara and Tennoji, and also 10 affiliated schools and a kindergarten. Graduate School of Education (Master's program) offers 4 courses.

The main campus (Kashiwara Campus) is located about 20 km east of the center of Osaka, inside the Kongo-Ikoma-Kisen Quasi-National Park in Kashiwara City. The city has a long history with beautiful surroundings commanding verdant mountains.

○ International exchange

- Number of international students
AY 2019: 191
AY 2018: 173
AY 2017: 158
- Number of Teacher Training Students
AY 2019: 3
AY 2018: 8
AY 2017: 7



◇ Outline and characteristics of the course for Teacher Training Students

○ Characteristics of the program

- Students will visit OKU affiliated schools to observe classes and exchange opinions with teachers.
- Each student will be given detailed guidance based on his/her needs.
- Japanese tutor will support students with their studies and daily life.
- Students will be required to write and present a final report.
- Certificate will be issued at the end of the program.

○ Number of students to be accepted: 12 students

○ Outline of the course

- Japanese language education
Students will take intensive Japanese language lessons for 6 months at a language institute designated by MEXT. In case students have enough Japanese proficiency, they will study at OKU for 1 and half years. OKU offers Japanese classes from Pre-intermediate to advanced level.
- Specialized training (1 year or 1 and half years)
Students will conduct research under the supervision of their academic advisor. Students will also be able to attend classes for undergraduate and graduate students.

- Practical training, participatory subjects such as field trips and regional exchanges

- 1) Traditional Culture in Japan
- 2) Culture Exchange Workshop
- 3) Culture in Osaka

- Others
 - 1) Field trips in Kansai (3 times a year)
 - 2) Home-visit with Japanese families
 - 3) Kimono, Tea ceremony



◇ Follow-up for graduates

Center for Global Education and Research (CGER) utilizes website and Facebook in order to share information and communicate with alumni.

◇ Accommodations

Teacher Training students will be offered rooms in on-campus dormitory with priority, excluding the period for Japanese-language education. (*Single-use only. If you wish to live with your family, you will need to find a place on your own.

○ Number of rooms (Campus dormitory)

40 rooms (single occupancy) 12 square meters

○ Monthly rent: 7,600 yen (electricity, gas, and water bills excluded)

**Rent may go up while staying.*

○ Facilities

-Private Facilities: desk, bed, toilet, A/C, Wi-Fi
-Common Facilities: kitchen, shower, laundry machine, TV

○ Information for Daily Life

On-campus services: cafeteria, bookstore, ATM

◇ Contact

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◇ Course Description, Number of students to be accepted, Qualifications and, etc.

Name of department	Graduate School of Education , The United Graduate School of Professional Teacher Education						
Course code	Name of adviser	E-mail	Teaching field(s)	Course description	Language	Number of students to be accepted	Qualification and requirement for students, number of students in past 5 years
30001	Noboru TAKAHASHI	noborut@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	Educational Psychology, Developmental Psychology	Assessment and Support of Literacy Development, Support for Special Needs Children	Japanese/English	1	Ability to understand Japanese or English (Brazil 1)
30002	Yasuki KANEMITSU	kanemitu@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	Moral Education	Moral Education in Japanese School	Japanese	1	Ability to understand Japanese (Philippines 1, Columbia 1, Mexico 1)
30004	Sachie HATTA	isc@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	Educational Methods	Curriculum Development Based on Assesment	Japanese	1	Ability to understand Japanese
30005	Yukio ISAKA	isaka@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	Special Needs Education (Inclusive Education)	Special Needs Education (Inclusive Education), Education for the Hearing Impaired	Japanese/English	1	No specific requirement (Kenya 1)
30006	Mitsuaki TOMINAGA	tominaga@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	Special Needs Education	Inclusive Education, Education of Understanding Disabilities	Japanese	1	Ability to understand Japanese
30007	Yutaka OOUCHIDA	ouchida-y66@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	Special needs education teachers	Neuroscience for special needs education	Japanese/English	1	To hold B.A. or M.A., Ability to understand Japanese or English
30008	Masaru SUMIDA	sumidam@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	Japanese Language Education	Research in Literary Education	Japanese	1	Ability to understand Japanese (Korea 1)
30009	Akihiro KIYOTA	kiyota-a23@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	Japanese Linguistics	History of Japanese	Japanese	1	Ability to understand Japanese At least holding JLPT N2
30010	Reiko MATSUOKA	matsur@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	Japanese Language Education	Japanese and Media Education in elementary, junior, and senior high school	Japanese	1	Ability to understand Japanese
30011	Tetsuya KAGATA	isc@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	English Education	English Education	Japanese/English	1	Ability to understand English (Korea 1, China 1)
30012	Hiroshi TERADA	isc@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	Linguistics	Constrative Studies in Syntax	Japanese/English	1	Ability to understand Japanese or English
30013	Yuko HAKOZAKI	hakozaiki@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	English Education	English Education	Japanese/English	1	Ability to understand Japanese or English (Sao Tome and Principe 1, Romania 1)
30014	Ken-ichi HASHIMOTO	kenhashi@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	English Linguistics, English Education	Psycholinguistics in Second Language Acquisition	Japanese/English	1	Ability to understand Japanese or English (Peru 1, Thailand 1)
30015	Yuko IKUMA	isc@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	English Education	English Education (Sound Education in Particular)	Japanese/English	1	Ability to understand English The meetings with the adviser will be held mainly in Ten'noii Campus.
30016	Fumiaki IWATA	iwata@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	Science of religion, Philosophy	Japanese Religions and Philosophy, Religious Education	Japanese/French	1	Ability to understand Japanese or French
30017	Keiji MIZUNO	mizuno@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	Geography	Geographic Education, Physical Geography, GIS	Japanese	1	Ability to write and read in English or understand Japanese
30018	Akihide MINE	mine@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	Social Studies Education	Lesson Research and Development of Social Studies	Japanese/English	1	Ability to understand English

30019	Makoto SAKURAZAWA	msaku@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	History	Japanese History	Japanese	1	Ability to understand Japanese
30020	Yoshitomo BABA	ybaba@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	Algebra	Ring Theory	Japanese	1	Ability to understand basic theory on Group, Ring, Field, which are basic concepts of algebra
30021	Satoko ISHIKAWA	sisikawa@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	Science Education, Environmental Education	Science Education, Environmental Education	Japanese/English	1	To hold B.A. or M.A., Ability to understand Japanese or English (Philippines 3, China 1)
30022	Jun FUKUE	fukue@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	Science Education (Astronomical Education)	Science Education Based on Astronomy	Japanese/English	1	To hold B.A. or M.A., Ability to understand Japanese or English, To hold basic knowledge of Astronomy
30023	Katsura MATSUMOTO	katsura@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	Observational Astronomy	Observation of astronomical objects	Japanese/English	1	To hold B.A. or M.A., Ability to understand Japanese or English, To hold basic knowledge of Astronomy
30024	Yoshihisa AKAMATSU	isc@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	Health and Physical Education	Objectives, Contents, and Method of Motor Learning	Japanese/English	1	Ability to understand Japanese or English (Brazil 1, Malawi 1)
30025	Yorivasu OOTA	yori@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	Physical Education	PE and Martial Arts Education in Japan	Japanese	1	Ability to understand Japanese
30026	Satoru KOWA	kowa@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	Movement Theory	Technique, Motor Learning	Japanese	1	Ability to understand Japanese
30027	Takeshi OGAWA	ogawat@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	School Health /Exercise Physiology	Methods of Health education/physiological studies	Japanese/English	1	Ability to understand Japanese or English
30028	Kana IOKU	ioku@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	Food Science, Food Functionality	Research on Food Science, Food Functionality	Japanese/English	1	Ability to understand Japanese or English
30029	Kumiko OMOTO	isc@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	Home economics Education, Consumer Science	Research of Curriculum and Development of Teaching Materials	Japanese	1	Ability to understand Japanese
30030	Yasuhiro KOZAKI	kozaki@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	Childcare	Japanese Childcare and Parenting Support	Japanese	1	Ability to understand Japanese
30031	Mavuko SUZUKI	suzukima@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	Home economics Education, Consumer Science, Family Resource Management	Research of Curriculum and Development of Teaching Materials	Japanese	1	Ability to understand Japanese
30032	Yukako YAMADA	yamada@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	Clothing Studies	Research in the Connection Between Humans and Clothing	Japanese	1	Ability to understand Japanese
30033	Chifumi FUJIKURA	fujikura@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	Music	Fundamental Piano, Accompaniment Techniques	Japanese	1	Ability to understand Japanese
30034	Yoshie KANEHIRA	yoshie@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	Music Education	Lesson Study in Music Class	Japanese	1	To hold B.A. or M.A., Ability to understand Japanese
30035	Kanae KATO	tyosoken@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	Sculpture	Sculpture, Derived Deployment Project (Regional Cooperation Activities)	Japanese	1	Ability to understand Japanese, English or German
30036	Mika WATANABE	mwatanab@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	Painting, Art Education	Painting and Art Education in Japan	Japanese	1	To hold B.A. or M.A., Ability to understand English
30037	Hiroko AOKI	aoki-h56@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	Design	Design creation, Education in art and design	Japanese	1	Ability to understand Japanese
30038	Toshihiro IKEDA	tikedat@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	Calligraphy Art	Calligraphy by kanji characters	Japanese	1	Ability to understand Japanese
30039	Fumiri DENO	zhangli@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	Calligraphy and Chinese Character	The culture of calligraphy and the study of Chinese character	Japanese/Chinese	1	Ability to understand Japanese (Russia 1)
30040	Kenichi SEGAWA	segaken@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	Japanese Kana Calligraphy Art	Calligraphy by kana characters	Japanese	1	Ability to understand Japanese
30041	Kenji SATO	ksato@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	Art Education,Craft	Craft and Art Education in Japan	Japanese	1	Ability to understand Japanese
30042	Yukari TAKAMA	ytakama@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	Japanese art history	Japanese art history	Japanese	1	Ability to understand Japanese

30043	Sakura TANIMURA	tanimura-s48@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	ceramic art	ceramic art,art education using the soil clay	Japanese	1	Ability to understand Japanese
30044	Kaori ARAI	arai-k49@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	Art Educaton	Art Education,Education in Art and Creativity, expression or modern issues related to them	Japanese/English	1	Ability to understand Japanese or English
30045	Kumiko HIRATA	hiratak@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	Clinical Medicine	Study of childhood disease	Japanese	1	Ability to understand Japanese
30046	Naomasa SAKAMOTO	sakamoto-n55@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	Public Health in yogo teacher	Promotion of public health minds in yogoteacher	Japanese	1	Ability to understand Japanese
30047	Masayuki YAMADA	yama@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	Pedagogy	Schools and Local Communities	Japanese	1	Enough language ability and expertise to write reports in Japanese
30048	Tomoko USUDA	tusuda@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	Housing	Housing Culture, Education of Housing	Japanese	1	Ability to understand Japanese
30049	Tetsuya MATSUMOTO	tetsuyam@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	Pathology	Pathology at the Individulal to the Cellular Level	Japanese	1	Ability to understand Japanese
30050	Norie NISHIKAWA	nishikwn@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	Food Science	Research on Food Science	Japanese	1	Ability to understand Japanese
30051	Osamu FUJITA	fuji@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	Computer Science	Computer Programming, Machine Learning, Artificial Intelligence	Japanese	1	Ability to understand Japanese
30052	Yoshiroh MACHIGASHIRA	mach@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	Mathematical Sciences	Math Puzzles	Japanese, English	1	To hold a post-graduate level mathematical ability
30053	Akira MORIMOTO	morimoto@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	Signal Processing	Signal Processing Using Wavelet Transform	Japanese	1	Ability to understand Japanese or English
30054	Go SUZUKI	gsuzuki@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	Genetics	Molecular Genetics in Plants	Japanese	1	Ability to understand Japanese or English
30055	Keita TANI	ktani@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	Chemistry	Organic Chemistry	Japanese/English	1	Ability to understand Japanese or English
30056	Keiko AZUMA	isc@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	British and American Literature, Comperative Literature	Appreciation, Translation, and Study of British and American Literature	Japanese and English	1	Ability to understand English
30057	Masumi MATSUMOTO	masumi@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	English Education, English Linguistics, Linguistics	ICT education, CALL, Application of Linguistic Theory to Language Education, TOEFL	Japanese/English	1	Ability to understand English (Malawi 1)
30058	Xiaohua MA	xiaohua@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	International Relations	Internatinal Politics, International Relations, International Cultures	Japanese/English/Chinese	2	Ability to understand Japanese, English, or Chinese (Korea 1)
30059	Toyo AKAKI	akaki@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	Gender Studies	Gender Studies	Japanese	1	Ability to understand Japanese, English or German
30060	Takashi SHIMEDA	simeda@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	Ethnomusicology	Anthropological Study on Diffusion and Transmission of Music	Japanese/English/Spanish/Malay/Indonesian	1	Ability to study the course with one of languages mentioned in "Language" section
30061	Ichiro TAKI	takiichi@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	Aesthetics and Art Theory	Research in Beauty, Arts, and Sensitivity	Japanese/English/French	1	Ability to understand English or French
30062	Yukiko KUSHIBIKI	kushibiki-y11@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	Japanese Linguistics	Japanese Linguistics Sociolinguistics	Japanese	1	Ability to understand Japanese
30063	Takuma INAGAKI	takuma@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	Music	Playing Violin (Clasical Music)	Japanese	1	Ability to undersrand Japanese
30064	Fumio KITAGAWA	isc@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	Music	Study on Music Composition	Japanese	1	Ability to communicate in Japanese, Ability to write a report in Japanese, To hold enough ability to conduct a research on the field
30065	Osamu KUMASHIRO	kuma@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	Music	Trumpet Playing	Japanese/English	2	No specific requirement

30066	Hiroko TAMAI	isc@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	Music	Study of Japanese Vocal Music (Nihon Kakyoku)	Japanese	1	Ability to communicate in Japanese, Ability to write a report in Japanese
30067	Haruyuki NAKATSUKASA	haruchan@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	Music	Study of Flute and Other Woodwind Instrument	Japanese	1	Ability to understand Japanese (Spain 1)
30068	Makoto YAMAHATA	yamaberg@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	Music	Study of Western Classical Music, Piano Performance	Japanese	1	Ability to communicate in Japanese, Ability to write a report in Japanese
30069	Masayuki YOSHIDA	isc@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	sports science	coaching of volleyball	Japanese	1	Ability to understand Japanese,Volleyball Coaching
30070	Haruhisa MIZUNO	hmizuno@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	school psychology	Bullying Prevention, Helping Children Who Refuse to Attend School	Japanese/English	1	To hold B.A. or M.A.(psychology desirable), Ability to understand Japanese or English (India 1)
30071	Kazuko Kashiwagi	kashiwag@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	English・CLIL School Leadership	Second Language Acquisition・CLIL School Leadership	Japanese/English	2	To hold B.A. or M.A., or having a teaching career Ability to understand Japanese, English, or Spanish
30072	Shigeru JOCHI	jochi@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	History	History of Science and Technology	Japanese	1	Ability to understand Japanese
30073	Aoi NAKAYAMA	isc@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	Comparative Education	Intercultural Education	Japanese	1	Ability to understand Japanese
30074	Yuri HASEGAWA	haseyu@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	Teaching Japanese as a Second Language, Japanese Linguistics	Teaching Japanese as a Second Language, Japanese Linguistics	Japanese	1	Ability to understand Japanese (Thailand 1, Australia 1)