



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 150 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 10 affiliated schools and a kindergarten in three districts in Osaka prefecture. OKU provides two MA programs, Graduate School of Education (Master Course) and The United Graduate School of Professional Teacher Education.

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 2021 : 215

AY 2020 : 185

AY 2019 : 191

• Number of Teacher Training Students

AY 2021 : 5

AY 2020 : 9

AY 2019 : 3



◇ 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)

Each student will conduct research while receiving individual guidance from his/her 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) Japanese Traditional Culture
- 2) Practical Study of Cultural Exchange
- 3) Culture of Osaka

• Other activities

- 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 (On-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, AC, 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	Mayuko 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
30002	Kazuhisa TSUCHIYAMA	hiromix@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	L1	L1 education in school	Japanese, English, German	1	Ability to understand Japanese, English or German
30003	Haruhisa MIZUNO	hmizuno@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	school psychology	Bullying Prevention, Helping Children Who Refuse to Attend School	Japanese/English	1	Ability to understand Japanese or English (India 1)
30004	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
30005	Yoshihisa HIROKI	hiroki@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	ScienceEducation	Science Education on Geology	Japanese/English	1	No specific requirement
30006	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)
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	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,India 1)
30009	Koji KOMATSU	komatsu@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	Developmental Psychology	Social development of children	Japanese/ English	1	Ability to understand Japanese or English
30010	Sachie HATTA	isc@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	Educational Methods	Curriculum Development Based on Assesment	Japanese	1	Ability to understand Japanese (Korea 1)
30011	Nobuteru IKESHIMA	ikejima-n22@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	Teacher Education	Senior High School Education	Japanese/English	1	Ability to understand English
30012	SETOGUCHI Masaya	masayas@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	philosophy of education	Japanese philosophy of education and research of educational ideology	Japanese	1	Ability to understand Japanese
30013	Hirohumi INOUE	inoue@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	Japanese Linguistics	Japanese dialects,discourse studies	Japanese	1	Ability to understand Japanese(JLPT N2 or more)
30014	Masaru SUMIDA	sumidam@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	Japanese Language Education	Research in Literary Education	Japanese	1	Ability to understand Japanese (Korea 1)
30015	NARUMI Tomoko	narumi@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	Japanese Language Education	Research in Children's Literary	Japanese	1	Ability to understand Japanese or Chinese
30016	Tetsuya KAGATA	isc@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	English Education	English Education	Japanese/English	1	Ability to understand English (Korea 1, China 1)
30017	Hiroshi TERADA	isc@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	Linguistics	Constrative Studies in Syntax	Japanese/English	1	Ability to understand Japanese or English
30018	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,Indonesia 1)

30019	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, Mexico 1)
30020	Fumiya SHINOZAKI	fshino@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	English Education	English Education	Japanese/English	1	Ability to understand Japanese or English
30021	Justin Pool	pool@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	English Education	English Education	Japanese/English	1	Ability to understand Japanese or English
30022	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
30023	Keijiro MATSUMOTO	keijiro@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	Philosophy	Japanese Philosophy	Japanese	1	Ability to understand Japanese
30024	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
30025	Makoto SAKURAZAWA	msaku@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	History	Japanese History	Japanese	1	Ability to understand Japanese
30026	Gaku Sadasue	sadasue@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	probability theory	stochastic analysis	Japanese	1	Acquired the skill of basic probability theory such as measure and Lebesgue integral
30027	Tomoko Yanagimoto	ytomoko@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	Mathematics Education	Mathematics Education	Japanese/English	1	Ability to understand Japanese or English
30028	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)
30029	Junko OKAZAKI	ookazaki@ccc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	Biology	Biological Education (Botany)	Japanese/English	1	Ability to understand Japanese or English
30030	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
30031	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
30032	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
30033	Yasuhiro KOZAKI	kozaki@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	Childcare	Japanese Childcare and Parenting Support	Japanese	1	Ability to understand Japanese
30034	Yukako YAMADA	yamada@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	Clothing Studies	Research in the Connection Between Humans and Clothing	Japanese	1	Ability to understand Japanese
30035	Noriaki Mitsunaga	isc@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	Education on information technology	Study on how to teach information technology and related topics	Japanese/English	1	To hold B.A. or M.A., Ability to understand Japanese or English
30036	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)
30037	Yoriyasu OOTA	yori@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	Physical Education and Budo	Study of Physical Education, Budo, Kendo Performance	Japanese	1	Ability to understand Japanese or English
30038	Satoru KOWA	kowa@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	Movement Theory	Technique, Motor Learning	Japanese	1	Ability to understand Japanese
30039	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
30040	Yoshihisa ISHIKAWA	isc@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	sports science/ coaching	Martial Arts Education/Coaching of Judo/Prevention of head injuries	Japanese	1	Ability to understand Japanese
30041	Koichi INOUE	kinoue@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	Health and Physical Education	Objectives, Contents, and Method of Motor Learning	Japanese	1	Ability to understand Japanese
30042	Yosuke HAYASHI	hyosuke@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	Philosophy of PE and Sport	Philosophy of PE, Sport, and Taiiku	Japanese	1	Ability to understand Japanese or English

30043	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
30044	Keiko URATA	urata-k84@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	Music	Fundamental Vocal Music, Chorus	Japanese	1	Ability to understand Japanese
30045	Hiroya HIRAI	hirai-h18@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	Music	Fundamental Piano, Accompaniment Techniques	Japanese	1	Ability to understand Japanese
30046	Toshiro SARUYA	saruya@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	Music	Study of composition	Japanese	1	Ability to understand Japanese
30047	Toshihiro IKEDA	tikedat@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	Calligraphy Art	Calligraphy by kanji characters	Japanese	1	Ability to understand Japanese
30048	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
30049	Kenji SATO	ksato@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	Art Education,Craft	Craft and Art Education in Japan	Japanese	1	Ability to understand Japanese
30050	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)
30051	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 (Sweden 1)
30052	Yukari TAKAMA	ytakama@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	Japanese art histry	Japanese art histry	Japanese	1	Ability to understand Japanese
30053	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
30054	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
30055	Kumiko HIRATA	hiratak@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	Clinical Medicine	Study of childhood disease	Japanese	1	Ability to understand Japanese
30056	Tomoko USUDA	tusuda@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	Housing	Housing Culture, Education of Housing	Japanese	1	Ability to understand Japanese
30057	Tetsuya MATSUMOTO	tetsuyam@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	Pathology	Pathology at the Individulal to the Cellular Level	Japanese	1	Ability to understand Japanese
30058	Norie NISHIKAWA	nishikwn@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	Food Science	Research on Food Science	Japanese	1	Ability to understand Japanese
30059	Daisuke FUJITA	fujitad@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	Safety education	Safety education, Safety Promotion School	Japanese	1	Ability to understand Japanese
30060	Go SUZUKI	gsuzuki@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	Genetics	Molecular Genetics in Plants	Japanese	1	Ability to understand Japanese or English
30061	Keita TANI	ktani@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	Chemistry	Organic Chemistry	Japanese/English	1	Ability to understand Japanese or English (Nigeria 1)
30062	Osamu FUJITA	fuji@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	Computer Science	Computer Programming, Machine Learning, Artificial Intelligence	Japanese	1	Ability to understand Japanese
30063	Yoshiroh MACHIGASHIRA	machi@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	Mathematical Sciences	Math Puzzles	Japanese, English	1	To hold a post-graduate level mathematical ability
30064	Akira MORIMOTO	morimoto@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	Signal Processing	Signal Processing Using Wavelet Transform	Japanese	1	Ability to understand Japanese or English
30065	Mai FUJITA	fujita-m81@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	Analysis	Real Analysis	Japanese	1	Ability to understand Japanese. To hold a post-graduate level mathematical ability
30066	SHOTA WAKASUGI	wakasugi-s83@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	informational education	Study of education technique,Teaching materials and curriculum	Japanese	1	Ability to understand Japanese
30067	Toyo AKAKI	akaki@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	Gender Studies	Gender Studies	Japanese	1	Ability to understand Japanese, English or German
30068	Noritoshi ISHIBASHI	isibasin@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	Japanese modern and contemporary literature	Japanese modern and contemporary literature	Japanese and English	1	Ability to understand Japanese

30069	Hajime KAMEI	kamei@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	German literature	Translation research, Comparative research between Japan and Germany	Japanese/German	1	Ability to understand Japanese and German
30070	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
30071	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
30072	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)
30073	Naoko INOUE	inouenao@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	French literature	French literature, Discourse education	Japanese/French	1	Ability to understand Japanese or French
30074	Yukiko KUSHIBIKI	kushibiki-y11@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	Japanese Linguistics	Japanese Linguistics Sociolinguistics	Japanese	1	Ability to understand Japanese
30075	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)
30076	Shigeru JOCHI	jochi@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	History	History of Science and Technology	Japanese	1	Ability to understand Japanese
30077	Aoi NAKAYAMA	isc@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	Comparative Education	Intercultural Education	Japanese	1	Ability to understand Japanese
30078	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 2, Australia 1)
30079	Chiaki YONEZAWA	yonezawa-c73@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	Teaching Japanese as a Second Language	Teaching Japanese as a Second Language, Bilingual Education	Japanese	1	Ability to understand Japanese
30080	NAKANO Tomohiro	nakanot@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	Chinese literature	Chinese Literature, Japan-China Comparative Studies	Japanese/Chinese	1	Ability to understand Japanese or Chinese
30081	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
30082	Osamu KUMASHIRO	kuma@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	Music	Trumpet Playing	Japanese	1	No specific requirement
30083	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
30084	Haruyuki NAKATSUKASA	haruchan@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	Music	Study of Flute and Other Woodwind Instrument	Japanese	1	Ability to understand Japanese (Spain 1)
30085	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
30086	Takuma INAGAKI	takuma@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	Music	Playing Violin (Classical Music)	Japanese	1	Ability to understand Japanese
30087	mako OKAMOTO	isc@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	Music	Piano playing of classical western music	Japanese	1	Ability to understand Japanese
30088	Masayuki YOSHIDA	isc@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	sports science	coaching of volleyball	Japanese	1	Ability to understand Japanese,Volleyball Coaching
30089	Yasushi Ikuta	yasushi@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	Sports Science Physical Education	Science of SwimmingSwimming Education	Japanese	1	Ability to understand Japanese
30090	Machiko Seniu	marchi@cc.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp	Physical Education	Education of Dance	Japanese	1	Ability to understand Japanese