

Have you ever thought of...

- Watching Japanese anime without subtitles?
- Appreciating Japanese traditional cultures in authentic ways?
- Travelling in Japan without language difficulties?
- Working for Japanese / global companies?

*Various opportunities to learn and use the language***THROUGH**

- Lectures
- Tutorials in an entirely Japanese environment
- Project work
- Authentic materials (TV dramas, news, anime, film, manga, and J-pop)
- Extracurricular activities, such as short-term immersion programmes in universities in Japan, internship programmes, Student Exchange Programmes (SEP), home stay programmes, cultural workshops, etc.

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- Well experienced, highly qualified teachers
- People in local Japanese communities
- Visitors from Japan

Job Prospective

Career seminars are regularly conducted for Japanese language learners and many of the graduates who took the Japanese language courses have been successful in achieving employment in both global companies and public sectors. Some are teaching English at schools or working for local governments in Japan under the JET (Japan Exchange and Teaching) Programme.



Career Education



Description of the Japanese Language Programme

The primary objective of our modules is the development of communication skills, and you will have many opportunities to learn and use the language both inside and outside the classroom.

In our curricula, more emphasis is placed on the development of oral skills at first and the weight placed on reading and writing gradually increases. You will be able to comfortably communicate in both spoken and written Japanese after completing the advance level courses.

Structure of the Language Programme

The Japanese language programme consists of eleven modules:

Elementary Level: Japanese 1 & Japanese 2

Intermediate Level: Japanese 3, Japanese 4, Japanese 5, Business Japanese 1

Advanced Level: Japanese 6, Business Japanese 2, Media Japanese

Higher Advanced Level: Newspaper Reading, Expository Writing and Public Speaking

Minor Degree in Language Studies - Japanese

You can obtain a Minor in Japanese Language Studies if you complete 5 Japanese language modules (including Japanese 6 or Business Japanese 2) or 4 Japanese language modules (including Japanese 6 or Business Japanese 2) plus 1 recognized module.

See CLS website for more details.

Entry Requirements

Japanese 1 is intended for students who have no formal education in the Japanese language. Those who have previously studied Japanese outside of NUS and want to enrol in our Japanese language modules must take a placement test to determine the modules appropriate for their proficiency levels. Please check the CLS homepage (<http://www.fas.nus.edu.sg/cls/>) for the dates of the placement test and the pre-requisites/preclusions for the modules.

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