JAPANESE 3: FIRST YEAR JAPANESE III (THIRD QUARTER)
UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, SANTA BARBARA
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COURSE OBJECTIVES:
This course aims to develop communicative skills based on the fundamentals of grammar, vocabulary and conversational expressions. Students will acquire: i) speaking and listening proficiency to carry out simple everyday conversation; ii) reading skills to understand short, simple written materials; iii) writing skills to be able to write short letters and essays using appropriate Hiragana and Katakana scripts as well as about 90 Chinese characters (including ones introduced in Japanese 1).

Prerequisite: Japanese 2 with C or above or instructor's approval.

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CLASS MEETINGS (Monday - Friday)
Section 1:  9:00 - 9:50 HSSB # 1206  (Instructor: Sugawara)
Section 2:  10:00 - 10:50 HSSB # 1207  (Instructor: Sugawara)
Section 3:  11:00 - 11:50 HSSB # 1214  (Instructor: Cantrell)
Section 4:  12:00 - 12:50 HSSB # 1206  (Instructor: Cantrell)

REQUIRED TEXTBOOK and WORKBOOK (Available at UCSB bookstore.)
1. げんき (Genki) I, An Integrated course in Elementary Japanese, 2nd Edition
by E. Banno, Y. Ohno, Y. Sakane and C. Shinagawa.  The Japan Times
2. Workbook to accompany Genki I. 2nd edition

RECOMMENDED KANJI LEARNING BOOK
KANJI LOOK AND LEARN-512 Kanji with Illustrations and Mnemonic Hints. The Japan Times
ISBN: 978-4-7890-1349-9

AUDIO MATERIAL
The sound files for the listening practice handouts are on GauchoSpace.

I. YOUR RESPONSIBILITIES
You are responsible for the followings:
1. Attending the class everyday and actively participating in classroom activities,
2. Reading, in advance, grammar sections found in the textbook,
3. Memorizing and orally practicing vocabulary,
4. Reviewing what you have learned.
II. GRADING
1. Daily class attendance 8%
2. Homework 17%
3. Quizzes 22%
   (Grammar Quiz 4%, Other Quizzes 18%)
4. Mid-term exam 20%
5. Oral final 5%
6. Final exam 28%
100%

Optional assignments for your self-study are available on GauchoSpace. There is no extra credit assignment in this course but you will learn more about Japanese culture.

III. POLICIES
3.1. Attendance
1. Your first three absences will not be counted against your grade regardless of the reason.
2. Absence from 10 or more classes total, including the first three absences described above, will automatically reduce the highest possible final grade to C-.
3. Absence from 20 or more classes total will result in a grade of F.
4. TWO late arrivals to the class or TWO early departures from the class count as one absence.
5. If you miss a class meeting, please obtain handouts before the next class. You can find them in the box marked "1st year Japanese" by the door of HSSB #2233 (TA Office).

3.2. Homework submission
1. Your first three missed homework assignments will not be counted against your grade.
2. Homework will not be accepted after class.
3. The homework turned in after the deadline will not be accepted.
4. Make sure to write the homework number on the top of the homework sheet.

3.3. Quizzes
1. No make-up quizzes will be given.
2. The lowest score of Kanji and Vocabulary quizzes will be dropped from your final score. The score of Grammar quizzes will NOT be dropped.

3.4. Oral final exam (interview)
1. No make-up will be given.
2. An oral final exam will be held during the dates designated on the schedule.

3.5. Examinations (Mid-term exam & Final exam)
1. No make-ups will be given.
2. The final examination must be taken on Saturday, June 10, 12:00 PM – 3:00 PM. Place to be announced. If you have a time conflict with other language common final, please ask the instructor of the other course to make an arrangement for you so that you can take the exam for that course in a different time.

3.6. Grade
1. This course can be taken for a letter grade only. No auditing is allowed.

3.7. Cell phone/smart watch policies
CELL PHONE USE IS STRICTLY PROHIBITED IN CLASS.
Set your cell phone to AIRPLANE mode before the class starts.
1. If you look at your cell phone/smart watch during quizzes and exams, it will be considered “cheating” and it will result in your FAILING the quiz or exam. No exception.
2. If we see you using the cell phone/smart watch during the class, we will ask you to leave the classroom immediately and you will be marked as absent for the lesson.

3.8. Others
1. You MUST NOT:
   ► Leave the classroom without your instructor’s permission,
   ► Eat in class,
   ► Attend and/or take quizzes in other sections.
IV. WEBSITES

4.1. JAPANESE 3 GAUCHOSPACE (http://gauchospace.ucsb.edu)
Please log onto the site regularly using your UCSBnet ID. You will find useful practices and links for this course as well as all the necessary information (e.g., materials needed for quizzes and homework). Some homework answers will be posted on this site.

4.2. JAPANESE LANGUAGE PROGRAM WEB SITE
   e-Japanese (http://www.eastasian.ucsb.edu/projects/ejapanese)
   Information on Japanese language courses is available on this site.

4.3. Self-study materials for hiragana/katakana/kanji, grammar, vocabulary practice
      (GENKI Video in WMV format, Windows Media Player or VLC Player required)
      (kanji stroke order animation, meanings)
      (particle exercises)

4.4. Japan related organizations on campus
   1. Japanese Language Café: facebook  UCSB JLC
   2. Japanese Student Association: facebook  Ucsb Jsa
   4. Karate Club: facebook  Karate Club at UCSB

4.5. Other online resources
   1. http://language.tiu.ac.jp/ (Reading Tutor)

Most importantly:

1. It is your responsibility to know all the dates for assignment dues, quizzes and exams. (Don’t rely on others to remind you.)

2. Your grade has to be a C or above in order to take Japanese 4.

3. No Cell phone/smart watch use in class.

4. Plagiarism and cheating:
   Following actions are serious violation of academic honesty and will be reported to the Office of Judicial Affairs. They violate university regulations and are reportable offenses that may result in academic suspension from UCSB.
   - Copying another student’s homework (i.e., plagiarism)
   - Cheating on quizzes and exams
   - Telling what is on quizzes and exams to other students in later sections