

Course Syllabus
JPN214-001 Intermediate Japanese II/Fall 2009
Department of Foreign Languages, University of Nevada Las Vegas

Time: 11:30 - 12:45 pm (MW)

Classroom: CBC C-226

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*Please contact through **WebCampus** for others.

☆**REQUIRED Course Materials**

1. Tohsaku, Yasu-Hiko (2006). *Yookoso!: Continuing with Contemporary Japanese* (3rd edition). New York: McGraw-Hill.
 2. Hamasaki, Ito, Kataoka, Morioka, Tohsaku (2006). *Workbook/Laboratory Manual to Accompany Yookoso!: Continuing with Contemporary Japanese*. New York: McGraw-Hill.
- 🔊 You can listen to the audio programs for the textbook and workbook using the website:
<http://highered.mcgraw-hill.com/sites/0072408162/student_view0/index.html or www.mhhe.com/yookoso3>
3. Kanji Practice Sheet and other materials (for HW)
 4. Japanese-English Dictionary (Recommended for essay writing)

☆**Website Information:**

1. UNLV Foreign Language Website: <http://liberalarts.unlv.edu/Foreign_Languages/courses.html>
2. **WebCampus** to download class materials: <<https://webcampus.nevada.edu/webct/entryPage.dowebct>>

☆**Course Description and Objectives: (Prerequisite: JPN213 or equivalent level)**

Japanese 214 is an intermediate course, continuation of JPN 213, designed for students who have acquired elementary level of Japanese. This course continues to develop communication skills with aspects of socio-cultural knowledge. You will be able to communicate on the various topics such as: sightseeing and travel planning, houses/furnishings, transportation, and directions. Japanese writing system will be used throughout this course to deepen reading and writing skills. You will be studying 75 additional *Kanji* characters. You are expected to read and write short essays in Japanese. This course covers Ch. 1, 2 and 3 of "Yookoso! Continuing with Contemporary Japanese."

☆**Grading Policies:**

1) Homework and Assignments	15%
2) Quizzes	15%
3) Exams (×3)	25%
4) Essays/Presentation/Interview	20%
5) Final Exam	25%

☆**Grading Scale:**

100 - 93% = A	79 - 77% = C+
92 - 90% = A-	76 - 73% = C
89 - 87% = B+	72 - 70% = C-
86 - 83% = B	69 - 60% = D
82 - 80% = B-	59 or below = F

☆**Course Policies:**

1. Attendance and Participation Policy: IMPORTANT!

Japanese classes offer an important opportunity for students to be exposed to the authentic Japanese. The instructor will speak Japanese in class, beginning with the first day. Therefore, students are expected to attend class regularly, on time, and to participate in all the class activities. Please note that your **FIRST TWO absences will not affect your AP score**. (However, your other grades (i.e. Exams) will definitely be affected if they are not excused absences.) **Each additional absence will result in the loss of 2% of your total grade. Also, 1 % will be deducted for any of the following demeanor:** (1) tardy, (2) early departure, (3) leaving more than 5 minutes during class, (4) any activity that destructs students' participation such as using a cell phone (or any electronic device), eating food, and doing homework in class. After 8 absences, students will receive a warning to drop the course (if it is before the last day to drop (11/2)). Contact your instructor if your absence is justifiable (ex. religious holiday, UNLV extracurricular activity, emergency situations with official documentation to support it).

2. Homework and Assignments:

Homework and assignments are given **EVERY WEEK**. All homework is due within the first 15 minutes of class on the designated day unless your instructor tells you differently. **Late homework will be accepted as long as it is submitted by the beginning of next class.** However, there

will be 25% reduction/week from your grade for the assignment. All the homework must be completed entirely in order to receive full credit. You can receive up to 90% for re-do work if you turn it in at the beginning of next class. Homework that is incomplete and/or has too many errors will be reassigned (to re-do). Absolutely no credit will be given if your assignment is done by anyone other than yourself. This also applies if your assignment is done during class or if it was copied from someone else's work. **Contact your instructor before due dates if you have any questions or concerns.** If you know in advance that you will miss a class on the due date, complete the homework earlier to the best of your knowledge and submit earlier so as to avoid late credit.

- **Kanji Homework:** Use Kanji Practice Sheet to take notes in class and to do the Kanji homework.

3. Classroom Quizzes:

Quizzes will be given frequently. Students are allowed to drop the lowest quiz grade. If you miss a quiz, that will be counted as your lowest score. **Under no circumstances will there be any make-up quizzes.**

4. Lesson Exams and Final Exams:

There will be three Chapter Exams. Final Exam will be comprehensive. **No make-ups are given without the submission of the official documentation** that validates the justifiable nature of your absence.

5. Essays, Presentation and Interview:

You will be assigned to write 2 essays and participate in presentation(s) and a one-to-one interview with the instructor. Details will be announced later.

6. Academic Dishonesty/Misconduct:

Academic Dishonesty/Misconduct includes, but is not limited to: Cheating, Getting External Assistance, and Plagiarism.

- Cheating on the quizzes and exams are not allowed in class. The actions during the quiz/test considered as cheating (but are not limited to) are: having cell phone out, looking at other student's quiz/test, putting your hands in your bag, communicating with others and looking at any form of cheating material.

- Any assignments including project and essays must be completed entirely by each student without any external assistance. Your tutor/friend cannot change your assignments and essays in any way and you should not copy other people's work. If you need help with your assignments and essays, contact your instructor. Online translations will be considered as the external assistance.

Consequences:

Any student found to have committed academic dishonesty/misconduct will receive a grade of "F" for the work. Instructor will notify the student and have a private meeting before the grade of "F" is given. Once the act of dishonesty is proved, the instructor is required to report it, no matter how large or small, to the Japanese Program, the Department and the University. Students may appeal a finding of academic dishonesty/misconduct to the Department Chair and then go through the University's appeal process.

Academic Dishonesty Policy (UNLV): Japanese Program will follow the Academic Dishonesty Policy and Procedure of UNLV.

Any form of academic dishonesty is not allowed and will not be tolerated at UNLV. Violations of academic honesty will be reported for appropriate actions. (Refer to the undergraduate catalogue, p. 61-66 or <<http://studentlife.unlv.edu/judicial/misconductPolicy.html>>)

☆ Students Responsibilities:

1. Preview the lesson:

You **MUST** study Vocabulary and Kanji assigned for each session and read "Grammar" and "Expression Notes" sections in the textbook before class for effective class participation. Use the website for self-study and the Student CD to practice listening.

2. Add, Drop and/ or Withdraw:

The last day to drop or withdraw from classes or change from credit to audit is **November 2, 2009**. Drops and withdrawals will not be allowed after this date even with the instructor's approval. The instructor must assign a final grade if a student stops coming to class and fails to withdraw by the deadline.

3. Getting Assistance:

If things become unclear and difficult, it is your responsibility to take the initiative and contact the instructor for assistance after the class or during the instructor's office hours.

☆**Other Information:**

Learning Resource Center (LRC):

LRC is located in FDH240 (Phone: 895-1930). It has Japanese software (Power Japanese, Kanji Moments), Internet access, and audio CD for the Workbook Listening Comprehension Activities and the Textbook Dialogue/Vocabulary. Students are encouraged to visit the lab for their independent study. Operating Hours: Mon– Thurs. 9:00 a.m. – 8:00 p.m., Fri. 9:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

Copyright and Fair Use Requirement:

You are individually and solely responsible for violations of copyright and fair use laws. The university will neither protect nor defend you nor assume any responsibility for employee or students' violations of fair use laws. Please visit the copyright website at:

<<http://www.unlv.edu/committees/copyright/>> for more information.

Official Extracurricular Activity:

Students who represent UNLV at any official extracurricular activity shall have the opportunity to make up assignments; however, the student must provide official written notification to the instructor **no less than one week prior to the missed class (es).**

Religious Holidays:

Students who will miss class to observe religious holidays are responsible for notifying the instructor **no later than the last day of late registration (Aug 28),** to be assured of this opportunity. <<http://catalog.unlv.acalog.com/content.php?catoid=1&navoid=44&bc=1>>

Students with Disabilities:

If you have a documented disability that may require accommodations, you will need to contact the Disability Resource Center (DRC) for coordination of services. The DRC is located in the Student Services Complex (SSC), Room137. Their numbers are: Voice (702)895-0866, TTY (702)895-0652, FAX (702) 895-0651. For additional information please visit: <www.studentlife.unlv.edu/disability/> .

Support for Student Academic Success: <http://tlc.unlv.edu/student_success.htm>

Tutoring: <<http://academicsuccess.unlv.edu/tutoring>>

Writing Center: <<http://writingcenter.unlv.edu/>>

Other UNLV Policies, Procedures and Guidelines for Students: <http://provost.unlv.edu/downloads/SYLLABI_CONTENT_EVPP.doc>

☆For any inquiries regarding the Japanese Program, please contact **Emi Fujiyama**, the Japanese Language Coordinator, at 702-895-3164 or fujiyamasensei@hotmail.com or fujiyama@unlv.nevada.edu (English only).



JPN214-001 "Tentative" Course Schedule & Assignments/Fall 2009

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TB: Yookoso 3rd edition (©recommended), WB: Workbook, Act: Activity No

□ Information for each quiz will be provided through WebCampus (See the "Announcements" tab.)

📅 Due date for each assignment (i.g. HW#1 is due on 8/26) 📌 Staple the assignments of the same HW# (20/30pts)

しゅう週 (Wk)	つきひ (Date)	コーススケジュール (Course Schedule)	しゅくだい (Assignments) <u>Due Date</u>
		Vocabulary/Kanji/Grammar ☆Quizzes	かんじ (Practice the whole character 10 times, 1 sentence each)
1	8/24 (M)	Introduction Yookoso! Book 1 Review	📌 Yookoso! Website: www.mhhe.com/yookoso3 Note: If you have problems accessing the "Yookoso!" website, you MUST contact the instructor <u>before the date the assignment is due.</u> Do only odd numbers unless it says "All" or "All the questions." (Do all problems for each section of Listening.)
	8/26 (W)	Chapter 1 旅行: Traveling, -間, Making a Suggestion どうですか, 旅館車乗	#1: TB p7-8 (Act.6) WB 14 (K,L), 17(A- <u>All</u> , B- <u>All</u>), 18-19C, 24-25(I- <u>All</u>)
2	8/31 (M)	☆Quiz 1, Making a Suggestion (Cont.), Deciding to do something ことにする, 内海私所	#2: WB 40-41A, 42-43D, 43E, 44F K: 旅館車乗
	9/2 (W)	Transportation, Sightseeing and Travel planning, 前&後, 予約待駅	
3	9/7 (M)	Labor Day Recess	#3: WB 45H, 45-46A(<u>All</u>), 46B(<u>All</u>), 47D, 47-48E K: 内海私所予約待駅
	9/9 (W)	☆Quiz 2, Conditional と, Asking the Way, 目曲地図	
4	9/14 (M)	Asking the Way, 止客京都寺	#4: WB 45H, 45-46A(<u>All</u>), 46B(<u>All</u>), 47D, 47-48E K: 目曲地図 Essay # 1 Draft Check Accepted (till Friday, 10/2, 10:00pm)
	9/16 (W)	☆Quiz 3, Command なさい/しろ Admonishment/Prohibition てはいけない/な, 早歩神社	
5	9/21 (M)	Adverbial Use of Adjectives, 持って行く/来る、連れて行く/来る Review	#5: TB p38-39 (Act.20), p39(Act.21) WB 37-39(ABC), 49B, 50(CD), K: 止客京都寺早歩神社
	9/23 (W)	Exam 1 (Chapter 1) (except "Express Obligation/Duty")	
6	9/28 (M)	Chapter 2 家で Express Obligation or Duty くてはいけない, Things to do in a house たり~たり, 建庭住戸	#6: WB 51(E,F), 52(G), WB Listening Comprehension (<u>All</u>) Do you remember: 2B, 4G, Chapter 1: 27-28C, 29F, 30A, 31B, 31C Presentation Dialogue Draft Check Accepted (till Friday 10/16, 10:00pm)
	9/30 (W)	Rooms/household items, Purpose ために, 室門階置	
7	10/5 (M)	☆Quiz 4, Giving and Receiving 貸借古新	#7: WB 54-55M, 55N(<u>All</u>), 77-78B, 78C(<u>All</u>), 79D, 82H, 83J, 84A K: 建庭住戸室門階置
	10/7 (W)	Giving and Receiving, ずつ, Doing something for the sake of someone 友不便利	#8: Essay #1 Due

Wk	Date	Course Schedule	Assignments
8	10/12 (M)	☆Quiz 5, Permission, てもいい, ない てください。直洗開伝	#9: TB p.97 (Act.15- <u>All</u>), WB 85D, 86-87G 88H, 89-90(JKLMN), K: 貸借古新友不便利
	10/14 (W)	Advice ほうがいい, Response, States of Action ところ 静広公園	
9	10/19 (M)	Mid-term Presentation	#11: Presentation Dialogue Due #12: WB 74-76(ABC), 91P, 94-95T, 95-96U, 96-97B K: 直洗開伝静広公園 <u>Essay # 2 Draft Check Accepted (till Friday, 11/6, 10:00pm)</u>
	10/21 (W)	Preparatory Action ておく, Review	
10	10/26 (M)	Exam2 (Chapter 2)	#13: WB 99F, 100G, 102(K,L) 108-109F(1,2,3) <u>WB Listening Comprehension (All)</u> 63B, 65B, 65C, 66F, 68D, 69F
	10/28 (W)	Chapter 3 車と交通 How to do something-方, 自路交通	
11	11/2 (M)	Transitive and Intransitive Verbs, 開けた/開いた, 窓閉消変	#13: TB p.138 (Act.3), 138-139 (Act.4), p.146- 147 (Act.9- <u>All</u> , Act.10- <u>All</u>) K: 自路交通窓閉消変
	11/4 (W)	☆Quiz 6, Verbs (cont.) Results/State of being てある/ている, 転駐信号	
12	11/9 (M)	てある/ている 差点故工	#14: Essay #2 Due
	11/11 (W)	Veteran's Day Recess	
13	11/16 (M)	Review 働帰走教	#15: WB p. 126-127E(<u>All</u>), 127-128(F- <u>All</u> , G- <u>All</u>), 128-129(H- <u>All</u> , I- <u>All</u>) 129-130J, 130-131K K: 転駐信号差点故工
	11/18 (W)	Exam 3 (upto p.153 [Old TB p.155]) Expressing an Attempt しようとする 速横違反	
14	11/23 (M)	Just-Completed Action ばかり/ところ Without doing ないで	#16: WB 119-121 (ABC), 133E, 133-134F, 138-140B <u>WB Listening Comprehension (All)</u> 111B, 112E, 112A, 113D, 114F, 115B K: 働帰走教速横違反
	11/25 (W)	Practice interviewing, Final Exam Review	
15	11/30 (M)	Interview (Day 1)	Prepare for the interview and final exam! *You may submit HW#15 on this date.
	12/2 (W)	Interview (Day 2)	
16	12/9 (W)	Final Exam (10:10 – 12:10 pm) ☆Your final grade will be posted by Tuesday, December 15. 楽しい冬 ^{ふゆ} 休みを! 🍷	