

Learn Japanese

にほんご／日本語

(Fall 2023)

Japan



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Discover the beauty and intricacies of the Japanese language with LaGuardia's Japanese courses, tailored to various skill levels. And if you're eyeing a career in Japan Studies, our department offers an enticing Liberal Arts Option (major) in Japanese. For more details, get in touch with Prof. Tomonori Nagano at B-234FF, shoot him an email at tnagano@lagcc.cuny.edu, give him a ring at 718-482-5484, or swing by our website at <https://t-nagano.com/projects/JapaneseProgram/>. Don't miss out on this exciting opportunity!

Fall 2023 (Friday, Sept. 8 - Monday, Dec. 18, 2023)

ELJ101 (Elementary Japanese 1 / 3 credits)

- For beginners of Japanese language
 - Learn *Hiragana* & *Katakana* and some basic language structures
 - Aiming at the ACTFL Proficiency Novice-Mid (see <https://bit.ly/2xbW04m>)
 - Mon & Wed 10:30-12:45pm (ELJ101.0323 (52540) / Hybrid Asynchronous)
 - Tue & Thur 1:00-3:15pm (ELJ101.0324 (49755) / In-person)
 - Mon 5:45-7:55pm (ELJ101.5210 (52541) / Online Synchronous)
 - Sat 10:30-12:45pm (ELJ101.5211 (52542) / Hybrid Asynchronous)
- [Summer 01/03/2024 - 02/23/2024]
- Mon, Tue, Wed 10:30-12:45pm (ELJ101.7504 (52543) / Hybrid Asynchronous)



ELJ102 (Elementary Japanese 2 / 3 credits)

- Continuation of ELJ101 (ELJ101 or Placement exam is prerequisite)
- Learn about 50 *kanji* and varieties of language structures
- Aiming at the ACTFL Proficiency Novice-Mid to Novice-High (bit.ly/2xbW04m)
 - Tue & Thur 1:00-3:15pm (ELJ102.0322 (49228) / In-person)
 - Mon & Wed 5:45-7:55pm (ELJ102.5213 (52544) / Online Synchronous)

- Continuation of ELJ102 (ELJ102 or Placement exam is prerequisite)
- Learn various language structures and more *kanji* characters (75-100 more *kanji*)
- Write 400- to 600-character compositions in Japanese
- Aiming at [JLPT](#) level N4/5 or ACTFL Proficiency Novice-High (bit.ly/2xbW04m)
- Schedule:
 - Mon 5:45-7:55pm (ELJ103.5214 (52545) / Hybrid Asynch) <-- Changed to online on 5/8/2023

- Continuation of ELJ103 (ELJ103 or Placement exam is prerequisite)
- Learn various language structures and more *kanji* characters
- Write a substantial amount of short (400-600-character) essays every week
- Aiming at [JLPT](#) level N4 or ACTFL Novice-High to Inter-Low (see [bit.ly/2xbW04m](#))
- Schedule:
 - Mon 5:45-7:55pm (ELJ104.5215 (52546) / Hybrid Asynch) <-- Changed to online on 5/8/2023

- ENG101 is prerequisite (no knowledge in Japanese is necessary)
- Read and critically analyze modern Japanese literature in English translation
- See more information at <https://www.t-nagano.com/projects/MLFlyers/#japanese>
- Schedule:
 - Tue 3:25-5:35pm (ELJ250.5216 (50897) / Hybrid Asynchronous)

