F Japanese Language

Entry Requirements

The Centre currently offers a number of Japanese language modules from elementary to advanced levels, and welcomes students who show a keen interest in the language.

There are no prerequisites or qualifying tests for students who wish to enroll in LAJ1201 Japanese 1. This module is meant only for complete beginners who have not learned Japanese previously. Students who have previously studied Japanese will be guided to a suitable module, subject to a placement test. Students are to declare any previously attained language qualification such as Japanese Language Proficiency Test.

Various scholarship opportunities to study/work in Japan are available after reading LAJ1201 Japanese 1, including summer intensive language courses, language immersion programmes, homestays and company internships. Students may contact the Centre for Language Studies for further information on the placement tests and study/work in Japan programmes.

All Japanese language modules count towards Japanese Studies graduation requirements for JS major students. JS major students should refer to the Japanese Studies Department Degree Requirements at Section 2.2.2.1 K in this handbook for language requirements.