

2026 Course List for Japan Studies Program

June 10, 2026

Categories	Sub-categories	Course Title	Credits	Enroll ment Year	Course Level	Spring 2026		Fall 2026	Pre-requisites and memo		
						Ikeburo	Ikeburo	Ikeburo			
Japanese Language		Elementary Japanese 1A	4	1	100	●	JLI	●	JLI	Japanese Language Courses are required for JSP students. Courses are offered at various levels, from Elementary to Business Japanese. You will be placed at the level based on the results of your Japanese placement test. (※Please refer to the Note 3 below.)	
		Elementary Japanese 1B	4	1	100	●	JLI	●	JLI		
		Elementary Japanese 2	4	1	100	●	JLI	●	JLI		
		Intermediate Japanese 1	4	1	200	●	JLI	●	JLI		
		Intermediate Japanese 2	4	1	200	●	JLI	●	JLI		
		Advanced Japanese 1	4	1	200	●	JLI	●	JLI		
		Advanced Japanese 2	4	1	200	●	JLI	●	JLI		
JSP Japan Studies (E-Track Major)		Business Japanese A	2	1	200	●	JLI	●	JLI		
		Business Japanese B	2	1	200	●	JLI	●	JLI		
		Comparative Culture	4	2	200	●	Tsurun-Dunn	●	Tsurun-Dunn		
		Japan and the Islamic World	4	2	200	●	Rahmy	●	Rahmy		
		Contemporary Japanese Literature	4	3	300					Not offered in 2026	
		Japanese Politics in Comparative Perspective	4	3	300			●	Yamamoto		
		Japanese Popular Culture	4	3	300			●	Tsurun-Dunn		
		Japanese Society	4	3	300	●	Blackwood				
		Pre-Modern Japanese Literature	4	3	300					Not offered in 2026	
		Topics in Japan Studies A	2	2	300					Not offered in 2026	
E-Track Liberal Arts		Contemporary Social Issues in Japan	4	3	400	●	Tsurun-Dunn				
		Issues in Popular Culture (Seminar)	4	3	400	●	Tsurun-Dunn				
		Japanese Corporations and the Global Economy	4	3	400	●	Ishiguro			Previously named "Japanese Multinational Corporations"	
		Social Business in Japan	4	3	400	●	Stanislawski			Sustainable Society	
		Business and Social Impact	4	1	100	●	Toride	●	Toride		
		Food Value Chain and Sustainability	4	1	100	●	Toride				
		Fundamentals of Mathematics	4	1	100	●	Delgado	●	Deenroog		
		Introduction to Cultural Anthropology	4	1	100	●	Ishii	●	Ishii		
		Introduction to Diplomacy and Foreign Policy	4	1	100	●	Orlandi	●	Orlandi		
		Introduction to Informatics & Computing	4	1	100	●	Ozaydin	●	Ozaydin		
		Introduction to International Relations	4	1	100	●	Orlandi	●	Shin		
		Introduction to Law	4	1	100	●	Schlafly				
		Introduction to Social Psychology	4	1	100	●	Blackwood	●	Blackwood		
		Introduction to Sociology	4	1	100	●	Blackwood	●	Blackwood		
		Introduction to the Islamic World	4	1	100	●	Rahmy				
		Labor Laws and Work Life	4	1	100					Not offered in 2026	
		Leadership in Management	4	1	100	●	Kamoshida	●	Kamoshida	(New Course)	
		Principles of Economics	4	1	100	●	1. Kusuda 2. Oliver	●	1. Amponah 2. Oliver		
		Principles of Management	4	1	100	●	1. Rezwani 2. Massmann	●	1. Rezwani 2. Massmann		
		Principles of Political Science	4	1	100	●	Yamamoto	●	Resnick		
		Statistics I	4	1	100	●	1. Shimizu 2. Amponah	●	1. Lubashevsky 2. Oliver	Fundamentals of Mathematics	
		Sustainable Society	4	1	100	●	Amponah	●	Stanislawski		
		World Economy	4	1	100	●	Amponah	●	Amponah		
		Topics in Liberal Arts	2	1	200					Not offered in 2026	
		Topics in Liberal Arts	2	2	200					Not offered in 2026	
	E-track BE/BI Major		Foundations of Python	4	2	200	●	1. Ozaydin 2. Hamza 3. Dubey	●	1. Ozaydin 2. Ngien	Fundamentals of Mathematics Introduction to Informatics and Computing
			Introduction to Computer Networking	4	2	200	●	Ozaydin	●	Ozaydin	Introduction to Informatics and Computing
			Introduction to Digital Privacy and Data Security	4	2	200	●	Relik Hamza	●	Relik Hamza	
			Macroeconomics	4	2	200	●	Mira	●	Delgado	Principles of Economics
			Mathematics for Business and Economics I	4	2	200	●	Mira	●	1. Delgado 2. Ngien	Fundamentals of Mathematics
		Microeconomics	4	2	200	●	Watanabe	●	Mira	Principles of Economics	
		Principles of Marketing	4	2	200	●	1. Stanislawski 2. Arghashi	●	1. Tajeddini 2. Arghashi	Principles of Management	
		Statistics II	4	2	200	●	Lubashevsky	●	Lubashevsky	Statistics I	
		Agricultural Economics and Management	4	2	300	●	Oliver			Fundamentals of Mathematics, Principles of Economics	
		AI & Intelligent Product Development	4	2	300	●	Kulkarni			Foundations of Python Previously named "Introduction to AI & Intelligent Product Development"	
		AI & Machine Learning for Decision Making	4	2	300	●	Kulkarni			Statistics I	
		Blockchain & Business Applications	4	2	300	●	Ozaydin			Introduction to Computer Networking	
		Consumer Behavior	4	2	300	●	Stanislawski			Principles of Marketing	
		Corporate Finance	4	2	300	●	Handika			Principles of Management, Not offered in 2025	
		Corporate Strategy	4	2	300	●	Massmann			Principles of Management, Not offered in 2025	
		Creative Thinking for AI & IoT Innovations	4	2	300			●	Kulkarni	Statistics I	
		Cybersecurity and Applications	4	2	300	●	Relik Hamza	●	Relik Hamza	Introduction to Computer Networking	
		Database and Big Data	4	2	300	●	Hettiarachchi	●	Hettiarachchi	Foundations of Python	
		Development Economics	4	2	300	●	Delgado	●	Delgado	Microeconomics & Macroeconomics	
		Digital Banking and Fintech	4	2	300	●	Relik Hamza	●	Relik Hamza	Introduction to Informatics and Computing	
		Digital Business Strategies	4	2	300	●	Rajasekera	●	Rajasekera	Introduction to Informatics and Computing	
		Digital Marketing	4	2	300	●	Sharkasi	●	Sharkasi	Principles of Marketing	
		Digital Marketing and E-Commerce	4	2	300	●	Arghashi	●	Arghashi	Principles of Marketing Previously named "Topics in DBI: Digital Marketing and E-Commerce"	
		E-business & Payment Systems	4	2	300	●	Lubashevsky			Statistics I & Principles of Economics, Not offered in 2026	
		Economics	4	2	300	●	Delgado	●	Delgado	Statistics I & Principles of Economics	
		Economics for Business Analytics	4	2	300	●	Sharkasi			Statistics I & Principles of Economics	
		Entrepreneurial Strategies	4	2	300	●	Handika			Principles of Management, Not offered in 2025	
		Financial Accounting	4	2	300			●	Handika	Principles of Management, Not offered in 2025	
		Game Theory	4	2	300	●	Amponah			Microeconomics, Not offered in 2026	
		Health Care Management and Economics	4	2	300	●	Ishiguro	●	Ishiguro	Principles of Economics or World Economics	
		Human Resources Management	4	2	300	●	Ishiguro	●	Ishiguro	Principles of Economics	
		Innovation and Value Creation for Entrepreneurs	4	2	300	●	Agari	●	Agari	Principles of Management (New Course)	
		Innovation Management	4	2	300	●	Kamoshida	●	Tajeddini	Principles of Management	
		International Business	4	2	300	●	Tajeddini	●	Tajeddini	Principles of Economics, Not offered in 2026	
		Labor Economics	4	2	300	●	Stanislawski	●	Stanislawski	Principles of Marketing	
		Marketing Strategy	4	2	300	●	Stanislawski	●	Stanislawski	Principles of Marketing	
		Mathematics for Business and Economics II	4	2	300					Mathematics for Business and Economics I, Not offered in 2026	
		Mining Unstructured Data: A Big Data Perspective	4	2	300					Statistics I, Not offered in 2026	
		Mobile Technologies, IoT, & Business Apps	4	2	300	●	Lubashevsky	●	Lubashevsky	Introduction to Informatics and Computing	
		Neuro Marketing	4	2	300	●	Agari	●	Agari	Principles of Marketing	
		Operations and Service Management	4	2	300	●	Rajasekera	●	Rajasekera	Statistics I, Mathematics for Business and Economics I	
		Organizational Behavior	4	2	300	●	Tajeddini	●	Tajeddini	Principles of Management	
		Organizational Psychology	4	2	300	●	Rezwani	●	Rezwani	Principles of Management	
		R Programming & Business Analytics	4	2	300	●	Lubashevsky	●	Lubashevsky	Statistics I, Previously named "Introduction to R Programming & Business Analytics"	
		Service Management and Strategy	4	2	300	●	Kamoshida	●	Kamoshida	Principles of Management	
		Social Media and Business	4	2	300	●	Arghashi	●	Arghashi	Principles of Management	
		Text Mining & Deep Learning	4	2	300	●	Kulkarni	●	Kulkarni	Foundations of Python	
		Business Analytics and AI Project	4	2	300	●	Hettiarachchi	●	Hettiarachchi	Foundations of Python Previously named "Topics in DBI: Business Analytics and AI Project"	
		Data Science and AI Project	4	2	300	●	Dubey	●	Dubey	Foundations of Python Previously named "Topics in DBI: Data Science and AI Project"	
		Topics in DBI: Supply Chain Analytics Project	4	2	300	●	Komya	●	Komya	Principles of Management (New Course)	
	Web and Mobile Technology	4	2	300	●	Saata	●	Saata	Principles of Management (New Course)		
	Workshop for Strategic Management	4	2	300	●	Kamoshida	●	Kamoshida	Principles of Management (New Course)		
	Workshop for Sustainability Management	4	2	300	●	Kamoshida	●	Kamoshida	Principles of Management (New Course)		
	Big Data and Analytics	4	3	400	●	Sharkasi	●	Sharkasi	Principles of Management		
	Business Planning	4	3	400	●	Ishiguro	●	Ishiguro	Principles of Management		
	Cross-Culture Management	4	3	400	●	Rezwani	●	Rezwani	Principles of Management		
	Customer Analytics and AI	4	3	400	●	Arghashi	●	Arghashi	Principles of Marketing		
	Digital Marketing Research	4	3	400	●	Tajeddini	●	Tajeddini	Principles of Marketing, Previously named "Marketing Research"		
	Entrepreneurial Strategy Practicum	4	3	400	●	Tajeddini	●	Tajeddini	Entrepreneurial Strategies - Not offered in 2026		
	Gender in Business	4	3	400	●	Ishiguro	●	Ishiguro	Principles of Management		
	Generative AI and Applications	4	3	400	●	Dubey	●	Dubey	Foundations of Python (New Course)		
	Global Supply Chain Management	4	3	400	●	Matsuo	●	Matsuo	Principles of Management		
	Hospitality Management and Strategy	4	3	400	●	Tajeddini	●	Tajeddini	Principles of Marketing		
	International Finance	4	3	400	●	Mira	●	Mira	Principles of Economics		
	International Trade	4	3	400	●	Mira	●	Mira	Principles of Economics		
	Investments	4	3	400	●	Handika	●	Handika	Principles of Economics		
	IT Project Management	4	3	400	●	Ozaydin	●	Ozaydin	Introduction to Informatics and Computing		
	Managerial Accounting	4	3	400	●	Handika	●	Handika	Principles of Management		
	Marketing Modeling	4	3	400	●	Sharkasi	●	Sharkasi	Principles of Economics		
	Money and Banking	4	3	400	●	Mira	●	Mira	Principles of Economics		
	Neuro Marketing Project	4	3	400	●	Agari	●	Agari	Neuro Marketing		
	Programming for Data Science and AI	4	3	400	●	Relik Hamza	●	Relik Hamza	Foundations of Python		
	Quantum Information and Computation	4	3	400	●	Ozaydin	●	Ozaydin	Foundations of Python, Introduction to Informatics and Computing, Introduction to Computer Networking		
	Start-up Funding and VC Strategies	4	3	400	●	Agari	●	Agari	Principles of Management (New Course)		
	Strategic Brand Management	4	3	400	●	Arghashi	●	Arghashi	Principles of Marketing Previously named "Topics in DBI: Strategic Brand Management"		
	Sustainability Economics and Policy	4	3	400	●	Oliver	●	Oliver	Fundamentals of Mathematics, Principles of Economics		
	Sustainability Leadership	4	3	400	●	Massmann	●	Massmann	Principles of Management (New Course)		
	Data and Cloud Strategy	4	3	400	●	Hettiarachchi	●	Hettiarachchi	Database and Big Data Previously named "Topics in DBI: Data and Cloud Strategy"		
	Topics in Business Economics	2	2	300/400					Not offered in 2026		
	Topics in Business Economics	4	2	300/400					Not offered in 2026		

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E-Track IR Major	Core	Comparative Politics	4	2	200	● Yamamoto	● Yamamoto		
		Global Sociology	4	2	200		● Blackwood		
		Human Rights	4	2	200	● Lamont	● Lamont		
		International Law	4	2	200	● Schifano	● Schifano		
		International Political Economy	4	2	200	● Munier	● Kim		
		International Politics	4	2	200	● Yamaguchi			
		International Security	4	2	200	● Resnick	● Resnick		
		Maritime Security and Ocean Governance	4	2	200		● Orbanist		
		Political Economy of Development	4	2	200	● Shin	● Shin		
		Political Theory	4	2	200	● Munier			
		Understanding Globalization	4	2	200	● Li			
		Advanced	Chinese Politics in Comparative Perspective	4	3	300		● Li	
	Comparative Political Institutions		4	3	300		● Munier		
	International Development		4	3	300			Not offered in 2026	
	International Environmental Policy		4	3	300	● Li			
	International Integration		4	3	300	● Kim			
	International Organization		4	3	300		● Schifano		
	International Relations of Asia-Pacific		4	3	300		● Li		
	International Relations of Central Asia		4	3	300		● Nishiyama	[New Course]	
	International Relations of Europe		4	3	300	● Lamont			
	International Relations of South Asia		4	3	300	● Shin			
	International Relations of Southeast Asia		4	3	300	● Orbanist			
	International Relations of the Middle East		4	3	300			Not offered in 2026	
	Media and Society in Japan		4	3	300	● Torun-Dunn			
	Political Philosophy		4	3	300		● Munier		
	Russian Politics		4	3	300	● Nishiyama		[New Course]	
	Security on the Korean Peninsula		4	3	300		● Yamaguchi	[New Course]	
	Transport Governance and Security		4	3	300	● Yamaguchi			
	U.S. Politics and Foreign Policy		4	3	300		● Resnick		
	War and Peace in East Asia		4	3	300	● Murai			
	Seminars		Critical Approaches to Development Politics	4	3	400		● Shin	Previously named "Asia's Entrepreneurs"
			Defense Strategy and Planning	4	3	400	● Yamaguchi		[New Course]
			Gender in International Relations	4	3	400		● Blackwood	
			International Relations of China	4	3	400	● Li		Previously named "Theories of International Relations"
			International Relations of Japan	4	3	400		● Nagao	
		Military Alliances and Security Cooperation	4	3	400	● Resnick		Not available in 2026 Spring	
		Nationalism and Memory Politics	4	3	400		● Nishiyama	[New Course]	
		Political Development of Asia	4	3	400		● Yamamoto		
		Regional Governance in Asia	4	3	400		● Schifano		
		Resistance Politics	4	3	400	● Munier			
		Transitional Justice	4	3	400		● Lamont		
		U.S. Policy toward Asia	4	3	400	● Orbanist		Previously named "U.S.-East Asian Relations"	
Topics in International Relations		2 or 4	4	400			Not offered in 2026		
E-Track Special Courses		Advanced Argumentation & Debate	2	2	200	● Sakurai			
	Business Politics I	4	2	200		● Sakurai			

*1) Course titles will be announced on a semester-by-semester basis for Topics in Liberal Arts, Topics in Business Economics and Topics in Japan Studies

*2) Depending on the semester, some courses may be cancelled or altered

[Important Notes]

Note 1: The 2026 Fall syllabus is now available. For details on how to access it, please refer to the Academic Packet.

Note 2: Taking courses with prerequisites or IR seminar courses requires submitting the designated request forms. Please note that submitting these forms does not guarantee that your seats are secured. More details will be announced closer to the registration period.

Note 3: JSP students usually register between 16 and 20 credits.

Note 4: For Japanese language courses, students will take the course that have been placed as a result of the placement test. Please note that the number of credits that can be taken varies depending on the course level. Students may take 8 credits per semester for Elementary Japanese 1A & 1B, but 4 credits per semester for Elementary Japanese 2 through Advanced Japanese 2, and only 2 credits per semester for Business Japanese A and Business Japanese B. You cannot take different levels at the same time.

Note 5: The transfer of credits is at the discretion of your home institution. Please contact your university's Academic Registrar's Office to confirm if courses you wish to take are eligible for credit transfer. As a reference, 1 TIU credit = 2 ECTS credits = 4 UK credits. Different credit systems and/or conversion ratios might apply.

[Course Credits]

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COURSE	NUMBER OF WEEKS (total hours per week)	TOTAL CREDITS	
Lecture	105 min/week x 13 weeks	2 credits	if you have questions, please contact the relevant offices: ● Academics (Courses, Class schedule, etc.): E-Track Academic Affairs Office at <etrack-academics@tiu.ac.jp> ● Visa/immigration restrictions, program withdrawal or deferral: International Exchange Office at <etrack-student@tiu.ac.jp>
	210 min/week x 13 weeks	4 credits	
Japanese Language Course	210 min/week x 13 weeks	2 credits	
	420 min/week x 13 weeks	4 credits	
	840 min/week x 6.5 weeks	4 credits	