

# JAPN - JAPANESE

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## **JAPN 1001 Elementary Japanese I (3-0-3)**

This course is intended for students with no previous training in Japanese. It is an introduction to pronunciation, grammar, conversation, reading, and writing elements of Hiragana system.

## **JAPN 1002 Elementary Japanese II (3-0-3)**

This course continues to develop basic skills in the study of Japanese and introduces the elements of Katakana and Hiragana writing systems in order to read controlled texts and perform simple writing tasks. The course also offers an introduction to Japanese culture. A student belongs in JAPN 1002 if the student received credit for JAPN 1001 (either at CSU or as a transfer, or by taking a proficiency exam) or the student took 2 or more years of high school Japanese regardless of how long ago it was taken.

**Prerequisite(s):** JAPN 1001 with a minimum grade of D

## **JAPN 2001 Intermediate Japanese I (3-0-3)**

This course includes an introduction to more advanced grammar, vocabulary building, composition, group discussions, and information on Japanese culture and everyday life. The Kanji system of writing is introduced. A student belongs in JAPN 2001 if the student received credit for JAPN 1002 (either at CSU or as a transfer, or by taking a proficiency exam).

**Prerequisite(s):** JAPN 1002 with a minimum grade of D

## **JAPN 2002 Intermediate Japanese II (3-0-3)**

Includes more advanced grammar, intensive vocabulary building, writing compositions, reading contemporary materials, and student presentations on Japanese culture. Additional characters from the different writing systems will be introduced. Natural and practical communication will be emphasized. A student belongs in JAPN 2002 if the student received credit for JAPN 2001 (either at CSU or as a transfer, or by taking a proficiency exam).

**Prerequisite(s):** JAPN 2001 with a minimum grade of D or JAPN 2001X with a minimum grade of D