Course Number	Course Title		Credits	Instructor (s)
	Elementary Japanese 1 Integrated Skills (Sogo) (Fall, Spring, 4 classes a week)		3	YU, Ming Hwang USUI, Hiromi YAMAKAMI, Ryuko
Keywords	Lower elementary Japanese, integrated skills (listening, speaking, reading, writing)			
Course Description (including Goal and Objectives)	This course is a semi-intensive course designed for students with no prior knowledge of Japanese. The objective of the course is to provide students with four basic language skills, listening, speaking, reading, writing, necessary for study and life in Japan. By the end of the course, students should be able to understand and use everyday expressions and basic phrases related to areas of most immediate relevance (e.g. personal details, shopping, getting around, making an appointment, visiting a friend, asking for a favor).			
Course Schedule	1	Learning Hiragana, Lesson 1		
	2	Learning Katakana, Lessons 2-3		
	3	Lessons 4-5		
	4	Lesson 6-7, Review Test1		
	5	Lessons 7-9		
	6	Lesson 9-11		
	7	Lessons 11-12, Review Test 2		
	8	Lessons 13-14		
	9	Lessons 15-16, Review Test 3		
	10	Lessons16-18		
	11	Lessons18-19, Review Test 4		
	12	Lessons20-21		
	13	Lessons 22-23, Review Test 5		
	14	Lessons24-25		
	15	Review, Final exam and feedback		
Textbook (s)	*Minna no Nihongo Shokyu I the 2nd edition* *Translation and Grammatical Notes* (Chinese, English, French, German, Indonesian, Italian, Korean, Portuguese, Spanish, Thai, and Vietnamese versions available).			
Reference (s)	Makino, Seiichi &Tsutsui, Michio (1995) *A Dictionary of Basic Japanese Grammar.* The Japan Times. Tokyo.			
Grading Method	Final Exam		40	%
	Review Tests		30	%
	Quizzes		10	%
	Homework and participation		20	%

Message to Students	
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