

<b>Course Number</b>	<b>Course Title</b> Kanji 2 (1 class a week)	<b>Credits</b> 1	<b>Instructor (s)</b> YAMAKAMI, Ryuko
<b>Keywords</b>	Elementary kanji, 300 characters		
<b>Course Description (including Goal and Objectives)</b>	<p>The goal of this course is to be able to read and write frequently used kanji words that appear in <i>Minna no Nihongo Shokyu II</i>, the textbook used in the Japanese 2 Integrated Skills course. Students will learn about 300 new kanji on top of the 220 kanji studied in the Kanji 1 course.</p> <p>Learning kanji is an essential part of building vocabulary to improve reading and writing abilities. New kanji words are introduced in each lesson embedded in phrases, sentences and brief texts. Students will also expand their vocabulary by comparing the meaning of homonyms and categorizing synonyms and antonyms.</p>		
<b>Course Schedule</b>	1	Warming-up, Units 21-23	
	2	Units 24-25	
	3	Units 26-27	
	4	Units 28-29	
	5	Units 30-31	
	6	Units 32-33	
	7	Units 34-35	
	8	Mid-term exam and feedback, Unit 36	
	9	Units 37-38	
	10	Units 39-40	
	11	Units 41-42	
	12	Units 43-44	
	13	Units 45-46	
	14	Units 47-48	
	15	Final exam and feedback, Units 49-50	
<b>Textbook (s)</b>	『みんなの日本語初級Ⅱ 第2版 漢字 英語版』スリーエーネットワーク <i>Minna no Nihongo II 2<sup>nd</sup> edition: Kanji II (English)</i> . 3A Corporation. ¥1,800+tax ISBN:9784883197446		
<b>Reference (s)</b>	Seeley, C. & Henshall, K. G. (2016) <i>The Complete Guide to Japanese Kanji</i> . Tuttle. Tokyo.		
<b>Grading Method</b>	Final exam	30 %	
	Mid-semester exam	20 %	
	Homework	10 %	
	Quizzes	30 %	
	Participation	10 %	
<b>Message to Students</b>	Consistency is very important when you learn a foreign language. Students are also expected to be cooperative with the other students in the class.		
<b>Contacts</b>	Course coordinator: IMAIZUMI, Satoko Office Hours: Thu. 13:00-14:30 (Room E-214, A2 Building) Contact information will be provided in the orientation.		