

Canyon Crest Academy: Japanese 3

Level of Difficulty	Estimated Homework	Prerequisites
<input type="checkbox"/> Moderate <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Difficult <input type="checkbox"/> Very Difficult	30-60 minutes	<u>District</u> C- (70%) or better in Japanese 2 <u>Department</u> C- (70%) or better in Japanese 2

Course Description

The student should enter with a solid foundation in all skills described for Japanese 1 and Japanese 2. For example, the successful student will be able to express some opinions and feelings; use the plain and “-te” forms of verbs accurately; and initiate and maintain a short conversation and expanding to answer questions like who, what, where, when, why, how, etc.

The successful student in this continuing course will be able to compare (school systems, cultures, food preferences); explain why something happened; give advice; and describe life experiences such as travel. In addition to all ‘hiragana’ characters and ‘katakana’ characters, the student will be able to read and write approximately 200 ‘kanji’ characters. This class is in alignment with national standards at the novice-high level.

Typical activities include Japanese conversation, textbook exercises, collaborative Japanese History project using common core, research on Japanese Performing Arts and Theater, Japanese calligraphy, language-focused games, class-wide discussions and oral presentations.

Workload:

In class, the student will maintain a well-organized notebook, take notes, listen to language CDs, work in groups and role-play situations.

Outside of class, the student will review notes, practice vocabulary, drill character flashcards, thoughtfully complete written assignments and work on projects. In general, the successful student will spend approximately 30 minutes on work outside of class to prepare for the next class session.

Assessment:

Assessments include class participation, homework, oral presentations, essays, projects, and tests.

Grading

A+ 98.5-100%	B+ 88.5-89.4%	C+ 78.5-79.4%	D+ 68.5-69.4%	F 0-59.4%
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Syllabus Link

n/a

Supplemental Information

10 credits

Fulfills high school graduation requirement for electives

Fulfills UC/CSU subject area “e” requirement