

INTENSIVE SEMINAR APPLICATION GUIDELINES (TEACHER)

AIMS

Participants will:

- develop language skills and increase confidence in using Japanese by working in an immersion environment.
- explore teaching ideas and strategies which they can then apply to their own classrooms in line with the Australian Curriculum.
- build new teacher networks, and share ideas and resources.

DATES

January 20-23, 2020

VENUE

The Japan Foundation, Sydney (JPF Sydney)
(Level 4, Central Park, 28 Broadway, Chippendale, NSW, 2008)

ELIGIBILITY

Applicants must:

- be Australian primary level teachers of K-Y6 or New Zealand's primary level teachers of Y1-8.
- be currently teaching Japanese a minimum of 3 hours per week.
- not be native or near-native Japanese speaker.
- be able to read Hiragana and Katakana without any difficulty.
- be at least JLPT N5 level of Japanese language proficiency.

JLPT sample site here: <http://www.ilpt.jp/e/samples/forlearners.html>.

【Minimum number of participants : 5 people】

For Proficient teachers in NSW



Completing Intensive Seminar for Teachers of Japanese will contribute 19 hours of NSW Education Standards Authority (NESA) Registered PD addressing 2.1.2, 2.6.2, 6.2.2, 7.4.2 from the Australian Professional Standards for Teachers towards maintaining Proficient Teacher Accreditation in NSW.

For teachers outside NSW

This PD is relevant to Australian Institute for Teaching and School Leadership Limited (AITSL), Australian Professional Standards for Teachers Standard descriptors 2.1, 2.6, 6.2, 7.4 (Proficient teacher career stage).

COURSE CONTENT

Seminars include the following sessions:

- Language focused
- Teaching ideas
- ICT
- Japanese cultural activities'
- Introduction to JPF resources
- Resource / idea sharing
- Networking

PRESENTERS

Sessions will be run by language consultants from JPF Sydney.

TIMETABLE

Intensive seminar 2020 January

Please note this timetable is subject to change.
A finalised schedule will be distributed on the first day.

	January 20 (Mon)	January 21 (Tue)	January 22 (Wed)	January 23 (Thu)
09:00				
09:15		9:00-10:30		9:00-10:00
09:30	9:30-10:30 ①Orientation ②Icebreaking activities	⑤Activities for the Australian Curriculum 「ちきゅうにやさしい」	9:00-10:40 ⑨JF resources	⑬Culture focus 'What's new in Japan?'
09:45				10:00-10:20 JF Grant program
10:00				10:20-10:40
10:15				Morning tea
10:30	10:30-11:00	10:30-11:00	10:40-11:00	
10:45	Morning tea	Morning tea	Morning tea	
11:00	11:00-11:40			10:40-11:40
11:15	Goal setting + Spot test			⑭Culture workshop 'Furoshiki'
11:30	11:40-12:00	11:00-12:30	11:00-12:30	
11:45	①Library Orientation and tour	⑥Language focus	⑦Language focus	
12:00		⑩Language focus	⑩Language focus	⑩Language focus
12:15	12:00-13:00			11:40-12:30
12:30	Lunch			Self reflection, Evaluation, Ceremony
12:45		12:30-13:30	12:30-13:30	
13:00		Lunch	Lunch	
13:15				
13:30	13:00-14:30			
13:45	③Language focus			
14:00	③Language focus	13:30-15:00	13:30-15:00	13:30-15:00
14:15		⑦Language focus	⑥Language focus	⑩Language focus
14:30		⑩Language focus	⑩Language focus	⑩Language focus
14:45	14:30-14:50 Afternoon tea			
15:00		15:00-15:20	15:00-15:30	
15:15		Afternoon tea	Afternoon tea	
15:30				
15:45	14:50-16:50			15:30-17:00
16:00	④Resource sharing	15:20-16:50		⑫Culture workshop 'Calligraphy'
16:15		⑧ICT		
16:30				
16:45				
17:00				
17:15				
17:30				
18:00	17:30-19:00			
18:15	Welcome reception			
18:30				
18:45				
19:00		18:00-20:00	Free time / Networking	
19:15		Extensive reading (Tadoku)	Evening	
19:30		(Optional)		
19:45				
20:00				

Note: Participants must be able to attend each day ***in FULL*** and will receive a certificate of attendance at the end of the seminar.

CONTENT OF SESSIONS

The content of some sessions may change.

セッション Session	タイトル Title	担当者 Person in charge	内容 Content
① Orientation, Library Orientation (50min)		All, Hiro	Get to know each other and JPF Sydney staff.
② Icebreaking activities (30min)		All	Let's get our bodies and brains moving!
③ Language focus (90min)	Classroom Japanese	Negishi-Wood Kadoi	Develop confidence in communicating with students in the classroom. Discuss strategies for promoting use of Japanese in the classroom.
④ Resource sharing (120min)		Saito	Share your classroom ideas and resources.
⑤ Activities for AC (90min)	Activities for the Australian Curriculum 「ちきゅうにやさしい」	Negishi-Wood	Explore activities for the Australian Curriculum on the theme of sustainability.
⑥ Language focus (90min)	Extend your speaking skills	Hirakawa	Experience a lesson based on second language acquisition and learn activities to extend your speaking skills for real-life communication.
⑦ Language focus (90min)	TBA	Kadoi	TBA
⑧ ICT (90min)	Empower your teaching with technology	Saito	Explore online resources for learning Japanese and how they can be used most effectively to enhance learning in the classroom. A unit of work will be examined to facilitate the use of ICT in the classroom. Bring your own device.
⑨ JPF resources (100min)		Hirakawa	Explore JPF's teaching and learning resources and develop ideas for using them in classrooms.
⑩ Language focus (90min)	Talk in Japanese! Preparation	Hirakawa Saito Negishi-Wood	Work in groups to prepare for the interview/discussion session in Japanese.
⑪ Language focus (90min)	Talk in Japanese!	All	Participate in group interview/discussion sessions.
⑫ Culture workshop (90min)	Calligraphy	Saito	Learn about Shodo and create your own calligraphy work.
⑬ Culture focus (60min)	What's new in Japan?	Orihara	Learn about new trends in Japan and consider how they can be incorporated into classroom activities.
⑭ Culture workshop (60min)	Furoshiki	Kadoi	Engage with language and culture through activities using furoshiki.

HOW TO APPLY

Please follow the below steps to apply online:

1. Print out FORM 1 (Handwritten Task) → Fill out **by hand** → Scan → Save as PDF
2. Download Form 2 (Self-evaluation lists) → Fill out (typing is allowed) → Save as Word format
3. Fill out Online application form (<https://jpf.org.au/intensiveseminar>) → Upload FORM 1 & 2
4. Submit **by October 14, 2019** (Application deadline)

Note:

The application will only be accepted when both FORM 1 & 2 are uploaded.

Automated confirmation email will be sent right after submission. If haven't received this, please contact us.

PRIORITISATION OF APPLICATIONS

JPF Sydney will not enter into individual correspondence regarding the selection process and placement offers. If the number of applications exceeds capacity, places will be allocated and prioritised based on the following considerations:

- Applicants from regional areas, or from areas with limited access to professional development opportunities
- Applicants with less Japanese teaching experience

TIMELINE

September 2, 2019	Applications open
October 14, 2019	Deadline for application submission
November 11, 2019	Application outcome notification
November 18, 2019	Successful applicants to confirm their places
January 6, 2020	Deadline for Pre-task submissions

COSTS

- **Seminar Fee**
 - No participation fee for this seminar.
- **Travel + Accommodation**
 - All travel costs (e.g. flights, accommodation and transport) will be the responsibility of the participants.
- **Meals**
 - JPF Sydney will provide a welcome reception on the first night and morning/afternoon tea each day.
 - All other meals will be the responsibility of the participants.

ENQUIRIES

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