TO Okinawa

Study Japanese in a Tropical Paradise



About ICLC



ICLC (International Center of Culture and Language) was established in 1983.

As Okinawa's oldest Japanese language school, we have welcomed students from over 50 countries throughout our history. With experience and knowledge over the many years, we provide education that meets the needs and goals of each student.

History

The longest history as a Japanese language school in Okinawa.

Diversity

The most international student body in Okinawa

Culture

School events and activities to learn local culture.

Education

Quality classes taught by teachers with muti-lingual support.

Why Okinawa?



Study in a Calm Environment

Unlike the hustling cities in Japan, Okinawa's calm and relaxing environment is perfect for studying.



Explore Beaches and Islands

Enjoy exploring the 160 remote islands and the many beaches surrounding the main Okinawa island.



Learn the Okinawan Mentality

Dive into Okinawa's unique history and culture, and learn the mentality of peace and harmony valued by Okinawans.



Introductory Japanese Class



This class is for beginner Japanese learners who wish to focus on acquiring daily conversation skills.

Students will also learn some basic kanji and grammar.

Length of Study: 3 months ~ 1 year Admissions: April, October Start Level: Beginner ~ JLPT N5 (CEFR A1) Intensity: 2 - 3 quizzes a week

Lesson Focuses

Grammar	Kanji	Reading	Writing	Listening	Speaking	Culture
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Comprehensive Japanese Class



This class focuses on mastering practical Japanese skills for work and academics. Students will learn all 4 areas of language (reading, writing, listening, and speaking) and aim to pass the JLPT tests.

*JLPT...Japanese Language Proficiency Test

Length of Study: 1 ~ 2 years Admissions: April, July, October, January Start Level: JLPT N5 ~ N2 (CEFR A2 ~ B1) Intensity: 5 tests a week, homework, wrap-up test

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Courses based on Status of Residence

Course Type	Status	Length
Long Term Course	Student	1 - 2 years
Short Term Course	Short-term Stay, Working Holiday	3 - 6 months
Residents Course	Resident	3 months ~

Class Schedule

Students will be placed in either AM or PM classes according to their Japanese level.

AM Classes

8:45 – 10:15 Class 10:15 – 10:30 Break 10:30 – 12:00 Class Monday – Friday 5 days a week

PM Classes

13:15 – 14:45 Class 14:45 – 15:00 Break 15:00 – 16:30 Class

Class Level

Introductory

Students will focus on learning conversation skills for daily life with some basic kanji and grammar studies.

Beginner

Students will learn to read, write and understand basic kanji, grammar, and expressions for daily life and for JLPT.

Intermediate

Students will learn kanji, grammar, and vocabulary used in specific topics and situations, and understand written passages.

Advanced

Students will learn to comprehend various newspaper articles and commentary, and work on discussions and presentations.

Events & Activities

School Events

ICLC holds various school events throughout the year.













After School Activities

Students join local groups and classes on Japanese and Okinawa culture.

















School Terms









April Term

July Term

October Term

January Term

Our classes start every April, July, October and January. 1 school term is 3 months long followed by a 2-3 week school break.

Application Periods

Course Type	Application Period
Long Term Course	1 year ~ 6 months before admission
Short Term Course	1 month ~ 2 weeks before admission
Residents Course	3 months ~ 2 weeks before admission

Early application is advised as classes will be less available towards the beginning of a new school term.

On-site trial lessons are available.

1. Apply Online

2. Short Interview

3. Submit Documents

4. Class-placement Test

5. Start School

Dorms

We offer several options for student accommodation managed by the school. Visit our website for more information on our various options of school dorms.

*You can use local realtors if you wish to find your own housing.



Finding Part-time Jobs

Students on student visa are allowed to work part-time up to 28 hours a week. ICLC can help you find and apply for jobs.

*Students on tourist visa cannot work part-time.

Applying for Schools in Japan

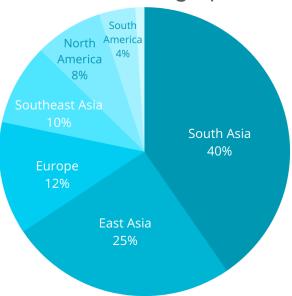
If you wish to apply for vocational schools or universities in Japan, you are generally expected to pass JLPT N3 or N2 level. ICLC teachers will support you to sort out your next step after completing classes.

Finding Full-time Jobs

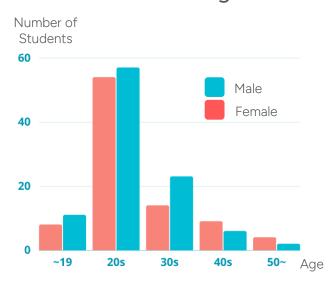
To work for a Japanese company, you must pass JLPT N2 level. If your job does not require Japanese (ex. English teacher), the JLPT requirements may differ depending on the company and industry.

School Data





Gender and Age





200 Students

20 Teachers





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