





**JAPAN CENTER**  
FOR MICHIGAN UNIVERSITIES

## Semester Japanese Language & Culture



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*"The relatively small number of students allowed me to have a very close relationship to my peers and to the instructors. I also loved the location of the school. Hikone is a beautiful city."*

-Joshua Anderson, Fall 2014

Offered during the fall and spring (winter) semesters, this JCMU program features:

**10 credits of intensive Japanese language in four levels (beginner to advanced)**

Daily instruction address listening, speaking, reading, and writing skills. Placement is based on exams held at the beginning of the program.

**Elective courses addressing an area of Japanese studies**

Students enroll in at least one 3- or 4-credit elective. Each course explores an aspect of Japan, such as history, religions, politics, art, economy, and more.

**Field trips, cultural demonstrations, homestay opportunities, and more!**

Practice Japanese with conversation partners, stay with a host family, participate in club activities and events at local universities, and engage in local internships!

All students are provided with housing in the JCMU residence hall and may apply to live with a host family (pending availability). More information about housing and a list of past and upcoming electives can be found on the JCMU website.

<b>Dates</b> (see website)	Fall: September - December; Spring/Winter: January - April
<b>Requirements</b>	Min. GPA of 2.5; Prior Japanese language study is helpful, but not required.
<b>Program Fee</b> (tuition, course materials, and health insurance)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Consortium Students (degree-seeking students attending a public Michigan university): \$7,300</li> <li>• Non-Consortium Students: \$9,450</li> </ul>
<b>Housing Fee</b>	\$2,200
<b>Application Deadline</b>	Spring (Winter) Semester 2022: <b>September 17, 2021</b> Fall Semester 2022 & Academic Year 2022-23: <b>March 4, 2022</b>

All program information is subject to change. Check the JCMU website for current information.