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YJC 山口短期大学
Yamaguchi Junior College

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Department of Information and Media/ Department of Child Education
(Elementary Education and Early Childhood Education)

Yamaguchi Junior College was founded as Yamaguchi Technical Junior College in 1967 in Hofu, Yamaguchi and has already graduated about 5,800 students.

Ever since 1999 we accept international students. We give dedicated support for international students providing Japanese language courses on the formal curriculums.



Yamaguchi Junior College has two departments. One is Department of Child Education, which has two major courses (Elementary Education and Early Childhood Education). The other is Department of Information and Media.

You can obtain the following licenses and certificates after completing required courses.

Department of Information and Media: a certificate of advanced information processing technician, a web designer certificate, IT passport etc

Department of Child Education: teacher's license for elementary school (grade 2), teacher's license for preschool (grade 2), qualification of nursery teacher, peer helper

■ Department of Information and Media

Producing Specialists in ICT Field!

We provide a curriculum which makes students gain skills, knowledges and experience to successfully compete in the growing ICT field.

○ IT Practice course

This course is designed to make students acquire essential knowledge and skills for software development.

Students can also learn robot programming. Upon completion of this course students can pursue a career in IT field as systems engineer, software engineer, programmer etc.



○ Society 5.0 course

Learn about data science, AI, and IoT knowledge in order to develop the ability

to respond to the advent of a data-driven society (Society 5.0).

■ Department of Child Education

Early Childhood Education

Producing Early Childhood Educators Who Can Empathize with the Joy of Children

Students can acquire essential knowledge and skills for early childhood education. Combining theory with practice, students are trained to become educators who can support development of children with an empathetic attitude.

○ Early childhood educators training course

Students are trained to work successfully in kindergartens and nursery schools

○ Four-year university transfer course

This course provides support for students who seek to study further in universities.

○ Human support course

Students acquire knowledge and practical skills for supporting children, elderly and disabled persons.

Elementary Education

Producing Empathic Teachers Who Has Strength in Course Teaching

Students can acquire essential knowledge and skills for elementary and kindergarten education. Combining theory with practice, students are trained to become teachers who can support development of children with an

empathetic attitude

○ Elementary school and kindergarten teachers training course

Students are trained to work successfully in elementary schools and kindergartens.

○ Four-year university transfer course

This course provides support for students who seek to study further in universities.

○ General education course

This course gives general knowledge on child education. Graduates can widely contribute to a local community, e.g. Child-rearing support.

The Japanese Language School

A school for international prospective students to be launched in April, 2019

The Japanese Language school of YJC offers lectures of Japanese language and current issues of Japan for students who seek their way to YJC or other universities else, making human resources that can contribute to international society. The lecture is given at Hakata campus of YJC located near Hakata station (seven minutes of walking) providing a better transportation access

■ The term of study, the number of students to be admitted, and the month of entrance

One year

10 students (in April)



■ Application Requirement

Applicants must have foreign nationality, must be fit to either one of conditions below, and must be acknowledged to have no less than N4 level proficiency judged by JLPT:

1. Having completed 12 years of education outside Japan
Equivalent certificate acknowledged by the Ministry of Education, culture, science and Technology.
2. Expected to be 18 years old or older, and judged by YJC's original testing program to have academic achievement equivalent to senior high school education.

Note: Those who have finished more than one-year long Japanese language education program at some other Institute else cannot apply for this school.

■ Evaluation Method

Basically applicants are judged by their application paper material. When required, they are asked to be interviewed to find out the profile, payment ability, and some things else on telephone, or other methods.

*Those living in Japan are required to be interviewed.

■ Payment list

Payment list	Amount	deadline
Testing fee	10,000yen	by application deadline
Admission fee	100,000yen	by registration deadline
Tuition	270,000yen for first semester	by registration deadline
	270,000yen for second semester	by the 29th of September
Deposit (for student insurance)	1,000yen	by registration deadline

*Tuition fee does not include cost of textbooks.

*You have to pay health insurance premiums while living in Japan

Education program

School calendar

first semester

April	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Entrance ceremony Orientation Placement Test Start of program Welcome Party
May	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> School Life Guidance Mid-tem Test
June	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Examination for Japanese Exchang events (with YJC students)
July	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Star festival The Japanese Language Proficiency Test End-of-semester tests
August	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Summer break Exchange event

second semester

September	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Start of second semester
October	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Exchange event
November	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> University festival The Examination for Japanese Mid-term tests
December	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The Japanese Language Proficiency Test Winter break Bonenkai
January	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Extra-curricular activity End-of-semester tests
March	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Closing Ceremony

Curriculum

subject	semester	type	Credits
Japanese grammar I	First	Practice	4
Japanese reading comprehension I	First	Practice	4
Japanese listening comprehension I	First	Practice	4
Japanese oral expression I	First	practice	4
Japanese writing expression I	First	Practice	4
Japanese grammar II	Second	Practice	4
Japanese reading comprehension II	Second	Practice	4
Japanese listening comprehension II	Second	Practice	4
Japanese oral expression II	Second	Practice	4
Japanese writing expression II	Second	Practice	4
Chinese character I	First	Practice	2
Chinese character II	Second	Practice	2
JLPT Seminar I	First	Practice	2
JLPT Seminar II	Second	Practice	2
Tutorial I	First	Seminar	2
Tutorial II	Second	Seminar	2
Total			52

Course content:

(1) General Japanese courses

The students can learn Japanese through grammar and reading courses,listening comprehension,conversation,and Chinese characters and writing.A placement test will be given to the students before entering the program to assess the approximate level of their knowledge of Japanese grammar and usage.

(2) JLPT Seminar I・II

In these courses,students study preparing for Japanese Language Proficiency Test (JLPT) or Examination for Japanese University Admission for international Students (EJU) .

(3) Tutorial I・II

Tutorial classes are run by a member of YJC's academic teaching staff in a smaller groups.Tutorials help the students review the lecture content related to the course through a group discussion or talking with the tutors. Educational guidance and counseling is also offered to all the students when required in these classes.

Support for the students of Japanese Language school of YJC

Full support is offered to each student by a Network of caring staff who will assist you throughout the duration of overseas education program

Collaborative Interaction with Kyushu Institute of Information Sciences

(Kyushu Institute of Information Sciences is a sister school of Yamaguchi Junior College)

Special Offer from Yamaguchi Junior College

The students who completed the Bekka program win a grant-type scholarship from Yamaguchi Junior College when they enroll in the college.

If you enroll in Department of Information and Media after completing the program, the fees will be reduced by half as follows.

The first year payment will be reduced from ¥1,180,000 to ¥590,000 (For the 2023 school year)

Mediation of residence

We have no dormitories for the students of JLSK, so will introduce reliable real estate agents if you need.The rent near the satellite campus of YJC is ¥ 25,000 or more.

Welcome to YJC, in Fukuoka,Japan

YJC has been accepting international students from Asian countries since its foundation (1999) and more than 265 students have graduated from out college. We have a detailed curriculum for international students under the guidance of professional instructors, and for the students who don't have enough academic

knowledge of Japanese Language, we have offered additional lessons to support their study in the college. To further this experience and achievement,YJC is to open the Japanese language school.

The instructors in charge of the Main courses of JLSK are full-time Language teachers of YJC.

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The chancellor of Yamaguchi junior college
Takashi Aso
(ph,D, in information Technology)

Access

The lecture is given at the campus of YJC located near JR Hakata Station (in the center of Fukuoka city) providing a better transportation access.



Fukuoka City

The population: about 1,623,000 Gateway to Asia
 The administrative, economic, and transportation center of Kyushu
 The third most popular city for the international students in Japan



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JR Hakata station

The largest station in Kyushu



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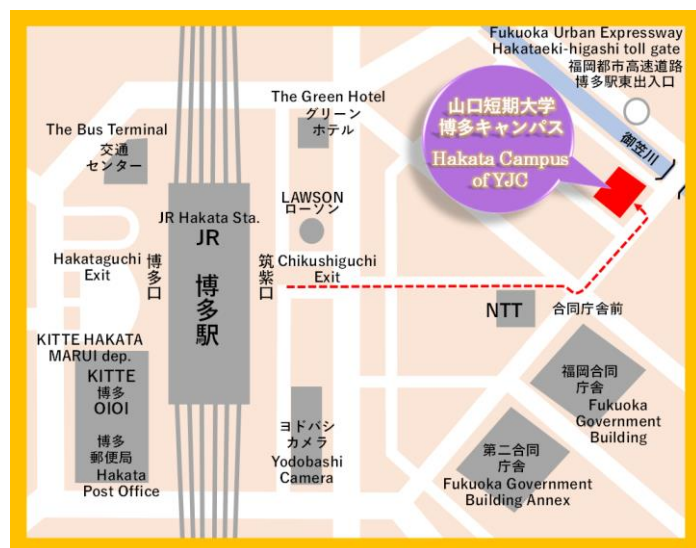
Hakata campus of YJC

The campus of YJC locates in Fukuoka city, the administrative, economic and transportation center of Kyushu. Fukuoka city has a large population (about 1,623,000), but is famous for its livability. Fukuoka's living cost is much cheaper than of Tokyo or Osaka. The public transportation systems are stretched all over the city, and the center of it is JR Hakata Station. Only 7 minutes' walk from Hakata station brings you to Hakata campus of YJC.



Hakata campus of YJC

7 minutes' walk from Chikushiguchi Exit



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