



Daito Bunka University (Tokyo)



Daito Bunka University (DBU) has just marked its 95th anniversary, and all the International Students can study here at the new campus!

■ The Overview of DBU

① The outline of Daito Bunka University

(1) History

In 1923, Daito Bunka Univ. was established by the 44th Diet's proposal as an Institute of Chinese classical studies and Sinology's promotion. After that, DBU has aimed at contributing to the promotion of this field, ensuring the establishment of moral principal based on Confucianism, absorbing elements of Western culture while maintaining its foundations in Eastern culture, and achieving a fusion of Eastern and Western approaches to create a new, open culture that is open to the international community. In 2013, DBU marked its 90th anniversary after lots of hardship. At present, DBU is undertaking the campus improvement project in order to rebuild the dilapidated Higashi-Matsuyama campus.

(2) Undergraduate Faculties and Graduate Schools

Undergraduate Faculties:

Literatures, Economics, Foreign Languages,
Law, International Relations, Business,
Sports & Health Science, Sociology

Graduate Schools:

Literatures, Economics, Foreign Languages,
Law, Asian Area Studies, Business,
Sports & Health Science

(3) Number of Students as of May 1, 2018

Undergraduate student: 11,687

Graduate student: 155

② Agreements with Overseas Institutions

(as of May 1, 2018)

University-levels Agreements: 100

Number of International Students: 356

③ The Data for Acceptance of International Students and the MEXT Program Students for Last 3 Years

2018: International Students 356 MEXT Program Students 1

2017: International Students 304 MEXT Program Students 2

2016: International Students 312 MEXT Program Students 1

④ The Features of DBU campuses

The Itabashi campus is located in the center of Tokyo, having a well-designed and modern facilities. The campus provides the students with the open-air cafeteria, the student stores, the library with 116 PCs and more.

The Higashi-Matsuyama campus is nestled in lush natural surroundings, creating an environment where students can easily participate in athletic activities while pursuing their studies. This campus is some 6 times as large as the Tokyo Dome.



■ The Outline of the Course

① Features of the Course

A course intended mainly to study about Japan and Japanese culture with supplementary study to improve Japanese language proficiency.

② Features of Courses

The Japanese Language Special Program, offered by the Int'l Center of DBU, is a one-year program to study Japanese language intensively, including Grammar, Comprehension, Writing, and Speaking skills and Japanese cultures. The class is divided by the Japanese language levels. The students can attend the so-called regular class in undergraduate course after achieving a certain standards.

③ Number of Students to be Accepted

6 students

(1 students nominated by the University)

(5 students nominated by the Japanese Embassy)



④ Qualifications for Applicants

Students who major in the field for Japanese language and cultures, enrolling at the overseas institutions.

⑤ Goals of the Participants

1 Achieving Japanese competence required Grammar, Comprehension, Writing and Speaking skills.

2 Comprehending Japanese cultures and affairs, apart from learning Japanese language.

⑥ Course Period

September 1, 2019 – August 31, 2020
(August 9 ,Course completion ceremony)

⑦ Subjects

■ Language Course (Intensive Basic level)

Basic Japanese 1 <Level 1>
Basic Japanese 2 <Level 2>
Basic Japanese 3 <Level 3>

■ Activity Course

Field work A/B

■ Contents Course

Japanese Politics Economy & Society A/B
Japanese Culture & Art A/B
Japanese History A/B
Current Issues in Japan A/B

■ Language Course (Advanced level)

Academic Japanese Communication A/B
Academic Japanese Writing A/B
Academic Japanese Reading A/B

1) Compulsory Subjects

Language Course (Intensive Basic level)

Basic Japanese 8 classes

2) Activities such as study tours and exchanges with local communities

- Visit to a local school of Primary, Junior or High
- Attending Japanese Culture Seminar such as calligraphy more
- Participating in events of local international associations
- Participating in a Japanese speech contest
- One-night home-stay experience to Japanese family

3) Completion contents of research

Speech at course completion ceremony.



4) Opportunities for co-study with Japanese students.

Tutoring system by Japanese volunteer students - Learn Japanese and Japanese cultures by one to one.

5) Other classes, optional subjects, etc.

International students taking the Japanese Intensive course of this program can, depending on their Japanese

language ability (such as N2), take classes at each Faculty of Daito Bunka University during the semester with the permission of the Faculty.

<International Student Subjects>

Japanese Politics Economy & Society A/B
Japanese Culture & Art A/B
Japanese History A/B
Current Issues in Japan A/B



⑧ Annual Events

- September** Arrival(Early September)
Start of Fall Semester
Welcome party, Orientation,
Placement test
- November** University Festival
Visit to a local school of Primary,
Junior or High, Excursion
- January** End of Fall Semester
- February** Attending Japanese Culture
- April** Start of Spring Semester
- June** Visit to a local school of Primary,
Junior or High,
Attending Japanese Culture
Seminar such as calligraphy more
- August** Japanese presentation
Course completion ceremony
- September** Course end(End of September)

⑨ Advisory System

- Person in Charge
Director of Int'l Center, Daito Bunka University
Advisory System
- Full-time teaching staff
Hisashi Okawara (Project Associate Professor)
Tadayuki Ogami (Project Associate Professor)
 - Number of Part-time Lecturers 9
 - Number of Staff (Center for International Exchange) 9

⑩ Administration System

Students need to take seven or more classes per week. After completion of the course, an academic transcript specifying each subject's name, grade and credits acquired will be issued.

■ Accommodation (Dormitory)

The dormitory is available to the students of this program.

【Dormy Tsurugashima (Single room)】

Room: 30 rooms

Furniture/Fixtures:

Bathroom, refrigerator, desk, chair, bed, TV, Air-control, internet

*Kitchen and washing machine are shared.

Room fee: 70,000 JPY a Month

Others: Utility bills (Electric, IP phone)

Options: Meal plan 17,100yen a month

Bedding rental 17,820yen a month



■ Student follow-ups

We will give support to students who wish to enroll in undergraduate/graduate courses at Daito Bunka University after completing their studies in this program.

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