

Japan: Osaka

Semester:

Fall, Spring, or Full Year
2009/2010

Program Focus:

Language Intensive

Prerequisite Courses:

JAPN 102 with a 3.0 GPA or
better in language study

Recommended Courses:

ART 153: History of East
Asian Art: Japan

HIST 110: Early East Asian
History

HIST 111: Themes in
Chinese History, 13th-20th
Centuries

HIST 216: Culture/Politics
Japan Since 1600

IA 235: Comp Systems:
China/Japan/Korea

Application Deadline:

Fall: October 27, 2008

Spring: February 06, 2009

Program Design:

In cooperation with Kansai
Gaidai University in Osaka,
Lewis & Clark College offers
advanced students intensive
Japanese language study and
an East Asian Studies
curriculum in the humanities
and social sciences focusing
on Japanese society and
culture. All lecture courses
are taught in English.
Housing is with host families
for the duration of the
program.

Requirements Fulfilled:

Fulfills the overseas study
requirement for the Japanese
minor and the East Asian
Studies major.

Credits: 4 courses per
semester/16 credits

Curriculum:

Students may choose from a
wide range of course
offerings in Japanese
language study and East
Asian Studies. A catalog of
the courses and course
descriptions is available in
the Overseas & Off-Campus
Programs Office.

Suggested Readings:

Eastern Standard Time, Jeff
Yang et al., Metro East
Publications, 1997

Postwar Japan as History,
Andrew Gordon, ed., UC
Press, 1993

The Postwar Japanese
System: Cultural Economy
and Economic

Transformation, William K.
Tabb, Oxford University
Press, 1995.

The Other Japan: Conflict,
Compromise, and Resistance
Since 1945, Joe Moore, ed.,
ME Sharpe, 1997.

The Emptiness of Japanese
Affluence, Gavan
McCormack, ME Sharpe,
1996.

Additional Information:

Program website:

•<http://www.lclark.edu/~overseas/osjapan.html>

Passport Details:

During the early portion of
the semester prior to
departure, you will be
required to submit your
passport to the Overseas
Office. Your passport will be
returned to you just prior to

your departure. During this
time frame, the Overseas
Office will secure your visa.
If you plan to use your
passport to travel during this
time frame, please make an
appointment with the
Overseas Office immediately
to discuss the process for
obtaining a visa.

Please make sure your
passport is valid for 6 months
BEYOND the end of your
program (Fall: June
2010/Spring & Full Year:
December 2010). If it
expires before then, please
renew it as soon as possible
to avoid expediting fees.

Passport Services and

Information: Please visit

•http://travel.state.gov/passport_services.html or University
Station Post Office, 1505 SW
6th Street, Portland.

**Passport photos (14 to be
submitted with
application):**

We recommend Action Fast
Photo, located at 9889 SW
Barbur Boulevard next to
Barbur Foods, (\$7.50 for
2/\$.43 for each additional).
Please provide your LC
student ID in order to receive
the discount.

See reverse for more info.

Visa:

A visa is required for this program. You will apply as a group during orientation.

The site below is for informational purposes only.

●<http://www.portland.us.emb-japan.go.jp/>

Health:

Please make an appointment with the student health services center to get an updated list of immunizations that are recommended or mandatory for this program.

Insurance:

Students are underwritten and insured by Aetna/Chickering Insurance Company, an affiliate of USI Insurance Services Corporation. Program insurance is mandatory and included in the total fee.

International Student Identity Card:

The card is required for the program. You will be notified of how to obtain it when we are making your travel arrangements.

Fees To Plan For:

Fees for the following items are not included in the comprehensive program fee:

- Passport fees
- Required photographs
- Visa fees
- International Student Identity Card
- Immunizations and health exams
- Books/Supplies
- Transportation to city of departure

Campus Contact:

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