



Japanese Language School operated by Kyoshin, Japanese Cram school



Kyoshin Language Academy

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Each student is special





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Bring us together with Japanese Harmonies!

CONCEPT

京進の日本語学校



1 Choosing an area

When choosing a school, location is very important. KLA has campuses in Tokyo, Nagoya, Kyoto, Osaka, Kobe and Shiga (Biwako). These different areas have different charms, and these different campuses have different features. All of our campuses have convenient access to public transportation, so they'll meet the commuting needs and the lifestyle.

2 Guidance for getting into tertiary institutes

Kyoshin Co., Ltd. is the parent company of KLA, which has 50 years of experience as Cram school dedicated to assisting students into tertiary institutes. Kyoshin has guided hundreds of thousands of students into universities successfully. With our know-how and experience gained from many years of experience, we have accumulated a strong team of tertiary guidance professionals. This is a merit to our school, which you won't find in other Japanese schools.

3 Caring for families

We send reports of the student's performance and attendance to their family in their home country. Even though they're living far away from home, their family can watch over the way that their child is living and growing in Japan.

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7 Reasons to Study with us

4 Excellent teaching staff

Our highly experienced teaching staff will provide detailed guidance in line depending on their individual motivations and skill level, in order to support their goals as an international student. They try to meet students' needs such as preparing for Japanese-Language Proficiency Test (JLPT), Examination for Japanese University (EJU), specialized studies, etc.

5 Empathetic support

Getting used to life in Japan may make students feel nervous. But we have staff to support students and they help ease the transition. Besides our Japanese speaking staff, we have staff who can speak English, Korean, Chinese, Vietnamese and Indonesian. We have a system that ensures the new students without Japanese speaking knowledge can feel confident and relaxed about getting support or advice from our staff.

6 Learning through experience

KLA values "self-learning ability". "Self-learning ability" is even more important when the students graduate from our school and move on to their next stage of life. Therefore we want to support them in developing "self-learning ability". We proactively organize cultural experience and extracurricular activities so they can also learn outside the classroom. We want to guide them to think and learn by themselves through experience.

7 Reassuring reliability

Kyoshin Co., Ltd. is a stable company, which is listed on the standard of the Tokyo Stock Exchange. We have obtained a level of reliability as a foundation of management that is higher than any other Japanese language school. We have prepared an environment in which students can relax and feel confident in focusing on their studies.

Greetings from the Chairman



Kyoshin Language Academy (KLA), Japanese language school was born from Kyoshin Co., Ltd. which has a long history as cram school in Japan. It is one of the largest Japanese language school group in Japan. We have three campuses in Tokyo, two campuses in Osaka, one in Nagoya, Shiga, Kyoto and Kobe. The total student capacity of 9 schools is 4,000 students. The students come from all over the world and all graduates are active in various fields. They successfully enter universities, graduate schools, vocational schools in Japan or find employment in Japanese companies or in their home countries. KLA is not just a school teaches Japanese language but also aims to develop human resources that can adjust to a wide range of needs around the world. Our educational philosophy is "Cultivating human resources who can play active roles in the international society". We have prepared the best environment to meet all expectations, so let's learn and grow together.

The chairman, JOBO Koji

Company Timeline (excerpted only Japanese Language Education Dept.)

June 1975	Established Kyoto Shingaku Kyoshitsu, Private cram school	April 2026	Ueno campus relocate and name change (Osaka-Chuo campus)
April 1981	Established Kyoto Shingaku Kyoshitsu Co., Ltd.		Osaka campus relocate and name change (Osaka-Naniwa campus)
January 1997	Changed the trade name from Kyoto Shingaku Kyoshitsu to Kyoshin Co., Ltd.		OLJ Co., Ltd. / ICC Co., Ltd. / Dynamic Business College Co.,Ltd. merged into Kyoshin Language Academy Co., Ltd.
October 1999	Kyoshin Co., Ltd. listed on the second section of the Osaka Securities Exchange		
December 2010	Established OLJ Co., Ltd. a full subsidiary (OLJ campus)		
August 2012	Established Kyoshin Language Academy Co., Ltd. (Shinjuku campus)		
April 2014	Opened Japanese language school in Kyoto (Kyoto-Chuo campus)		
February 2015	Opened Japanese language school in Yangon, Myanmar		
April 2015	Opened second Japanese language school in Kyoto		
April 2016	Opened Japanese language school in Aichi, Kasugai (Nagoya-Kita campus)		
June 2016	Opened Japanese language school in Hyogo, Kobe (Kobe campus)		
December 2016	Established ICC Co., Ltd a full subsidiary (Ueno campus)		
April 2017	Relocated one of Japanese language school in Kyoto to Osaka (currently, Osaka campus)		
January 2019	Established Dynamic Business College Co., Ltd. a full subsidiary (DBC campus)		
April 2020	Opened Japanese language school in Shiga, Otsu (Biwako campus)		

Company Overview

Company Name	Kyoshin Co., Ltd.
Company Address	382-1 Osaka-cho, Gojo-sagaru, Karasuma-dori, Shimogyo, Kyoto, Kyoto 600-8177 Japan
Established	April 1981
Capital	327,893,000 yen
Number of Employees	2,125 (full-time employees as of May 31, 2024)
Business Areas	Cram school for toddlers, elementary school, junior high school and high school students, Individual tutorial class, English conversation school, Individual tutoring franchise, Online study, Japanese language school, Day-care, training program, Nursing care, Career support, Food service

Kyoshin donates Myanmar National Mandalay Deaf school from 1999

Kyoshin donates to Mandalay Deaf school in Myanmar through an international educational, cultural and medical exchange support organization from 1999.

We support providing vocational training facilities, equipment (laptops, printers, hearing aids and etc.) and instructor trainings.

We continue a wide range of support every year including donating equipment, dormitories and school buses so that students who live far away can also attend school.

Offices of Kyoshin Group (total 491) as of September 2, 2024

Cram school for entering Elementary school, Junior high school and High school (total 70)

Kyoto (24) Shiga (24) Osaka (4) Nara (3) Aichi (13) Germany (1) China (1)

Cram school for entering University (total 9)

Kyoto (3) Shiga (5) Aichi (1)

Individual Tutoring (total 233)

Kyoto (42) Shiga (27) Osaka (33) Hyogo (22) Nara (17) Wakayama (2) Aichi (41) Ishikawa (2) Gifu (3) Mie (6) Hokkaido (2) Fukushima (1) Ibaraki (2) Chiba (1) Tokyo (4) Kanagawa (10) Okayama (3) Hiroshima (7) Kagawa (1) Tokushima (2) Fukuoka (2) Kagoshima (2) USA (1)

Online Study

Kyoto (1)

English Conversation school (total 25)

Kyoto (4) Shiga (5) Osaka (2) Hyogo (6) Saitama (1) Tokyo (1) Kanagawa (4) Australia (2)

Japanese Language School (total 10)

Kyoto (1) Shiga (1) Osaka (2) Hyogo (1) Tokyo (3) Aichi (1) Myanmar (1)

Childcare (total 94)

Kyoto (2) Shiga (18) Osaka (4) Hyogo (6) Aichi (6) Chiba (15) Tokyo (23) Kanagawa (8) Hiroshima (10) Okinawa (2)

Nursing care (total 47)

Osaka (27) Hyogo (4) Saitama (6) Tokyo (2) Hiroshima (3) Fukuoka (5)

Foodservice (total 2)

Osaka (2)

Preparation of studying abroad

Kyoto (1)

Campus list

Kyoshin Language Academy has 9 campuses in 6 cities.
We will recommend students the most suitable campus based on their learning objectives.

① Kyoto-Chuo campus

Capacity : 400 students



Kyoto is renowned not only for its numerous World Heritage sites and traditional culture but also as a student town with many prestigious universities.

② Kobe campus

Capacity:210 students



Kobe is a city where you can enjoy both the sea and the mountains in an urban environment.

③ Osaka area



Osaka-Chuo campus

Capacity: 240 students

Osaka-Naniwa campus

Capacity: 240 students



*Both campuses are in the same building.

Osaka is the vibrant hub of western Japan and a bustling metropolis. School is located in one of Osaka's most famous business districts, but it also has a calm atmosphere with large parks, art museums, and libraries nearby.





④ Biwako campus

Capacity :280 students



It only takes 17 minutes by train from the ancient city of Kyoto. The campus is located near the station. All the essential shops for daily life are conveniently located near the station.

⑥ Tokyo Area

Shinjuku campus (Takadanobaba)

Capacity:1,300 students



It is located in Takadanobaba, Shinjuku Ward, Japan's premier student district, which is home to many renowned universities and vocational schools, including the famous Waseda University.

OLJ campus (Ikebukuro)

Capacity:640 students



The Ikebukuro-Otsuka area, where the OLJ is located, is a hub of Japanese subculture centered around the massive Ikebukuro Station.

DBC campus (Nippori)

Capacity:600 students



Nippori is located with good access from the airport. It is one of the few areas in Tokyo where you can still enjoy the atmosphere of Edo, the historical name for Tokyo, providing a glimpse into the city's past.

⑤ Nagoya-Kita campus

Capacity:270 students



Nagoya is the third largest metropolitan area in Japan, following Tokyo and Osaka.



Lesson curriculum



Courses

Long-term Course

This course requires a 6 months to 2 years student visa. It focuses on improving Japanese language skills of students aiming to enter vocational schools, universities, graduate schools and gain employment.

Short-term Course

This course is for students from visa exemption countries and regions. Students with a short-term visa (2 weeks to 3 months) can study with long-term student visa holders. *Students with a working-holiday visa can also take this course.



Lessons

Grasping learning conditions and improving Japanese language skills.

The students at KLA have a variety of goals. Their individual goals may be different such as, "want to go to university/graduate school" or "want to get a job". But all Japanese language students must build a basic knowledge of the language. KLA offers curriculums not only for the students looking for academic advancement, but also looking to gain better communication skills. In order to support the achievement of students' goals and improve Japanese language skills, we aim to grasp students' learning conditions through regular and individual lessons.

For students aiming for "Academic advancement"

The majority of students at KLA seek to advance to a Japanese graduate school, university or vocational school. As one of the top cram schools in Japan, Kyoshin will utilize its know-how to support those students wishing to take university admission exams. For those pursuing graduate schools, we will share our knowledge on the entrance exams and help create their research plans in order to make their wishes become reality.

For students "Seeking employment"

High level of Japanese communication skill is necessary for students wishing to work in Japan or use Japanese in their work. At KLA, we have formulated a creative standard curriculum, which fosters a high level of communication skills in Japanese. Additionally, we coach our students on how to search for potential employers and create a strong resume. We even offer mock interviews for preparation.

For students looking to "Gain skills and certifications."

Passing the Japanese Language Proficiency Test (JLPT) which is recognized worldwide, can be utilized for purposes such as getting employment, promotions, advancements, certification and university credit recognition. At KLA, our regular curriculum includes JLPT preparation to help students achieve their goals.



Teachers

KLA has experienced and certified teachers. Some of them are involved in editing and publishing Japanese teaching materials. Our curriculum is optimized by these highly specialized professionals. Many of our staff have experiences studying abroad, therefore they can offer guidance from a student's perspective.



Support

Regular Reporting

To parents/guardians in their home country, periodic reporting of results, attendance record and any other student issues.

Support for Further Education/Employment

KLA provides career guidance for our students. This includes how to find a certain school, guidance on writing research proposals and practice interviews. At our large campus, we have specialized staff to support students.

Part-time job/ Lifestyle Guidance

We also provide support for part-time job placements. We assist administrative procedures after their arrival in Japan such as city hall registration, opening a bank account, getting a mobile phone and renewing a visa. The students can consult us about any difficulties they encounter in their daily lives.

Classrooms

Kyoshin Language Academy (KLA) provides the best learning environment for students, equipped with multimedia facilities. Role-playing conversational scenes using audio and video enhances learning efficiency.



Learning contents and materials

KLA possesses a vast quantity of Japanese study materials. We choose study materials that meet students' specific needs such as improving daily conversational skills and preparing for Japanese-Language Proficiency Test (JLPT), Examination for Japanese University (EJU) and employment. In addition to the study materials we use newspapers, magazines and journal articles to facilitate learning. The school library offers a variety of Japanese books for the students. The students can also read Newspapers, resources for colleges, application information for colleges and graduate schools, manga, and novels in Japanese.

	Level	Japanese communication skill achievement standard level	JLPT Standard Level	CEFR Standard Level	Vocabulary, Kanji Standard Level	
8	Upper-Advanced	Can generally comprehend a wide range of topics including politics, economics, law and international situations. Can make presentations and speeches in a manner that Japanese people will not find discomfoting.	N1	C2	Vocabulary:12,000 Kanji : 2,000	
7	Advanced 2	Can comprehend topics about societal themes and subjects that interest yourself, and can debate a discussion in a manner that Japanese people find acceptable.		C1	Vocabulary:10,000 Kanji : 1,600	
6	Advanced 1	Can overall comprehend serious themes and conversations about subjects that interest yourself, and can discuss issues about general society.	N2	B2	Vocabulary:7,000 Kanji :1,300	
5	Intermediate 2	Can comprehend the gist of somewhat serious thematic material pertaining to daily life in news programs, newspapers and magazines, and can express one's own opinions on affairs of general society.			Vocabulary:5,000 Kanji :1,000	
4	Intermediate 1	Can comprehend slightly rapid conversations, can use analogical reasoning to understand as-of-yet unlearned words, can adapt conversations to situations and speaking partners.	N3	B1	Vocabulary:4,000 Kanji : 800	
3	Pre-intermediate	Freely able to make ordinary conversation, and able to converse while regularly using attitudinal expressions.			Vocabulary:3,000 Kanji : 600	
2	Beginner 2	Comprehension of ordinary conversation to a certain extent, ability to express one's own opinions or reasonings in complex sentences.	N4 N5	A2	Vocabulary:2,000 Kanji : 300	
1	Beginner 1	Comprehension of standard greetings and short sentences, ability to make ordinary conversation in simple sentences.			A1	Vocabulary:1,000 Kanji : 200



Academic and Career counseling

50 years of
Academic and Career guidance experience.
Several hundred thousand success stories!



Why choose
KLA?

**Stength of KLA's Academic
and Career Guidance**

A team of Professional Counselors

KLA has a team of guidance counselors and is a member of Kyoshin group, one of the biggest education business in Japan. In addition to academic counseling, we offer a comprehensive career guidance.

Variety of Academic and Career Guidance

KLA sets special elective subjects and offers guidance on admission exams, how to write a thesis and key interview points for students aiming for academic advancement. KLA offers advice on how to create a resume and teaches business manners for students seeking employment. Additionally, KLA sets up mock interviews and opportunities for individual counseling sessions. Students are able to clarify their goals, interact with each other in a great environment and achieve personal growth.

Annual Schedule example (starting from N3 level)

	Japan immersive experience	Aiming for Academic Advancement	Seeking employment
April		Entering a Japanese Language School Starting a new life in Japan!	
May	Field trip	Collecting School Information	Collecting Company Information
June		EJU	
July	Tanabata, Star Festival	JLPT	 JLPT
August	Medical checkup	Open Campus	Participating in internships
September	Evacuation drills	Submitting applications	Recruitment exam
October	Halloween 	Entrance exam	Interview etc.
November	Field trip	EJU	
December	 Christmas party	JLPT	JLPT
January	The first shrine visit of the new year	Entrance exam	Receiving a job offer
February	The close of winter, Bean-Throwing Festival 	Announcement of the entrance exam results	The change of VISA status
March		Graduation	
April		New place, New life (Entrance ceremony)	



Reaching (Achievement Handbook)



KLA values developing Japanese language skill as well as nurturing "self-learning ability". Using KLA's original method termed "Reaching", we aim to foster autonomy in our students so they can learn, think and act by themselves. Our students draw a dream tree in their Reaching notebooks to visualize their aspirations, then on their Reaching sheets they write "Reaching goals" to achieve their goals. They put this method into practice everyday by using the "Routine Check Sheet" and "Reaching diary". This notebook also contains very useful information with regard to further education.



Career Support

KLA provides support to students who want to find employment.

- Individual counseling
- How to search and apply for jobs
- How to prepare application documents (Guidance on Japanese-style resumes)
- Mock interview practices
- Visa change support



KLA All campuses Across Events

At KLA, numerous joint events are held that go beyond the boundaries of all campuses.



Joint event examples:

- Speech contest
- Essay contest
- Performance shows
- Student handbook cover design contest

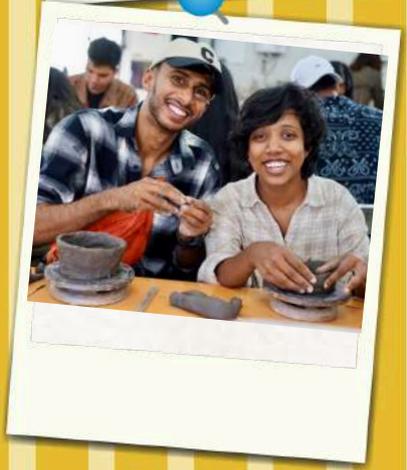
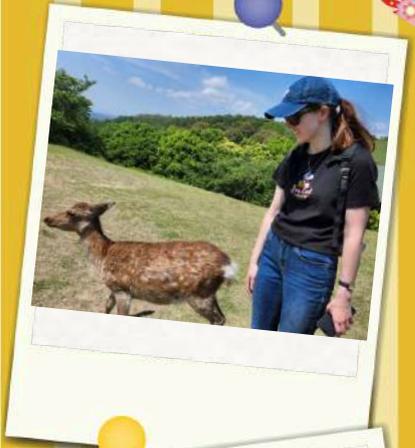




Event Photos

KLA also provides opportunities to participate in extracurricular activities outside of regular lessons. Students can enjoy interacting with classmates and peers from the same campus. Let's create unforgettable memories at KLA!!!

KLA community





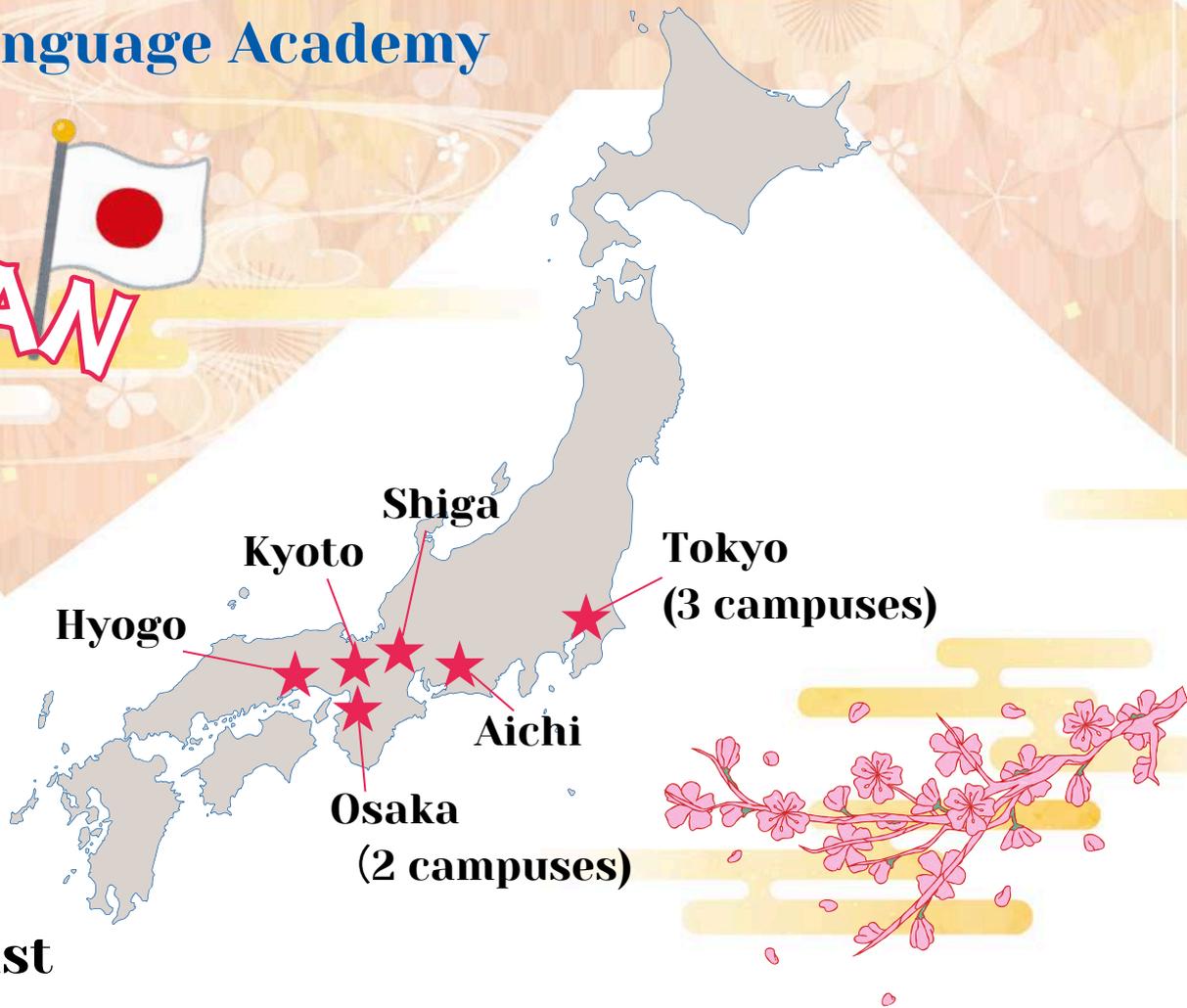
Students Photo

40 Countries
4000 Students
Enrolled



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Campus List

Tokyo

Kyoshin Language Academy OLJ

2-23-2-2F Higashiikebukuro, Toshima, Tokyo 170-0013

Kyoto

Kyoshin Language Academy Kyoto-Chuo

272 Banto-ya cho, Gojo-agaru, Muromachi-dori, Shimogyo, Kyoto, Kyoto 600-8439

Tokyo

Kyoshin Language Academy DBC

2-51-8 Nishinippori, Arakawa, Tokyo 116-0013

Osaka

Kyoshin Language Academy Osaka-Chuo

3-4-14-2F Hiranomachi, Chuo, Osaka, Osaka

Tokyo

Kyoshin Language Academy Shinjuku

2-18-18-3F Nishiwaseda, Shinjuku, Tokyo 169-0051

Osaka

Kyoshin Language Academy Osaka-Naniwa

3-4-14-3F Hiranomachi, Chuo, Osaka, Osaka

Aichi

Kyoshin Language Academy Nagoya-Kita

3-9-15 Kozojicho kita, Kasugai, Aichi 487-0016

Hyogo

Kyoshin Language Academy Kobe

4-1-3 Shogun-dori, Nada, Kobe, Hyogo 657-0058

Shiga

Kyoshin Language Academy Biwako

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