

Japan

Immerse yourself in Japan's rich culture, whilst becoming fluent in this fascinating language.

Join the largest collection of Japanese specialists outside of Japan and develop an exceptional command of the Japanese language – underpinned with wide-ranging knowledge of contemporary and historical Japan. Learning how to speak, read and write Japanese to a very high standard, you'll enjoy an engaging mix of innovative modules on the history, society, media, literature and popular culture of the region.

From manga and sushi, to war and history in East Asia, our theory-based discipline modules are wide ranging, engrossing, and taught by celebrated Japanese specialists. In London, you'll have access to the thriving Japan-related culture, including films, talks, theatre, music, restaurants and shops – combined with a year in Japan at a choice of prestigious Japanese partner universities to experience all the country and culture has to offer.

Courses:

- BA Japanese (4 years)
- BA Japanese and... (4 years) (see pages 88-89)
- BA Japanese Studies (3 years)
- BA Japanese Studies and... (see pages 88-89)

Duration:

- BA Japanese Studies and... with a language - 4 years

You'll need:

- AAB-ABB (excluding General Studies)
- IB:35 (6/6/5 in Higher Level subjects)

No prior knowledge of Japanese is required.

You'll gain:

- Research, writing and critical thinking skills.
- Knowledge of how to move and translate between cultures.
- Strong Japanese language skills, and the option of studying other East Asian languages. (Our students often take top places in the annual Japanese speech contest.)

Potential careers:

- Ambassador
- Financial analyst
- Regional expert
- Research executive
- Teacher
- Translator

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