

VI. FACULTY OF COMPARATIVE CULTURE

There are two departments in the Faculty of Comparative Culture (FCC):

The Department of Comparative Culture (DCC)

The Department of Japanese Language and Studies (DJLS)

Certificate Programs

Together with completing the requirements for a Bachelor of Arts degree, FCC students may obtain a Certificate in Japanese Studies or Japanese Language Pedagogy. For details, see pp. 64~65 for the Certificate in Japanese Studies, and pp. 66~68 for the Certificate in Japanese Language Pedagogy.

FCC Curriculum

(Common to Both Departments)

The curriculum is divided into two parts:

General Studies (GS)

Specialized Education (SE)

The total number of credits required for graduation differs according to the year of entrance.

For students entering between 2002 and 2005:**General Studies** (全学共通科目 Zengaku Kyôtsû Kamoku) **32 credits**

Compulsory courses

① (必修科目 Hisshû Kamoku)

Language 8 cr

Health and Physical Education 2 cr

Information Literacy 2 cr

Philosophical Anthropology 1 2 cr

② (選択必修科目 Sentaku Hisshû Kamoku) *

Philosophical Anthropology 2 2 cr

GS Distribution Courses 12 cr

GS Electives (選択科目 Sentaku Kamoku) 4 cr

*Philosophical Anthropology 1 and 2 must be taken together.

Specialized Education (学科科目 Gakka Kamoku) **100 credits**

FCC Core Program

Thinking Processes 4 cr

English Composition 1 4 cr

English Composition 2 4 cr

Public Speaking 4 cr

Major Courses 48 cr

SE Electives 36 cr

A total of **132** credits is required for graduation**Regulations regarding courses offered by other faculties** (for students entering between 2002 and 2005)

Students may include in their GS Electives up to 4 credits chosen from courses offered by other faculties and listed in the university-wide General Studies Program as Zengaku Kyôtsû Kamoku (全学共通科目). Within their total number of credits, students may include as GS and SE Electives a maximum of 20 credits chosen from courses offered by other faculties. Required courses in Health and Physical Education and Information Literacy and courses offered by other faculties but cross-listed as FCC Major Courses will not be counted among these 20 credits. (For rules about how many cross-listed courses may be counted as Major Courses, see the description of each major below.) If a student chooses to study a language not offered by FCC for his/her language requirement, the 8 credits taken in that language also will not be included in the 20-credit limit.

For students entering between 2000 and 2001:

General Studies

(全学共通科目)

40 credits

Philosophical Anthropology	4 cr
Language	8 cr
Health and Physical Education	4 cr
GS Elective Courses	24 cr
GS Distribution Courses	12 cr
GS Electives	12 cr

Specialized Education

(学科科目)

96 credits

FCC Core Program	16 cr
Thinking Processes	4 cr
English Composition 1	4 cr
English Composition 2	4 cr
Public Speaking	4 cr
Major Courses	48 cr
SE Electives	32 cr

A total of **136** credits is required for graduation

Regulations regarding courses offered by other faculties (for students who entered between 2000 and 2001)

Students who entered between 2000 and 2001 may take as GS Electives up to 12 credits chosen from courses offered by other faculties and listed in the university-wide General Studies Program as Zengaku Kyôtsû Kamoku (全学共通科目); they may take as SE Electives up to 32 credits chosen from courses offered by other faculties. Students who choose to study a language not offered by FCC may take in addition 8 credits in that language to fulfill their language requirement.

Credits in the programs for teacher certification and curator certification

As of the academic year 2006, credits in courses starting with the number 62 taken in the programs for certification as junior and high school teachers (教職課程) or as curators (学芸員課程) may not be counted as fulfilling the credits required for graduation. The tuition for these courses will be waived.

Credits in these courses taken prior to 2006 may still be counted as SE Electives.

Qualifications for taking courses offered in Japanese by other faculties and programs

To register for courses offered in Japanese by other faculties and programs, a student must be a “graduate of a Japanese high school” (see p. 59) or have demonstrated sufficient proficiency in Japanese by receiving a qualifying score on the Japanese Placement Test or passing JPN343, Reading and Writing 3.