



**LUND**  
UNIVERSITY

Faculties of Humanities and Theology

## **JAPM13, Japanese: Readings in Literature and Linguistics 1, 15 credits**

*Japanska: Språkvetenskaplig textkurs 1, 15 högskolepoäng*  
Second Cycle / Avancerad nivå

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### **Details of approval**

The syllabus was approved by the programmes director by delegation from the pro-dean for first- and second-cycle studies on 2014-03-18 to be valid from 2014-03-18, autumn semester 2014.

### **General Information**

The course is a compulsory component of the Master of Arts programme in Language and Linguistics specialising in Japanese.

*Language of instruction:* Japanese and Swedish  
Some elements can be taught in English

*Main field of studies*

Japanese

*Depth of study relative to the degree requirements*

A1N, Second cycle, has only first-cycle course/s as entry requirements

### **Learning outcomes**

On completion of the course the student shall

#### **Knowledge and understanding**

- be able to account for issues in Japanese linguistics
- be able to account for grammatical structures and lexical phrases that occur in selected Japanese texts
- be able to reflect in speech and writing on the Japanese language and Japanese linguistics from the perspective of general linguistics

#### **Competence and skills**

- be able to read and translate texts in Japanese on linguistics
- be able to participate in discussions of linguistics based on the required reading

### **Judgement and approach**

- be able to critically assess and judge scholarly assertions on the Japanese language.

### **Course content**

The aim of the course is to provide students with practice in reading and translating texts in Japanese on linguistics. The students are to prepare selected texts for seminars in which aspects of structure and translation are discussed. Further subjects of discussion are the issues of theory and language teaching associated with the texts. In order to place the texts in the context of international research, the students also study international journal articles in English on general and Japanese linguistics.

### **Course design**

Teaching consists of approximately 10 compulsory seminars.

### **Assessment**

The assessment is based on two written assignments and an oral presentation.

*Subcourses that are part of this course can be found in an appendix at the end of this document.*

### **Grades**

Marking scale: Fail, Pass, Pass with distinction.

### **Entry requirements**

To be admitted to the course, students must have passed 120 credits in Japanese or the equivalent.

### **Further information**

1. The credits allocated for course content that in whole or in part is commensurate with another course can only be credited once for a degree. For further details see the current registration information and other relevant documentation.
2. Course title in Swedish: Japanska: Språkvetenskaplig textkurs 1
3. The course is offered at the Centre for Languages and Literature, Lund University.

## Subcourses in JAPM13, Japanese: Readings in Literature and Linguistics 1

Applies from H14

1401 Readings in Literature and Linguistics 1, 15,0 hp  
Grading scale: Fail, Pass, Pass with distinction