



**Japanese and American Culture (Intercultural Exchange: Japan
on Campus)
Hurley Room 201**

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Syllabus**

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AGU at Centenary College of Louisiana

August 7 Arrival

August 8 – Welcome AGU Students to Centenary College of Louisiana

Davies, Chapters - Aimai and Amae

9:00 – 11:30a Class discussion, Hurley Rm. 201

12:00 – Lunch in cafeteria

1pm – 3:30p – Professor Moran – Shreveport History

Tour of Centenary Campus led by Centenary students

5:30p – Welcome Dinner - Location confirmation pending

August 9 – Social Obligations and Expressions

Davies, Chapters – Giri and Do Spirit

7am – 9am Meet Japanese partner for breakfast

9am – 11:30am Class discussion, Hurley Rm. 201

12pm – Lunch in cafeteria

1pm - 3pm Class Session, Hurley Rm. 201

Centenary and Japan

Centenary Archivist Chris Brown

5:30 – Dinner in cafeteria

August 10 – Walking Tour of Downtown Shreveport

Mark and Mike Mangham (Twin Blends)

Bus Departs campus 9:30am – returns 12pm

August 11 - Day 7 – Broadmoor United Methodist Church

9:30am – 12:30pm (Bus departs campus 9am)

August 12 - Communication

Davies, Chapters - Nemawashi, Chinmoku, and Haragei

9am – 11:30am Class discussion

12pm – Lunch in cafeteria

1pm-3pm Class discussion Hurley 201

Centenary Archivist Chris Brown

August 13 – Personal Space and Intercultural Communication

Davies, Chapters - Hedataru to Najimu and Honne to Tatema

7am– 9am Meet Japanese partner for breakfast

9am – 11:30a Class discussion Hurley 201

12pm – Lunch in cafeteria

1:30p – 3:30p Class Activity: Bowling, Holiday Lanes

5:30p – Dinner in cafeteria

August 14 – Family, Marriage and Social Roles

Davies, Chapters - Japanese Ie System, Omiai, Ryosaikenbo

7am – 9am Meet Japanese partner for breakfast

9am – 11:30am Class discussion

12pm – Lunch in cafeteria

1:30pm – 3:30pm Class Activity: Louisiana State Museum Tour (bus leaves campus at 1pm)

5:30 – Dinner in cafeteria

August 15 – Male and Female Relationships, and Childrearing

Davies, Chapters - Danjyo Kankei, Ikuji

7am – 9am Meet Japanese partner for breakfast

9am – 11:30am – Class discussion

12pm – Lunch in cafeteria

1:30p – 4pm – Activity confirmation pending

5:30 – Dinner in cafeteria

August 16 – Meaning, Patience, Determination, and Modesty

Davies, Chapters - Uchi to Soto, Kenkyo, and Gambari

7:00 – 9:00 Meet Japanese partner for breakfast

9:00a – 11:30a – Class discussion

12:00 – Lunch in cafeteria

1:30p – 4:00p – Activity confirmation pending

5:30 – Dinner in cafeteria

August 17 – Shreveport Farmers' Market

8:30am – Bus departs campus

9am – 10:30am – Farmers' Market Downtown Shreveport

10:30 Bus departs for campus

August 18 – Activity pending

Attend First Baptist Church

August 19 – Group Consciousness and Gift Giving

Davies, Chapters - Shudan Ishiki, Zoto

7:00 – 9:00 Meet Japanese partner for breakfast

9:00a – 11:30a – Class discussion Hurley Room 201

12:00 – Lunch in cafeteria

1:30p – 3:00p – *Davies, Wabi-Sabi, Bigaku, and Otogibinash*

5:30 – Dinner in cafeteria

August 20 – Funerals, Heaven, and Warrior

Davies, Chapters - Soshiki, Amakudari, and Bushido

7am – 9am Meet Japanese partner for breakfast

9am – 11:30am – Class discussion

12pm– Lunch in cafeteria

1:30pm – 4pm – Shreveport Aquarium (Bus departs campus 1:00pm)

5:30 – Farewell Dinner – Location pending

August 21 – Departure