

Japanese courses UW-Green Bay- Saint Norbert College (FAQ)

1. **How do I enroll?**

In order to register for a Japanese course held at St. Norbert College, you need to send a course override form to the Chair of UW-Green Bay Modern Languages program (the name of the Modern Language Chair appears listed on the UW-Green Bay timetable as the instructor for the courses). The e-form is available at the Registrar's Office web page, under "forms." Without the Modern Languages Chair signature and approval, you will not be able to sign up for the course.

2. **I have taken Japanese in high school and/or I have lived in Japan for some time, what level should I sign up for (beginners, intermediate or advance)?**


For foreign languages, a general rule of thumb is that one year of high school language instruction is equal to one semester at the college level. If you have taken two or more years of Japanese in high school, have lived overseas and/or are a Japanese heritage speaker, you should not enroll in introductory level courses. You can email the instructor, Torimoto Sensei (ikuko.torimoto@snc.edu), and ask for her assessment about the best class for you.

3. **How do I get from UW-Green Bay to Saint Norbert College?**

St. Norbert College is located in De Pere. You are responsible for transportation to and from St Norbert and for finding the way to get from the UW-Green Bay campus to your Japanese class on-time. If you want to car pool, you can ask the UW-Green Bay Chair of Modern Languages for the names of other UW-Green Bay students taking the same class as you are. You are responsible for the cost of parking at St. Norbert College (free parking is available in the nearby De Pere area).

4. **How do I find out where my class meets?**

You can call/email Saint Norbert's Registrar's Office for that information if you do not find it on line.

Phone: 920-403-3216  920-403-3216

Fax: 920-403-4035

Email: registrar@snc.edu

5. **What about my textbooks?**

Textbooks are sold at the St. Norbert College's bookstore. You should wait until the first day of classes to purchase the textbooks, as you might decide to switch levels.

6. What other things do I need to take into consideration if I sign up for classes at Saint Norbert's College?

- a. UW-Green Bay and St. Norbert's College academic calendars do not always match. Make sure that you know when your first/ last day of class and finals at St. Norbert will be. Our semester breaks also do not have the same dates (Spring break). St. Norbert College has a Fall break.
- b. Allow sufficient time in your schedule to go from UW-Green Bay to St. Norbert's College. You will be commuting between the two campuses and you need to take into consideration traffic, parking etc.

7. I want to pursue a minor or major in Japanese...

Right now that possibility does not exist at UW-Green Bay.

8. Are there any opportunities for me at UW-Green Bay to practice my Japanese?

YES! We have a Japanese Student Club (advisor: Kristy Aoky). In addition, study abroad programs and other cultural initiatives are offered at UW-Green Bay for students of Japanese.

9. More questions?

Contact the Chair of Modern Languages at UW-Green Bay