

DCC (DIVISION CURRICULUM COMMITTEE)
HUMANITIES
January 28, 2014

In attendance: Mimi Ansite, Allison Carr, Lyman Hong, Matt Kline, Scott Kushigemachi, Tom Lew, Kate McLaughlin, Andres Moina

Japanese 1:

- Matt's comments:
 - Slight grammar correction to catalog description
 - Outline of Subject Matter needs greater clarification on Topic 3
 - The critical thinking assignment seems too similar to JAPA 2
- Tom's comment:
 - The recommended preparation for ENG A changing to a hard prerequisite of eligibility for ENG A was discussed. A certain level of academic skill is need for students to read the text, etc.

Japanese 2:

- Prerequisite justification has been changed
- Edits per Matt's comments have been made and approved
- Again, the use of the terms "Beginning," "Intermediate," and "Advanced" were questioned by Matt Kline, as the terms seem to be undefined by a specific official rubric. Foreign Language Dept. has discussed these terms and feels that within the department there is a strong understanding about which skills are being described, so the terminology will stay.

English 24A

- Allison will match objectives as per Jenny's comments
- Will add justification statement in course review page (same as 1A)
- In the course review page we need to include a more robust explanation of the change from eligibility for English 1A as a recommended prep to a hard prerequisite. Why is C-ID requiring this change?
- C-ID is requiring this change to bring our course in line with similar courses at other community colleges.

English 25A

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- Prerequisites should include eligibility for ENG A / 84.
- Course has been brought into C-ID specifications for the TMC Degree.