

OSAKA INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL OF KWANSEI GAKUIN, JAPAN



Position available:

MYP & DP Japanese Language Teacher

We are seeking an experienced, enthusiastic educator to teach Grades 7-10 Japanese B language classes, and Grades 11-12 Japanese ab initio language classes

Start date:

late August 2018

The school:

Osaka International School of Kwansai Gakuin and Senri International School of Kwansai Gakuin are two sister schools situated in north Osaka that share a campus, a purpose and a mission. Osaka International School (OIS) is a K-12 school of 270 students that offers the International Baccalaureate (IB) curriculum and Senri International School (SIS) has around 500 students following the Japanese middle and high school curriculum approved by the Japanese Ministry of Education. We were founded for the benefit of returnee, national, and international residents of the Kansai region, bringing together the best of Japanese and non-Japanese educational ideas, systems, and techniques. This win-win situation allows OIS students and faculty to make authentic connections with Japanese culture and traditions while SIS students and faculty experience a genuinely international environment unavailable at any other Japanese school. For more information about our school, please see our website (www.senri.ed.jp), follow us on Twitter ([@oisinbrief](https://twitter.com/oisinbrief)), subscribe to our YouTube channel ([SOIS Videos](#)), or check out our Instagram ([SOISstories](#)) or Facebook page ([SOIS.jp](#))

Qualifications & Experience

Teaching Japanese in the IB curriculum differs greatly from teaching Japanese as a foreign language or *kokugo*. The successful candidate will most likely be an experienced IB and international school teacher. You will have demonstrated collaboration with your colleagues and are able to work well with others.

You are passionate about teaching, but are able to see the big picture and always act in the best interest of the entire school community. You have a positive influence on the school community. You create engaging lessons for a variety of students abilities and interests. You connect personally to students and are an advocate and mentor for academic, social, emotional and wellness areas. You also value the Two Schools Together concept.

Salary & Benefits:

This is an "hourly wage" teaching position. It is ideally suited to a travelling spouse or locally resident person, not in need of relocation, allowances and other benefits that come with a full-time position. The number of in-charge hours will be informed prior to each term and is subject to change based on student needs however it is likely to be approximately 14-17 lessons per week, Monday through Friday. This is a year-long contract with the possibility of renewal based on the agreement of both parties.

Application Procedures:

You can complete the online application form ([link here](#)). You can upload your resume to the application and share links to your website, blog, or portfolio. We are accepting applications immediately and will be reviewing candidates as they apply. We hope to get the position filled as soon as the vacancy is confirmed. We conduct interviews via FaceTime/Skype and attend Search Associates job fairs and others as needed. Are you ready to join the SOIS family?