

#### Japanese for Intermediate

PARTICLE (ni) (in/on/at-Time Numeric)

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#### **Chapter Description**

- Student should be able to:
  - know how to use the particle (¬ (ni) in the sentences.
- This chapter aims to achieve the following course outcome:
- ✓ CO1: Identify the pronunciation of Japanese phrases, sentences and dialogues.
- ✓ CO2: Practice Japanese sentences and dialogues according to syllabus
- ✓ CO3: Use of Japanese phrases, sentences and dialogue for selected topics.
- ✓ CO4 : Construct appropriate sentences for selected topics.



#### PARTICLE |

- The particle (in/on/at) marks a point of time at which the action takes place.
- is added when the time expression before it uses a numeral.
- It can also be added to days of the week, though it is not essential.
- When the time expression does not use a numeral, is not added.

#### いつ Place へ いきます/ きます / かえりますか。

• The question word  $\checkmark \checkmark \frown$  (when) is used to ask when something will happen/happened.

#### れいぶん (reibun)

EXAMPLE 1

#### きんようび に だいがく へ いきます。

Kinyoubi ni daigaku e ikimasu.

Go to University on Friday.

8じ に としょかん へ いきます。

EXAMPLE 2

Hachi-ji ni toshokan e ikimasu.

Go to library at 8am o'clock.



#### Q: いつ かんこく へ きましたか。

Itsu kankoku e kimashitaka.

When did you come to Korea?

#### A: きょねんの 8がつ に きました。

Kyonen no **hachi gatsu** ni kimashita.

We went there in August last year.



EXAMPLE 4

#### Q: いつ フランス へ いきますか。

Itsu furansu e ikimasuka

When will you go to France?

#### A: ことしの 6がつ に いきます。

Kotoshi no **roku gatsu** ni ikimasu.

We will go to France in June this year.



### When particle (□ (ni) is not commonly be used?

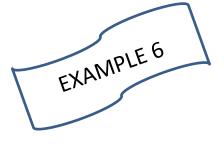
➤ When the time expression does not use a numeral, is not added.



らいしゅう かいしゃ へ かえります。

Raishuu kaisha e kaerimasu.

Return to the company next week.



らいねん だいがくへ いきます。

Rainen daigaku e ikimasu.

Next year go to University.



#### Q: いつ いなかへ かえりますか。

Itsu inaka e kaerimasuka.

When do you return to your country?

#### A: らいげつ いなか へ かえります。

Raigetsu inaka e kaerimasu.

Next month will return to my country.



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