

Announcement of the online program for SEAMEO School Network (free of charge), 2024
Online Program by CRICED, University of Tsukuba, Japan

Title:

Geographic Perspectives and Thinking in Senior High School

Provided by

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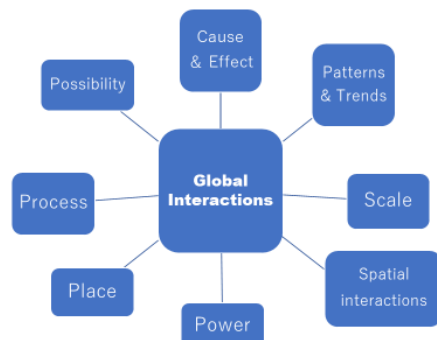
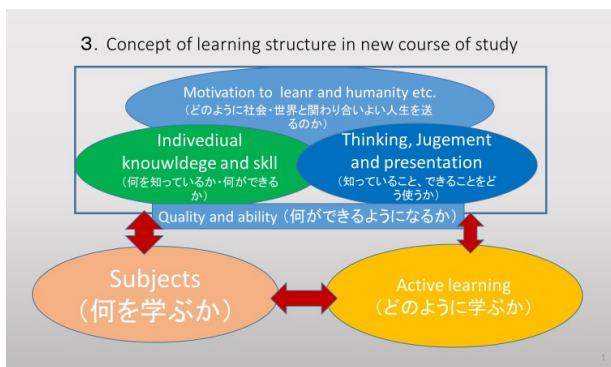
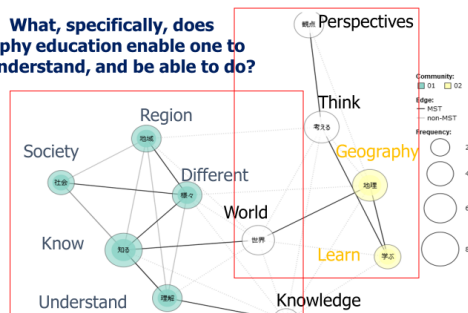
Course Summary

Is geography taught in senior high schools in your country? In Japan, geography has not been a compulsory subject in senior high schools for the past few decades. However, the Japanese Government decided to introduce a new compulsory subject, "Geography," in 2018. As of 2022, all Japanese senior high school students are required to study this subject.

In this course, we will first provide an overview of geography education in Japan from an international comparative perspective. Then, we will delve into the background of the compulsory subject "Geography" in senior high school. Additionally, two senior high school teachers among the lecturers will share insights into their lesson practices.

We invite attendees to discuss what senior high school students learn through geography, how they learn it, and how it may benefit them in the future.

Q1 What, specifically, does geography education enable one to know, understand, and be able to do?





Course Content, Registration and Certifications

Course Roadmap for Geographic Perspectives and Thinking in 2024

Topic	Title of Lesson (Tentative)	Schedule (Tentative)
Geographic Perspectives and Thinking in Senior High School	1. The Nature of Geography Education in Japan: An International Comparative Perspective	Sept 11th
	2. Introduction of Compulsory Subject “Geography” in Japanese Senior High School	Sept 18th
	3. Lesson Practice of Compulsory Subject “Geography” (1)	Sept 25th
	4. Lesson Practice of Compulsory Subject “Geography” (2)	Oct 2nd

All the lessons will begin on Wednesday afternoon from **15:00 (Japan time GMT+9)** through a live streaming via YouTube. Each lesson will be approximately 75 minutes long which includes assessment.

Certificate will be provided for the participants who have completed all 4 assignments for the lesson by the set due date.

Registration form for this course: Geographic Perspectives and Thinking in Senior High School (Deadline: 25th June, 2024)

<https://forms.gle/ysCJcSLDzX3Pz4cu5>

Registration for the orientation on June 18th, 11:15-13:00 (GMT+9)

Please join the orientation to know more about the course and the platform.

Register now! [Sign Up for the Orientation](#)

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Further Information

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Disaster prevention and education in Asia: Perspectives from geography education

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