

Subject card

Subject name and code	Folklore Studies and Folklore of East Asia, PG_00205712						
Field of study	Japanese Studies						
Date of commencement of studies	October 2024		Academic year of realisation of subject		2026/2027		
Education level	Bachelor's studies		Subject group		Obligatory subject group in the field of study Optional subject group		
Mode of study	full-time studies		Mode of delivery		at the university		
Year of study	3		Language of instruction		Polish		
Semester of study	5		ECTS credits		2.0		
Learning profile	academic		Assessment form		credit		
Conducting unit							
Name and surname of lecturer (lecturers)	Subject supervisor		dr Jacek Splisgart				
	Teachers		dr Jacek Splisgart				
Lesson types	Lesson type	Lecture	Tutorial	Laboratory	Project	Seminar	SUM
	Number of study hours	30.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	30
	E-learning hours included: 0.0						
Learning activity and number of study hours	Learning activity	Participation in didactic classes included in study plan		Participation in consultation hours		Self-study	SUM
	Number of study hours	30		2.0		18.0	50
Subject objectives	To introduce participants to folklore phenomena in East Asia and the major schools of folklore research in China, South Korea, and Japan.						
Learning outcomes	Course outcome		Subject outcome		Method of verification		
	[JAPL3_W01] Student is familiar with the terminology of the humanities such as cultural and religious studies, linguistics and literary studies, as well as history, cultural anthropology, philosophy and art sciences relevant to the Japanese studies major.		Is familiar with the most important concepts related to folklore, particularly folkloric phenomena specific to the East Asian region		[SW1] oral statement/ conversation/discussion [SW2] presentation/project/paper/ report		
	[JAPL3_K01] Student is aware of the scope of his professional knowledge and skills and understands the need for further continuous development in professional skills, as well as personal and social competence.		Understanding the importance of folklore in traditional and contemporary communities		[SK1] oral statement/conversation/ discussion [SK2] presentation/project/paper/ report		
	[JAPL3_U19] Student can work in a group, taking on different roles in it.		Is able to prepare and present selected topics related to East Asian cultures		[SU1] oral statement/conversation/ discussion [SU2] presentation/project/paper/ report		
	[JAPL3_U10] Student can argue substantively using the views of other authors and to formulate conclusions.		Referring to topics in the field of East Asian folklore.		[SU1] oral statement/conversation/ discussion [SU2] presentation/project/paper/ report		

Subject contents	What Is Folklore? The History of Interest in Folklore Around the World. The Origins of Folklore Studies in East Asian Countries. The Concept of Folklore Studies and Its Research Focus in East Asia. Major Trends in Folklore Studies in East Asia. Mythology and Folk Tales. The Role of Material Culture in Folklore Studies. Japanese folklore. Chinese folklore. Korean folklore. Ethnographic and folkloristic atlases and their role in the study of folk culture. Urban and contemporary folklore.		
Prerequisites and co-requisites			
Assessment methods and criteria	Subject passing criteria	Passing threshold	Percentage of the final grade
	Analysis and presentation of a selected topic in the field of East Asian folklore	51.0%	100.0%
Recommended reading	Basic literature	Kunio Yanagita, The Legends of Tono, wydanie dowolne. Lena OConnor, Tales of the Strange and Supernatural in Chinese Folklore, wydanie dowolne. Allan Horace, Korean Tales: A Collection of Classic Korean Folk Tales, wydanie dowolne. Sebastian Berg, Korean Mythology: Folklore and Legends from the Korean Peninsula, wydanie dowolne. Lafcadio Hearn, Kwaidan: Opowieści niesamowite, wydanie dowolne. John Macgovan, Chinese Folklore tales, wydanie dowolne.	
	Supplementary literature	Agnieszka Kozyra, Mitologia japońska, Warszawa, 2011. Mieczysław Jerzy Kunstler, Mitologia chińska, Warszawa, 2006. Helena Ogarek-Czój, Mitologia Korei, Warszawa, 1988.	
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	Example issues/ example questions/ tasks being completed		
Work placement	Not applicable		

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