SAN JOSE CITY COLLEGE - Course Outline Date: September 19, 1991

Soc. 32: JAPANESE PEOPLE, BEHAVIOR & CULTURE
Thursdays, 6:30-9:45 pm, GE 121
Instructor: George Wilson (Daytime TEL. 415/434-0800)


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Content of Class Meetings: Class meetings will consist of lectures; discussion; student presentations; and audio-visual resources.

Required Readings: Required readings for the course will be from the textbook, UNDERSTANDING JAPANESE SOCIETY, as indicated. The instructor will also provide certain xeroxed materials during class meetings for additional reading.

Grading: The final grade will be based on --

Classroom participation & discussion 15%
(Attendance is mandatory. Each student will be required to make a 10-minute oral presentation of an aspect of Japanese culture.)

Midterm 35%

Final 50%

Testing: The midterm and final exams will be made up of multiple choice, true-false, short answer and essay questions. (Essays will be required to meet the minimum San Jose City College length of 3 well-developed paragraphs.)

Office Hours: The instructor will generally be available by telephone to answer questions during weekday mornings at (415) 434-0800, as well as during the 20-minute break in the middle of each class meeting (at approximately 7:45 pm). The instructor will also end class at around 9:30 p.m. to allow for 10 minutes of office hours.