

NAME OF LANGUAGE    JAPANESE		
Level	Previous knowledge entry requirement	Syllabus
<b>Beginner</b>	No previous knowledge required	<p><b>We will cover the following:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Hiragana &amp; Katakana</li> <li>- Identifying people and things (わたし は...です)</li> <li>- Asking questions using the question marker “か”</li> <li>- Nationalities and occupation</li> <li>- Greetings</li> <li>- Particle “の”</li> <li>- Numbers (0 up to 90000)</li> <li>- Asking about people’s phone numbers</li> <li>- Stating what an object is (これ...です)</li> <li>- Pronouns and noun modifiers (これ／それ／あれ...です)</li> <li>- Time</li> <li>- Asking about business hours</li> <li>- Shopping: how much things cost</li> <li>- Counting objects using counter suffix</li> <li>- Motion verbs (いきます／きます／かえります)</li> <li>- Time expressions</li> <li>- Dates in Japanese</li> <li>- Asking about people’s birthday</li> </ul>

<p><b>Elementary 1</b></p>	<p>This course is designed for students who have completed Beginner level or equivalent. Knowledge of Hiragana &amp; Katakana is ideal as the class will be taught only in Hiragana &amp; Katakana after a few lessons.</p>	<p><b>We will cover the following:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Existence of people and things (あります、います)</li> <li>- Positions</li> <li>- Asking and answering how many people/things are at a place</li> <li>- Asking and answering directions using a map</li> <li>- Verbs that take a grammatical object (みます、よみます、かいます etc)</li> <li>- Making suggestions (～しませんか?)</li> <li>- Make suggestions and offering for help (しましろう、しましろうか?)</li> <li>- Family members</li> <li>- Adjectives</li> <li>- Giving and receiving verbs</li> <li>- Preference and desire</li> </ul>
<p><b>Elementary 2</b></p>	<p>This course is designed for students who have completed Elementary 1 level or equivalent. No previous knowledge of Kanji is required.</p>	<p><b>We will cover the following:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Adjective + なります (indicating a change: to become)</li> <li>- Desire (～たいです)</li> <li>- Te form</li> <li>- Reason (～から)</li> <li>- Asking permission (てもいいですか、てはいけません)</li> <li>- Degree adverbs (とても、ちょっと)</li> <li>- Nai form (Please don't)</li> <li>- Comparison</li> </ul>