

Centre for Continuing Education

Beginning Japanese 2

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For those who have completed Beginning Japanese 1 or similar study. We will extend your knowledge and skills developed in level 1 and establish a basis for further study in the Japanese language and culture.

See detailed outline enclosed.

NB There is no textbook used for this course. Jun will provide handouts in class.

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DATES/TIMES: 6-8pm on 12 Thursdays from 24 July

FEE: \$349

COURSE LOCATION: The venue for this course can be found on your tax invoice/receipt under "Course Information". Please allow enough time to locate your course venue on the first evening.

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- Lesson 1** Exchanging various greetings in Japanese
Japanese writing characters
self-introduction
Language necessities (please say it again. etc)
- Lesson 2** Daily schedule (Verb, Time expressions)
Writing a diary
Question words (who, what, how, etc)
- Lesson 3** V tai form
Complain in Japanese
Asking friends out
Express what you want to do/eat/drink etc
Culture - Origami
- Lesson 4** V dictionary form
Express what you can do
Talk about family (family words, describe people's personality etc)
Talk about your hometown
- Lesson 5** V dictionary form
Express what you like to do/dislike to do
Culture – Can Japanese people say 'no'?
How to order in restaurants
- Lesson 6** V nai form
Express prohibition
Give advice - you shouldn't miss this class!
Comparison
Culture – Annual event in Japan
- Lesson 7** plan holiday in Japan
Express 'we decided...' 'we're planning to do...' 'We're thinking of going...' etc
Culture – sightseeing in Japan
- Lesson 8** Verb potential form 'I can speak Japanese!!'
Buying Japanese souvenirs
Ask direction
Catch the correct train/ buy train ticket

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Lesson 9 Verb te form
Present progressive 'I'm studying Japanese now'
Express request
Express permission
giving and receiving
Culture – gift giving in Japan

Lesson 10 Verb ta form
Asking and giving advice
Seeing a doctor in Japan
Telling reasons
Culture – eating manner in Japan

Lesson 11 Verb ta form
Talking about experience – let's show off!
Talking about future dream
Polite expression in Japanese language
Culture – Japanese gesture

Lesson 12 Giving/receiving favour
Polite expression in Japanese
How to write a Christmas card in Japanese

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