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JAPN_V 200 - Beginning Japanese II A

This course is designed to develop students' basic communicative competence in speaking, listening to, reading and writing modern Japanese. Emphasis is placed on active command of the language, rather than passive knowledge. We will focus on developing accuracy and fluency in basic grammatical structures of Japanese and the functional use of language in daily life situations.

You will have acquired an ample grounding in more complex basic grammar and the essential skills necessary to function in various daily life and social situations, and increased your awareness of the sociolinguistic aspects of the Japanese language. You will be able to handle a variety of topics using more complex structures to describe things, indicate facts, report hearsay and conjecture, and discuss wishes. You will feel more at ease communicating in unrehearsed contexts.

Credit will be granted for only one of JAPN 200 or JAPN 102 or JAPN 260. Recommended pre-requisite: one of JAPN 101, JAPN 150, JAPN 160.

Mode of Delivery: Online

Sample Readings

Eri Banno et al. 2020. Genki II (3rd edition) Tokyo: The Japan Times.

Eri Banno et al. 2020. Genki II (3rd edition) Workbook Tokyo: The Japan Times.

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