

Japanese for Tourists

Training Course Japanese for Tourists

Course Language English

Course Duration Total Number of hours 36

Course Objectives

Thinking of travelling to Japan? If so, this course is for you!

This course will prepare you for various situations that tourists may encounter in Japan and **teach you useful Japanese expressions for these situations**. The course also introduces the geography, climate, local traditional culture and food culture of Japan.

Course Content

Lesson 1 Introduction to Japan: Land and its language/ Basic greetings & response phrases / Daily set phrases

Lesson 2 A Guide to Japanese Social Etiquette and Manners

Lesson 3 Japanese Life and Annual Events: customs and tradition

Lesson 4 Types of accommodations and understanding and using public transportation (trains, subways, buses)

Lesson 5 Japanese Food and Dining / How to use chopsticks / Some common dining etiquette violations

Lesson 6 Shopping and Money

Lesson 7 Visiting Shrine and Temples / Religion and festivals

Lesson 8 Sightseeing and popular cultural activities in Japan

Lesson 9 Emergency / Health and Safety

Lesson 10 Role-playing exercises to enhance speaking skills

Lesson 11 What is your travel plan?

Lesson 12 Review and topics on demand

At the end of the program the trainees will be able to:

Basic Conversational Skills:

Engaging in simple conversations, such as greetings, asking for directions, and ordering food.

Travel-Related Vocabulary:

Acquire essential vocabulary related to travel, such as, accommodation, dining, shopping, and sightseeing.

Cultural Awareness:

Understanding of Japanese customs, etiquette, and social norms, especially those relevant to travelers.

Learning Outcomes

Absolute beginners

- Anyone with an interest in Japan and the Japanese language is welcome to participate.
- You will study basic grammar along with phrases useful for tourism, making this course suitable even for those who want to study Japanese as a hobby. If you wish to continue studying Japanese more seriously after this course, please take Japanese 1 .

Target Audience

Textbook: Handouts will be provided

- The course makes extensive use of beautiful, up-to-date visual and audio material.
- Various role-plays are carried out using the phrases learned
- **The materials for this class are written in Romanized Japanese (romaji), so it's not a problem if you can't read hiragana.**

Course Material /Technology used/ Details Relevant to the course.

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