



JAPANESE LANGUAGE PROGRAM

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**JAPANESE CORRESPONDENCE COURSE
with ONLINE READING LESSONS**

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Have you ever had any troubles living in Japan?



- Cannot read signboards or information in stations and streets, or menus in restaurants
- Cannot communicate with people when shopping or working
- Do not have time to go and take Japanese lessons...etc.

In order to acquire truly useful Japanese skills, you will need reading, writing and communication abilities.

The Kumon Japanese Language Program helps you gain Japanese proficiency through:

- ① Home study using worksheets and audio
- ② Online reading lessons twice a month

Appeal of the worksheet study

You can acquire Japanese reading and writing abilities that will help you to communicate.

Appeal of the correspondence learning

You can study anywhere, anytime, at your own pace.



And there is more!

Appeal of the online reading lessons

You can meet your instructor online and take one-on-one lessons.



Japanese

Our instructors



Let's enjoy learning!

Mr. Ebisawa

By mastering a foreign language, you will have the pleasure of understanding each other despite the differences in culture or circumstance.

I want my students to enjoy their lives in Japan by being able to communicate with Japanese people and experience Japanese culture. I'm sure your life will change dramatically by learning Japanese! It's never too late to start something new! I look forward to supporting your study with KUMON!



Would you like to study Japanese with me?

Ms. Yanagida

I came to know about this job of being a Kumon Japanese instructor when I was studying to become a Japanese language teacher. I

really feel happy as I can meet various students and help their study through my grading and instructing worksheets, and by providing online lessons.

My wish is to see all my students realize their goals and dreams in their Japanese study through Kumon. I also want to hear them say, "I'm glad that I chose Kumon."

Do you also want to join me to enjoy studying Japanese?

Student's comment



Roberto Sakakura

I began to study Japanese for various reasons.

One of them is that Japanese comprehension is necessary for me to work more effectively.

My boss and colleagues are all Japanese. When my boss assigned me a task, he used to explain to me using gestures. However, now he uses only Japanese when he asks me to do something. Also, when I'm not at my seat, my boss leaves me a memo written in Japanese telling me what he wants me to do.

I can communicate with others much faster than before!

The more I improved my reading and writing ability, the more effectively I could progress at work with my colleagues.

I could keep studying with the correspondence course thanks to my instructor's encouragement. In the online lessons, my instructor listens to my oral reading, and corrects my reading. She also answers my questions. Her support is surely a key reason for my improvement in Japanese.

(Mr. Sakakura started at the introductory level, and has now completed the final level.)



Dayse Harami Sasaya

I studied Japanese when I was little. But after I grew up and came to Japan, I realized that I could not remember much of the language and this is why I decided to study Japanese again with Kumon.

My motivation for learning Japanese is supported by my wish to understand the language better for my two children. Thanks to Kumon and my instructor, I am becoming more and more capable of doing things not only in daily life, but also at the nursery of my daughter or in hospitals and post offices, etc. I am happy about this.



Diane Bartolome

KUMON offers a flexible program for professionals who wish to study and learn Japanese but don't have the time to go visit a learning center. I like KUMON because I can study Japanese at my own pace. The worksheets are organized in such a way that you learn the basics first, and through

repetition, you understand and remember them by heart.

KUMON also includes stories to help you practice your reading comprehension while at the same time learn Japanese culture and traditions. My instructor always encourages me to continue studying despite my busy work schedule. I always look forward to our Skype lessons because I always learn something new.

KUMON increased my Japanese vocabulary and helped me understand grammar and proper sentence construction. I successfully passed N4 of JLPT last year!

My goal is to become fluent in both written and conversational Japanese. I believe that learning the Japanese language would open the door to understand Japanese history, culture and people.

**STUDY
THE MATERIAL**

Study at home
using worksheets
and the audio material.

Study Procedure

**RETURNING
WORKSHEETS**

Return worksheets
twice a month.

Correspondence Course with Online Reading Lessons

Online reading
lessons
using Skype.

**PRACTICE YOUR
READING ONLINE**

Receive worksheets
and correct mistakes.
Study new worksheets.

**RECEIVE YOUR
WORKSHEETS**

Features of Kumon Japanese Study

The learning materials are lined up in incremental steps from beginner to advanced levels.

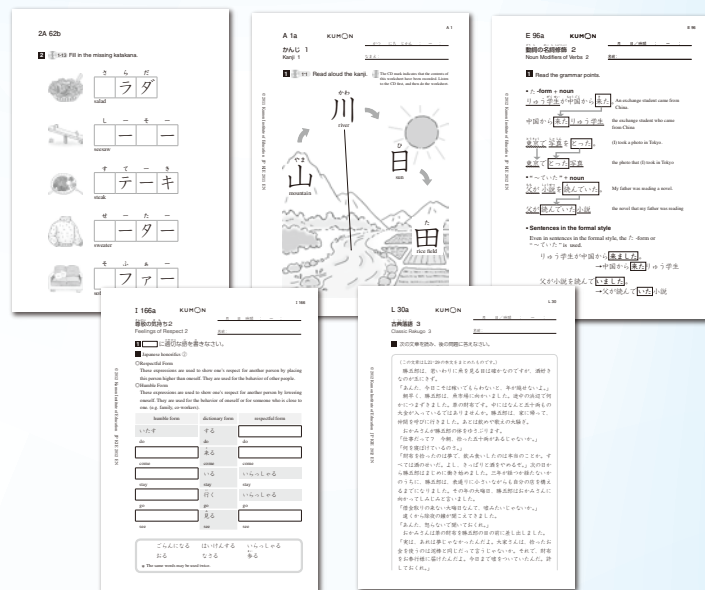
- ▶ Starting with the worksheet level that suits your current proficiency, you can acquire Japanese skills smoothly at your own pace.

You gain Japanese skills through worksheet study and online reading lessons.

- ▶ Through the worksheet study, you will acquire reading and writing abilities. In addition, by listening to the audio, you can improve your listening ability and learn the correct pronunciation.
- ▶ You can practice using the vocabulary and expressions that you have learned in the worksheets during the online reading lessons.

The roles of our instructors

- ▶ Our instructors are able to communicate in English, Portuguese, and Chinese.
- ▶ Our instructors will find out about your learning situation, and based on this, they will then give you appropriate advice about your study.
- ▶ They will answer any questions you might have during your worksheet study.



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You can also listen to the audio using your smartphone or PC.



How to Enroll

You can apply to enroll on the website.

<http://www.kumon.ne.jp/jpn/english>

Enter the following keywords,
and then click.

KUMON JAPANESE

SEARCH



Monthly tuition

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| Senior high school students and older (16 years old and above) | 10,260 yen |
| Junior high school students (13 to 15 years old) | 9,180 yen |
| Elementary school students (12 years old and under) | 8,100 yen |

- ▶ An enrollment fee is not required.
- ▶ The age segmentation is based on the Japanese school system.
- ▶ Consumption tax and the learning materials fee are included in the tuition fee.
- ▶ The postage costs from the student to the instructor / Kumon Japanese as a Foreign Language Department shall be covered by the student.

What You Need for the Online Reading Lessons

- The usage of Skype
- Web camera
- Headset

Please prepare your PC,
Skype, web camera,
and headset by yourself.



If you don't wish to join the online reading lessons, you are free to just do the correspondence learning.

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