

# Japanese Lessons 2015

## Term 1 Schedule

■To students and instructors:

\*Each class has 20 sessions, and will be using the “Minna no Nihongo I” or the “Minna no Nihongo II” textbooks (2625 yen for the book, comes with a CD). As well, there will be themed lessons on various topics such as seasons and life in Tokushima. Classes are from 10:30-12:00.

DAY	TEACHER	LEVEL	CLASS DESCRIPTION	
TUE	Ms. Motoki	Elementary 1	We will study various verb forms and sentence patterns using those verb forms. Text: Minna no Nihongo I – from Chapter 14	From 4/7
WED	Volunteers	Group Lesson	This is a flexible group study class split up in different levels. *For parents of young children, a childcare worker will be on hand to look after your child during the lesson (please inquire in advance). Due to unforeseen circumstances, the rooms may change.	From 4/8
THU	Ms. Yamada	Elementary 3	We will study reasoning, causative, passive voice, and honorific expressions. Text: Minna no Nihongo II – from Chapter 38	From 4/9
FRI	Ms. Aoki	Beginner	We will take the first step towards learning basic expressions. Text: Minna no Nihongo I – from Chapter 1	From 4/10
SUN	JTM	Elementary 2	We will study various verb forms and complex expressions. Text: Minna no Nihongo II – from Chapter 26	From 4/5
	Volunteers	Group Lesson	This is a flexible group study class split up in different levels.	

\* Please register for Group Lessons at least a day before class (if you do not sign up in advance and show up on the day of class, we may not be able to find you a group to study with). As the number of groups are limited we may not always be able to form a group that fits your level.

\* If you are unable to attend class, please call and let us know.

THU	Ms. Kimura, others	Special Beginners Class	A class for those who cannot read or write hiragana or katakana. We will study the basics such as, the Japanese alphabet, greetings, numbers, and items. We will also be learning about Tokushima.	You may join at anytime
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April 11, 18 (Sat): 13:00-16:10 April 25 (Sat): 10:30-12:00 & 13:00-16:10 April 29 (Wed / Holiday): 13:00-16:10	JTM	Intensive (4 days)	A class for those who have completed the Elementary level classes or for those who have lived in Japan for a while and can already engage in daily life conversations. We will review and study grammar and expressions taught in the elementary level classes. (For parents of young children, a childcare worker will be on hand to look after your child during the lesson. Please inquire in advance.) (Please apply until the 28 <sup>th</sup> of March. All lessons are <b>free</b> of charge.)	
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2. Fee All classes are **free** this year (we would like to provide Japanese lessons to as many people as we can).  
Classes may be cancelled due to inclement weather such as typhoons, heavy rain, or snow. Please confirm by calling TOPIA at 088-656-3303.