



Welcome to Japan 134

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# Teaching Staff

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Let's say "hello" to your instructor in Japanese!

When you address to your teacher, say  
LAST NAME + Sensee

# Teaching Staff



- Quiz Sections (10:50-1:00)
- Graduate Teaching Assistants
  - Section A DeTora, Benjamin
  - Section B Ding, Jamie
  - Section C Ma, Sihan



DeTora-sensee

Ma-sensee

Ding-sensee



# Read Syllabus

- [https://courses.washington.edu/jlang134/Japan134\\_S2022/Japan134\\_home.htm](https://courses.washington.edu/jlang134/Japan134_S2022/Japan134_home.htm)
- Important Dates:
  - 6/30, 7/12, 21, 8/1, 10,, 19... Exams
  - No Final Exam
  - Course Project (Details will be announced later.)
  - Quizzes (Characters, Vocabulary, Grammar)
  - Course Schedule at a glance ... Canvas (subject to modification)

# Canvas

- (<https://canvas.uw.edu/courses/1557192>)

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Summer 2022


























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## JAPAN 134 A Su 22: First-Year Intensive Japanese


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
Japan 134 covers the entire first-year Japanese course contents. We cover the entire Genki 1 (3rd edition) in 9 weeks. Before the course, you can start learning one of the basic Japanese characters (Hiragana) by watching [PREVIEW videos](#).

Click the link to move to each module.

 <a href="#">Course Info</a>	 <a href="#">Grammar Videos</a>	 <a href="#">Quizzes</a>	 <a href="#">Character Quizzes</a>	 <a href="#">Vocabulary Quizzes</a>	 <a href="#">Lecture Slides/Video</a>	 Video Project
 <a href="#">Chapter 1</a>	 <a href="#">Chapter 2</a>	 <a href="#">Exam 1</a>	 <a href="#">Chapter 3</a>	 <a href="#">Chapter 4</a>	 <a href="#">Exam 2</a>	
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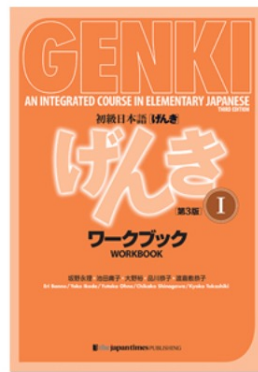
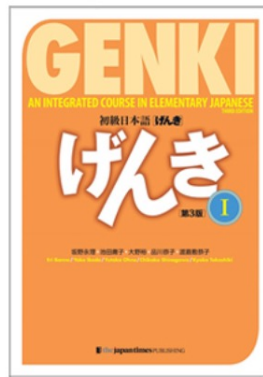
### To Do

-  Lecture 20 Exercises  
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-  Hiragana Preview  
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# Textbook, Workbook

## げんき 1

(1 課～12 課)



テキスト 1    ワークブック 1    音声  
(テキストワークブック)

Course Packet: Canvas



# Who can be in this course?



I took the placement test but scored only 4 points...

I know a few Japanese phrases because I was in Japan but ...



I have never studied Japanese...



# Who can not be in this course?



I took Japanese course in high school for a few years...

I lived in Japan so I can converse in Japanese...



I grew up speaking Japanese at home..





# Class Policy





How this course  
is taught?

- Lecture (8:30-10:40)
  - Grammar/Kanji Video in advance
  - Lecture will start at 8:30am
  - Quizzes will be given either at the end of the lecture period or quiz section period



How this course  
is taught?

- Quiz Section (10:50-1:00)
  - Section A:
  - Section B:
  - Section C:

# How to submit your work

- Homework:
  - Workbook, Worksheet ... turn in quiz section
    - Please check your answers before submission
  - Online quizzes ... complete online
- Quizzes
  - Answer sheets will be provided. Either at lecture or in quiz section (see announcements)
- Exams
  - Exams will be given in person



# Lecture and quiz section



- Lecture: introduced new materials, general group practice, quizzes
- Quiz section: oral/aural practice (speaking hearing) in a small group setting

Try using Poll  
Everywhere...

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Then,



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Text **KAORUOHTA774** to **37607** once to join, then **A, B, C, D, E...**



## W What is your status at UW?

freshman

A

sophomore

B

junior

C

senior

D

graduate student

E

non-matriculated

F

Total Results: 0

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## W What is your status at UW?

- freshman **A**
- sophomore **B**
- junior **C**
- senior **D**
- graduate student **E**
- non-matriculated **F**

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# Writing in Japanese



James D. McCawley

that the dictionaries of Japanese are so much better: when I need information about the meaning, usage, and pronunciation of Japanese words, I can consult works that give me relatively easy access (easy, at least in relation to the obstacles that are posed by what is without doubt the world's screwiest writing system) to detailed and reliable information about the words. And when I use Japanese dictionaries, whether bi-

Forward in P. Constantine "Japanese Street Slang"

# Japanese Writing System

- Syllabary, not alphabet ... 46 characters
  - Hiragana あいうえお
  - Katakana アイウエオ
- Kanji (Sino-Japanese Characters) ... unlimited

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- Romanized Japanese (Roomaji)
  - Hepburn Style
    - ta chi tsu te to
  - Kunrei Style
    - ta ti tu te to
- Numerals
  - Arabic
  - Roman

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# Japanese syllables

- Five vowels
- Two syllabic consonants
- Consonant + Vowel
- Each syllable is represented by a Kana
  - Hiragana ... used in ordinary writing
  - Katakana ... limited use (to be discussed later)



## Hiragana for Vowels

- Vowels

- a
- i
- u
- e
- o

- Hiragana

- あ
- い
- う
- え
- お

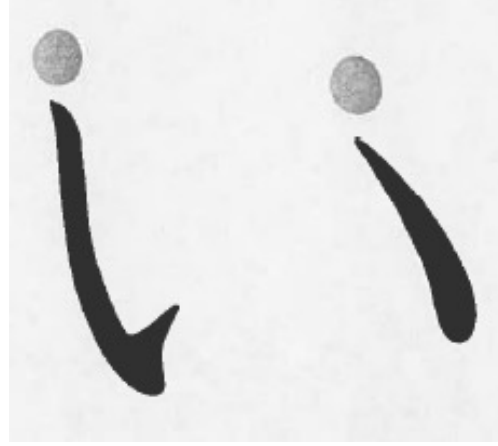
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え

い

お

う



k + vowels

- ka    • か
- ki    • き / き
- ku    • く
- ke    • け
- ko    • こ

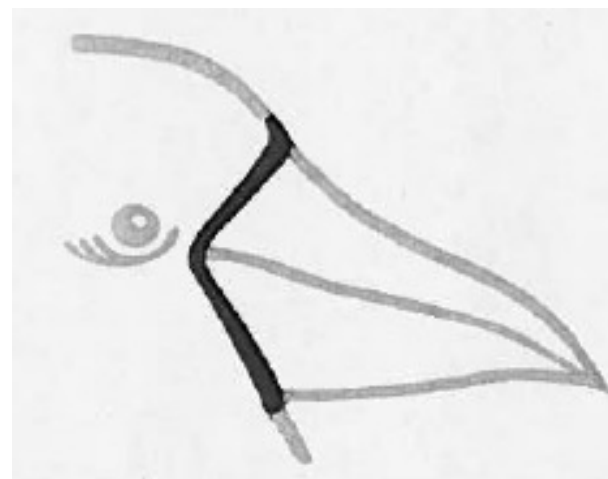
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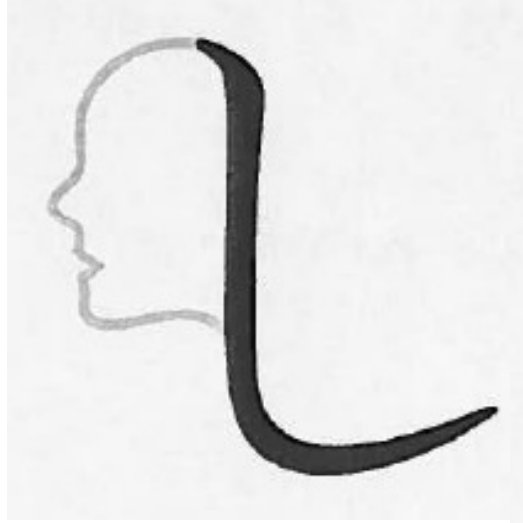
# S + Vowels

- sa
- si → “shi”
- su
- se
- so

- さ / さ
- し
- す
- せ
- そ

さ し す

せ そ





Hiragana  
Review: よ  
んでくださ  
い。

- あかい
- うそ
- いきさき
- すし
- かお
- せかい
- くさい
- けさ
- おかし
- きあい

- a-ka-i
- u-so
- i-ki-sa-ki
- su-shi
- ka-o
- se-ka-i
- ku-sa-i
- ke-sa
- o-ka-shi
- ki-a-i

t + vowel

•ta

•ti = chi

•tu = tsu

•te

•to

•た

•ち

•つ

•て

•と

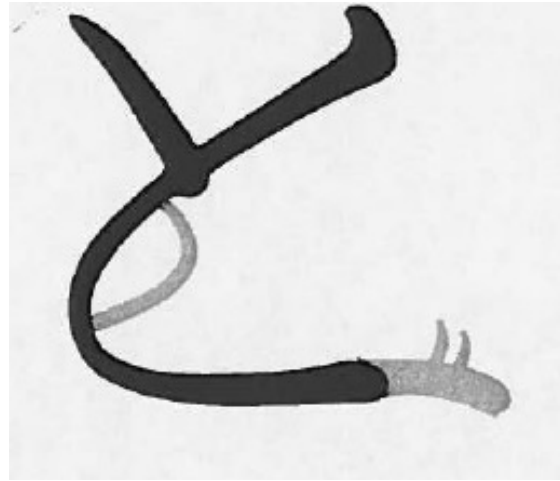
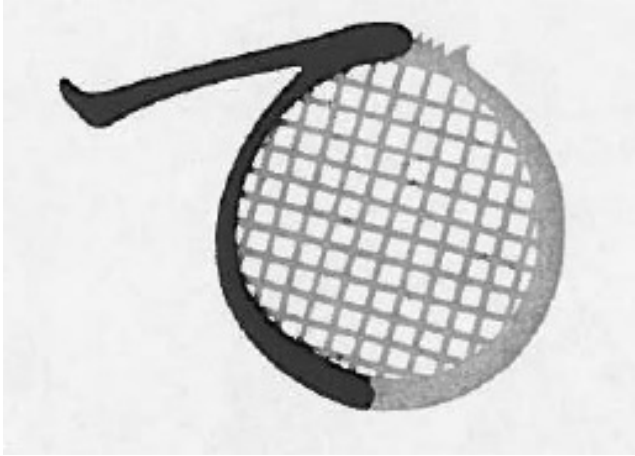
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n + vowel

•na

•な

•ni

•に

•nu

•ぬ

•ne

•ね

•no

•の

な

ね

に

の

ぬ



h + vowel

- |           |     |
|-----------|-----|
| • ha      | • は |
| • hi = çï | • ひ |
| • hu = fu | • ふ |
| • he      | • へ |
| • ho      | • ほ |

は

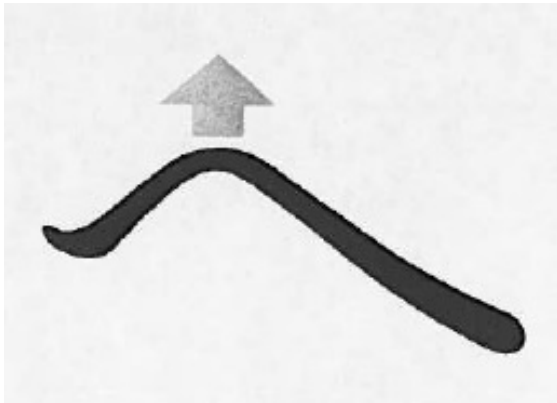
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Hiragana  
Review: よ  
んでくださ  
い。

- なに
- くち
- ねこ
- はなのえ
- へそ
- ほね
- にしき
- ひさく
- そふ
- てつ

- na-ni
- ku-chi
- ne-ko
- ha-na-no-e
- he-so
- ho-ne
- ni-shi-ki
- hi-sa-ku
- so-hu
- te-tsu