

Language Center

2017 LATE SUMMER JAPANESE, Level 1

Introductory level for complete beginners

Registration opens July 5

The course is designed to introduce elementary Japanese to students with no previous background in the language. Basic vocabulary, grammar and sentence structures will be taught in *romaji* (Japanese written phonetically in the Roman alphabet) so students can carry on a simple conversation. *Hiragana* and some introductory *kanji* will be introduced. Text: *Genki I* (Chapters 1, 2 & 3)

Japanese 1-A

Mondays & Wednesdays Aug. 7 – Sept. 6 (no 9/4) 6 – 8 pm Instructor: *Shio*

Japanese 1-B

Tuesdays & Thursdays Aug. 8 – Sept. 5 6 – 8 pm Instructor: *Miyashita*

Japanese 1-C

Mondays & Wednesdays Aug. 7 – Sept. 6 (no 9/4) 12 – 2 pm Instructor: *Shio*

INSTRUCTORS: All of the Language Center's instructors are native Japanese with extensive experience.

Ms. Mami Miyashita earned a Japanese Teaching License in Japan, a certificate of Teaching Japanese as a Foreign Language from The Ohio State University and a master's degree from West Chester University. She has worked in foreign language education for more than twenty years, including at the University of Delaware from 1999 to 2005.

Ms. Atsuko Shio has a bachelor's degree in Pharmaceutical Sciences from Hoshi University in Tokyo. She is a graduate of Japan Society's Teacher Training Program and has been a teaching assistant since November 2015.

TEXTBOOKS:

Japanese Level 1 will use the following textbook, available for purchase at Japan Society at a discounted price.
GENKI I (An Integrated Course in Elementary Japanese), published by The Japan Times: \$45.00 (includes NY State Sales Tax)

PLEASE NOTE:

Tuition is non-refundable and non-transferable (including for credit) for any reason after 12 pm, the business day before your class starts. All refunds are subject to a \$20 service charge, including those requested by the deadline date. No partial registration or auditing is permitted. Please note that cancellations are accepted by phone or in person only. Cancellations via e-mail *are not* accepted.

HOW TO REGISTER:

1. **Classes fill up quickly!** To guarantee a seat in the class, please register as soon as possible. Acceptance will be acknowledged by email, phone or letter.
2. **Tuition:** Japan Society members **\$260**; Non-members **\$300**

