

書道
2021 Spring Shodō
 (Japanese Calligraphy - Online)



Shodō Kana:	Fridays, Jan. 29 – Apr. 2 <i>Course work begins <u>Jan. 25</u></i>	2:00 – 3:00 pm*	(10 weeks)	Barringer
Shodō Kanji:	Fridays, Jan. 29 – Apr. 2 <i>Course work begins <u>Jan. 25</u></i>	3:15 – 4:15 pm*	(10 weeks)	Barringer

**The above times are only the course meeting times. There will be individual work and correspondence with the instructor outside of these times. See schedule below.*

Please Note: These courses will be conducted online via Zoom, and are a temporary substitute for our in-person courses due to COVID-19. To participate fully, you will need access to a device with internet, microphone, and camera (such as a laptop, smartphone, or tablet). Please note that all times listed are New York time (ET/UTC-04:00).

Further instructions will be emailed to you the business day before your class begins.

Prerequisite: *students must have previously enrolled in at least 1 course (5+ lessons) of Shodō at Japan Society. (If you do not fit this prerequisite but have significant previous experience with Japanese calligraphy, please contact us at language@japansociety.org.)*

SCHEDULE:

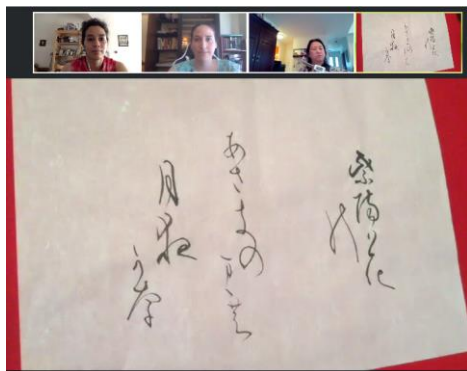
There are two areas of emphasis; kana or kanji. Please sign up for the one that is applicable for you. This course will consist of self-study, instructor-student dialogue, and instructor demonstration. The structure for both courses is as follows:

Assignment Sample: by Monday prior to the class

The instructor will correspond with students (by email) about an assignment sample. Students will work individually and submit the completed assignment by the due date (see below). **Please note, this will begin on Jan. 25**, prior to the first class meeting on Jan. 29.

Sample Due Date: by Friday at 10 am ET

Students submit their assignment to the instructor via email (ideally in a .pdf file). The instructor will email feedback to each student by Friday morning/afternoon at the latest.



Class Meeting: Friday at 2 pm (Kana) or Friday at 3:15 pm (Kanji)

Students will meet with the instructor on Zoom. The instructor will review key points and details from that week's sample for the first 5-10 minutes, and then for the rest of class will work with students individually on technique, etc. This will happen with everyone in the same Zoom meeting, so students will also hear/see feedback given to other students. We recommend that while not working directly with the instructor, students may practice the ideas introduced at the start of class and the sample assignment. The instructor may visit each student more than once to work with them.

Further details will be provided upon registration for the course.

INSTRUCTORS:

Megumi Barringer 雅号：修佳 (Shuka), a licensed Japanese calligrapher since 1997 by Nihon Sogo Shogeiin in Japan, has taught calligraphy for 20 years in Japan and in Princeton, New Jersey. She teaches at Princeton Community Japanese Language School, Princeton University and at her own private studio.

SHODŌ SUPPLIES:

Students are required to purchase their own materials for at home use.

Shodō materials include: brush, ink (liquid or ink stone and stick), a felt pad, and a paperweight. Hanshi paper if you have it, or printer copy paper will be fine as well.

Devices include: a computer, tablet, smart phone which has a camera, microphone, and speaker. If you have two devices and a stand for phone/tablet, you might be able to configure a set up where the instructor can see you brush strokes live (not required).

If you need assistance acquiring Shodō materials or further information, please email language@japansociety.org.

TUITION:

Early Bird (thru January 6th) Japan Society members: \$270

Early Bird (thru January 6th) Non-members: \$310

Japan Society members: \$280

Non-members: \$320

Registrants will receive course information by email from language_inquiries@japansociety.org or language@japansociety.org on the afternoon of Friday, Jan. 22, 2021

REGISTRATION:

Registration may be completed online (recommended) or by phone at (212) 715-1269. At the moment, we are only taking payment in the form of credit or debit cards (no checks or cash).

Class size is limited. Acceptance will be acknowledged by email.

Tuition is non-refundable and non-transferable (including for credit) for any reason after 12 pm noon, on Friday, January 22, 2021, the business day before your course work starts. All refunds are subject to a \$5 service charge, including those requested by the deadline date. No partial registration or auditing is permitted. Please note that cancellations are accepted by phone only. Cancellations via e-mail *are not* accepted. Japan Society reserves the right to cancel any course or workshop if sufficient enrollment is not obtained. In such a case, students already enrolled will receive full refunds.

By registering for a course, I accept and agree to the above terms of the cancellation policy. I also verify that the student taking this workshop is 16 years or older.

ご質問は language@japansociety.org までご連絡ください。電話でのご登録を希望される方は、クレジットカードをご用意の上、212-715-1269 までご連絡ください。