



(16 companies and 1 medical corporation)

Real estate and finance businesses

**Housing support** 

Medical welfare businesses

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Shibuya LALL Japanese Language School is a new Japanese language school that will be opening in October 2017 in Hatagaya, Shibuya-ku, Tokyo. The school is operated by the LALL Group, a corporate group consisting of 16 companies and a medical corporation, the school will be committed to supporting foreign students' studies, life in Japan, academic careers, and work opportunities.

"Live and Let Live" is the philosophy of the LALL Group. This signifies our goal of facilitating a society in which all generations, from the young to seniors, can live in mutual harmony. Though our activities have thus far been mainly inside of Japan, we have taken our "Live and Let Live" vision to the global stage so that it transcends ethnicities and nationalities. The establishment of the Shibuya LALL Japanese Language School represents a tangible manifestation of that vision. By providing the young people of countries the world over with a venue for learning about the Japanese language and Japanese culture and thereby deepening mutual understanding, our desire is to develop individuals to take on the task of bringing together others around the world in the realms of business and

President (LALL Group Representative)



I have over 20 years of experience as a Japanese instructor in Japanese language education at not only Japanese language schools but also at locations such as universities and training

To the full extent possible, I hope to provide our students with opportunities for direct engagement with the various aspects of Japanese culture.

In addition, I will strive to make this a school that always attempts new initiatives for the purpose of providing our students with a fulfilling school life free of stress and enabling them to achieve the respective goals they set for themselves.





KAORU KATO





Located a five-minute walk from Hatagava Station on the Keio New Line, our school provides the finest learning environment for foreign students, as this guiet residential community within the big city is a place that affords the opportunity for focused study. As the school is located closest to Hatagaya Station, which offers access to Shinjuku Station via a four-minute train ride as well as access to Shibuva Station in about 15 minutes by either train or bus, this is a very convenient location for commuting, shopping, and working part-time.







Free Space

# The Seven Ways We Support Our Students

The school has experienced faculty members and a clerical staff that will provide students with support that makes possible for them to study in Japan with peace of mind. And this support is further fortified by the LALL Group, which provides extensive assistance in non-academic areas as well, such as housing and health care.

### **Academic Career** Support **Support**

with customized advice

# **Health Care Support**

Students are eligible to receive medical care at the hospital of the LALL Group. As students are enrolled in an insurance policy, there is no need to worry about costs for treatment.

# **Working Opportunity**

tudents who seek career paths in an applicant can achieve success in an

# **Housing Support**

Students are provided with referrals to student dormitories that are affiliated with the school as well as to housing in the ector. The LALL Group include a real estate company that will ass students in their search for housing.

# **Learning Support**

We give each and every student an individual interview on a regular basis in order to assess individual learning progress and provide the appropri

# **Language Support**

Our language support services are in English, Vietnamese, and Chinese. We have Vietnamese and Chinese nationals on staff who have experience in study

# **Community Life** Support



# Courses, Curriculum, Academic Year Schedule

Textbooks Used



**Preparation** Course for Advanced Study Geared for those seeking advancement to Japanese universities, graduate schools, vocational schools or other academic institutions, this course includes Japanese language instruction from the beginning to the advanced levels. It also includes instruction in how to pass certification testing, interview, and otherwise successfully complete the testing process required for academic advancement

Student visa

Duration of the course (month of enrollment)

2 years (April) or 18 months (October)

5 days a week Mon. through Fri. with morning classes 8:45 a.m. to 12 p.m. and afternoon classes 1:15 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Learning **Outcomes** 

- Students become proficient in practical Japanese language skills through instruction that features an optimal balance of the four basic skills: reading, writing, speaking,
- · Students learn what it takes to become a self-motivated learner.
- · Instruction is oriented toward maximizing a capacity for accepting and valuing other cultures while also maintaining a healthy appreciation of the learner's own identity



# Introductory Class I 3 months

Students master greetings and the simple conversation skills needed for daily situations. Hiragana and katakana reading and writing are also mastered.

[Kanji] About 150 characters [Vocabulary] About 1,000 words [Writing] Written work of about 200

characters in length [Reading comprehension] Text of about 200 characters in length

Minna no Nihongo Svokvu I

Story de oboeru Kanji 300Minna no Nihongo Shokyu I Kanji Rensyu

Introductory Class II 3 months

Students master the simple conversation skills needed for daily situations

[Kanji] About 300 characters [Vocabulary] About 2,000 words [Writing] Written work of about 400 characters in length

JLPT N4

Main Materials Used [Reading comprehension] Text of Minna no Nihongo Svokvu II about 300 characters in length Minna no Nihongo Shokyull Kanji Rensyucho

# **Elementary Intermediate Class**

Students develop conversational ability that enables somewhat natural speed in communicating in daily situations, as well as reading comprehension skills almost at Intermediate Japanese

[Kanji] About 450 characters [Vocabulary] About 2,500 words [Writing] Written work of about 600 characters in length JLPT N3

Main Materials Used Chukvu he ikou ■Story de oboeru Kanji II 301~500

## Intermediate Class | 3 months

Students become capable of understanding simple texts about general topics and abstract concepts, as well as aural comprehension of the same. They will also be able to think about the sentence. structure to state their own thoughts and feelings and explain things. [Kanji] About 700 characters

[Vocabulary] About 3,500 words [Writing] Written work of about 800 characters in length .II PT N2

Main Materials Used

Chukvu wo manabou Ryugakusei no tameno Kanji Chukyu 700
Shin kanzen master bunpou N2

#### Curriculum

### Intermediate Class II 3 months

Students become capable of understanding general topics and abstract concepts in the written and spoken word.

[Kanji] About 850 characters

[Vocabulary] About 6,000 words [Writing] Written work of about 400 characters in length

(short essays) JLPT N2

Main Materials Used Chukyu wo manabou Ryugakusei no tameno Kanji Joukyu 1000

## **Advanced Intermediate Class**

Students become capable of generally understanding newspaper articles and simple commentary as well as aurally comprehending the news.

Summer vacation

[Kanji] About 1,000 characters [Vocabulary] About 8,000 words [Writing] Written work of about 600 characters in length (short essays)

Main Materials Used

Manabou! Nihongo Chujyokyu Ryugakusei no temeno Kanji Jyokyu1000 Shin kanzen master N1 Gram

## Advanced Class I 3 months

Students become capable of generally understanding newspaper articles and commentary that cover a wide variety of topics. They will also be able to comprehend extended conversation and news delivered at a natural speed and to state their own thoughts and feelings.

[Kanji] About 1,500 characters [Vocabulary] About 10,000 words [Writing] Written work of about 600 characters in length (logical essays)

Main Materials Used

Ryugakusei no temeno jidai wo yomitoku Jyokyu Nihongo Shin kanzen master N1 Kanji

December

### Advanced Class II 3 months

Students will be capable of fully understanding newspaper articles and commentary that cover a wide variety of topics. They will also be able to fully comprehend extended conversation and news delivered at a natural speed and to state their own thoughts and feelings. Conversation mastery will be at a near-native level and students will have the ability to write essay logically.

[Kanji] About 2,000 characters [Vocabulary] Comprehension of vocabulary and expressions in specialized fields

Ryugakusei no temeno jidai wo yomitoku Jyokyu Nihongo Shin kanzen master N1 Kanji

Nihonhunka wo vomu

Academic and Career Paths Those who have completed econdary education in their

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Vocational school junior college, university

Employment

Shibuya LALL

Japanese Language Schoo Vocational school

graduate school

**Employment** 

# **Academic**



Outdoor learning program, medical examination Golden Week holidays

Midterm exams learning counseling Examination for Japanese University Admission for International Students (EJU)

Academic and

career consultation

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**Proficiency Test** 

Language

(JLPT)

uaust September

Final exams

October

learning counseling

ceremony (October students) Orientation academic and career briefing

Enrollment Admission for

Medical examination Examination for Japanese University International Students

exchange event

**November** 

Midterm exams learning counseling Japanese-Languag Proficiency Test (JLPT

Outdoor learning program

day trip

Speech contest

Graduation ceremony final exams study/academic and career counseling

March

# **Year Schedule**

#### What happens if I become ill or get in an accident?

Upon admission to the school, all students enroll in the National Health Insurance program. This insurance covers 70% of treatment costs for illness and injury. The insurance premium is 20,000 ven per year. Students are also enrolled in insurance for international students. This provides compensation for the 30% of treatment costs that is not paid for by National Health Insurance. The insurance premium is 10.000 ven annually

### Are there student dormitories?

Those who request such will be provided with referrals to student dormitories that are affiliated with the school as well as housing in the private

Those who want to search for housing on their own will be assisted by the real estate company of the LALL Group for a nominal fee. Many students opt to live in a dormitory until getting used to life in Japan. At that point, they move to location of their choice.

#### Is it possible for students to work part-time?

An Extra-status Activity Permit needs to be acquired by those wishing to work part-time. Once acquired, the permit will allow the student to work up to 28 hours per week (up to 8 hours a day during extended breaks). Hourly wages in Tokyo are around 900 yen. Those wishing to work will be eligible for referrals by the school to positions made available by businesses affiliated with the school.

#### What are the approximate living expenses per month?

Though it differs from individual to individual. living expenses range from 50,000 to 80,000 yen per month, not including rent and utilities. For example, food expenses can be 20,000-30,000 yen, mobile phone charges 5,000 yen, transportation costs 10,000 yen, and spending money 20,000-30,000 yen.

#### Will the school assist me in finding a job?

For students who opt to start their career rather than seek academic advancement, the school offers support in the finer points of successfully finding employment. This includes instruction on how to create a resume and tips for having a successful interview. In addition, career opportunities in the LALL Group are made available to students with distinguished grades and an exemplary learning attitude

#### Is there interaction with Japanese people?

Exchange event with the Japanese employees of the LALL Group are planned. This will give students the chance to make practical use of their Japanese skills while interacting with individuals who cover a wide age range



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