

Introduction to Japanese Language

Coursebook “Irodori”

The Japanese-language coursebook Irodori: Japanese for Life in Japan is a textbook made by The Japan Foundation for foreign people to learn basic Japanese communication skills that are needed for daily life and working in Japan. We would highly recommend you make the most of this textbook before/after you come to Japan to increase your Japanese ability which helps your life in Japan, which makes your study in Japan more meaningful!

[Features]

○ Irodori increases what you can do in your daily life in Japan

○ Irodori allows you to learn **A1/A2 level Japanese**

(At A1 level, you can make greetings and communicate in a very simple way by using expressions that you have learned. At A2 level, you can hold short, basic everyday conversations on familiar topics.)

○ Irodori builds practical Japanese skills with plenty of **audio and authentic materials**

○ Irodori covers a variety of topics closely connected to everyday life

○ Irodori offers enough support to learn language knowledge, such as grammar and kanji

○ You can download Irodori online **for free**

○ Irodori aims for mutual understanding between people through communication and an understanding of culture

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