



# SAMPLE TEACHING AND LEARNING OUTLINE

JAPANESE: SECOND LANGUAGE

YEAR 7 (YEAR 7 - YEAR 10 SEQUENCE)

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Japanese: Second Language | Year 7 (Year 7 – Year 10 sequence) | Sample Teaching and Learning Outline

This sample teaching and learning outline provides one possible approach through which the Japanese: Second Language syllabus within the Western Australian Curriculum: Languages can be taught. Consistent with the rationale of the Languages curriculum, this outline supports students' ability to communicate proficiently in a language other than English, with essential communication skills in that language, an intercultural capability, and an understanding of the role of language and culture in human communication.

#### Time allocation on which the outline is based

Two hours of teaching per week, over one year

### Prior knowledge

The sample teaching and learning outline is based on the understanding that students begin their study of Japanese in secondary school with little to no prior experience of the Japanese language and culture. Many will have learnt an additional language in primary school and bring existing language learning strategies, textual knowledge and intercultural awareness to the new experience of learning Japanese. Skills in analysing, comparing and reflecting on language and culture in the languages are mutually supportive. More information related to this curriculum can be found in the Japanese: Second Language Year 7 to Year 10 syllabuses at <a href="https://k10outline.scsa.wa.edu.au/home/teaching/curriculum-browser/languages/japanese-7-10">https://k10outline.scsa.wa.edu.au/home/teaching/curriculum-browser/languages/japanese-7-10</a>.

This sample teaching and learning outline provides a range of suggested learning activities and assessment tasks, aligned to the curriculum, through which students can apply their acquisition of knowledge, understanding and skills to the focus. The focus provides a broad context through which the content is taught. The outline suggests:

- teaching vocabulary and grammatical elements that show the breadth and depth of language and align with the curriculum
- text types relevant to the learning activities and assessments
- language learning and communication strategies relevant to the focus
- learning activities and assessments from which teachers may choose, according to their class's interests and abilities
- resources suitable to the focus.

It is not expected that teachers administer all learning activities and assessments. It is at the teacher's discretion which of the suggestions are suitable for formative and/or summative assessments. It is also at the teacher's discretion to use other activities and assessments.

Communicating	Understanding	Suggested teaching and learning activities and assessments	Resources
Interact with peers and known adults orally and in writing to exchange information about self, family and friends and interests, for example,  ~先生、おはよう。; さようなら、サイモンさん。; じゃあね。nameです。おはようございます。こんにちは。はじめまして。どうぞよろしく。(with bowing and appropriate eye contact).わたしの ともだちは おもしろいです。;かぞく は	Recognise and reproduce features of the Japanese sound system, including pitch, accent, rhythm and intonation Become familiar with how sounds are produced and represented in the three different scripts katakana, hiragana and kanji  Pronounce all the sounds in the kana chart, including voiced and unvoiced sounds てんてん and まる, combined and long vowel sounds and double consonants, for example, たって and りょうり  Generate language for a range of purposes in simple spoken and written texts, by recognising and using context-related vocabulary and elements of the Japanese grammatical system, including:  understanding the rule that Japanese sentences end with a predicate and that there are three types of predicates, noun plus copula, adjective plus copula, and verb, for example,  subject は noun です。 subject は noun です。 subject は adjective です。 recognising that pronouns are used far less frequently in Japanese than in English  understanding and using a range of particles to perform different functions, for example,  が (subject, topic marker:  が好きです、〜がいます)  の (possession)  は (also)  understanding the role of sentence-ending particles, such as	Students exchange information about self – their name, age, where they live, their birthdate, nationality, family origin, what language(s) they speak, personality and physical appearance. They engage in introductory interactions by exchanging greetings and asking how others are. They follow frequently used classroom instructions.  Teaching  Teach and reinforce with students vocabulary and grammatical elements associated with:  • greetings and taking leave, for example, \$\frac{1}{8}\text{in} \text{ introducing oneself, for example, name \$\text{c}\$\text{ introducing oneself, for example, name \$\text{cr}\$\text{ introducing oneself, for example, name \$\text{cr}\$ introducing oneself, for example, information, for example, \$\text{ introducing oneself, introducin	Audiovisual texts  https://www.1happybirthday.com/birday_song_japan.php from 1HappyBirthday.com, Japanese Birthd Song Lyrics.  https://www.tofugu.com/japan/bowin-in-japan/ Tofugu website, Bowing in Japan and https://www.kcpinternational.com/207/10/bowing/, KCP International, Bowing in Japan. Bowing in the Japanese culture. The ins and outs of ojigi. The video gives explanation in English of circumstances when, why all how often ojigi is performed and make the point that ojigi is culturally very important.  https://www.tofugu.com/japanese/jikhoukai/ Tofugu, Your Step-by-Step Jikoshoukai Guide. Formal and informatintroductions in Japanese.  https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=lyhiKMoPzY Yokoso Japan. What does imean to be Japanese? Watch the vide and discuss the Japanese culture including symbols, for example, the flatwebsites  https://www.familyeducation.com/ba-names/browse-origin/first-name/japanese, familyeducation website, Japanese First Names or https://www.babychatter.com/, BabyChatter.com. List of common Japanese names.  https://japanesetranslator.co.uk/dictinaries/your-name-in-japanese/ Your Name in Japanese. How to translate

Focus -			
Communicating	Understanding	Suggested teaching and learning activities and assessments	Resources
Convey information and ideas from a range of texts related to aspects of their personal and social worlds, using different modes of presentation  Reflect on own and others' responses to interactions and intercultural experiences, and use these reflections to improve intercultural communication  Translate and interpret phrases and short texts from Japanese to English and vice versa, noticing which words or phrases translate easily and which do not  Reflect on experiences of learning and using another language, and share aspects of own identity, such as age, interests and family background, reflecting on how these impact on intercultural communication	as they appear before the verb and are accompanied by correct particles  understanding how to use い and な adjectives in the present tense in basic sentences, such as たのしいです。; ゆうめいです。 understanding and responding to formulaic expressions that use て form, such as 見て ください。; トイレに 行っても いい ですか creating cohesion and flow using conjunctions, for example, そして、 それから、 でも counting from 1 to 1000 一~千	For the learning activities and assessments selected, expose students to, and teach as required, the textual conventions of the following: animation, cue cards, description, dialogue, discussion form, interview, introduction, picture book table.  Language learning and communication strategies  Strategies relevant to this focus include:  using key words, context, visual cues, (including pictures and non-verbal signals) to guess meaning using mnemonics to learn the Japanese script hiragana and katakana developing different learning strategies to memorise vocabulary, for example, nouns, verbs or adjectives developing skills to work with people they do not know how to use a bilingual dictionary.  Learning activities and/or assessments In teaching the content, choose from the following and instruct/require students to: use greetings as a discussion for introducing the idea that there is no direct translation for certain vocabulary in Japanese, for example, the word こんとうは is used from around 10am until late afternoon; however, this word is literally translated as 'hello' or 'good afternoon' write and/or perform or record introductory dialogues explain the use of particles in the Japanese language, for example, は can be literally translated as 'is'/am', の indicates possession listen to phone numbers read aloud and write them in kanji prepare a set of questions and interview a class member to find out (five) things about them introduce themselves and provide aspects of personal information, orally and/or in writing listen to/read descriptions of people and respond by, for example, drawing, filling in a table or form use cue cards as prompts to speak and/or write as if they were another person prepare a written description of themselves so that when the descriptions are read (aloud) other students can attempt to guess their identity respond to classroom instructions using formulaic responses play games involving classroom vocabulary, numbers and/or instructions, for example, a simplified version of Simon Says using **	Nttps://www.education.vic.gov.au/lang uagesonline/japanese/resources.htm Interactive tasks and printable worksheets on a variety of topics. Some suitable for this Sample Teaching and Learning Outline include: Topic 1: Greetings Topic 2: What's your name? Topic 3: In class Topic 4: Numbers 1–10.  Assessments  Accessible on the School Curriculum and Standards Authority website どうぞよろしく! Douzoyoroshiku! Nice to meet you!

Focus - 私について			
Communicating	Understanding	Suggested teaching and learning activities and assessments	Resources
	Understand that Japanese, like all languages, varies according to participants, roles and relationships, situations and cultures  Explore the relationship between language and culture		

		Focus – 家族と友でち	
Communicating	Understanding	Suggested teaching and learning activities and assessments	Resources
nteract with peers and known adults orally and in writing to exchange information about self, family and friends and interests,	Recognise and reproduce features of the Japanese sound system, including pitch, accent, rhythm and intonation	Students exchange information about family and friends – relationships, others' appearance and personalities, occupations, places of work and pets. They learn expressions to request assistance or permission.	Audio visual texts  https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Xi
or example, - 芜菫、おはよう。; さようなら、サイ	Become familiar with how sounds are produced and represented in the three	Teaching  Teach and reinforce with students vocabulary and grammatical elements associated with:  introducing other people, for example, こちらは name さんです。	<u>IXIpf-n6k</u> How to introduce yourself in Japanese. The video has both <i>rōmaji</i> and <i>hiragana</i> with <i>furigana</i> .
ンさん。; じゃあね。nameです。 なようございます。こんにちは。 にじめまして。どうぞよろしく。(with	different scripts <i>katakana</i> , <i>hiragana</i> and <i>kanji</i> Pronounce all the sounds in the <i>kana</i> chart,	• family relationships, for example, きょうだいがいますか。あねが $\stackrel{\circ}{-}$ 人 います。あにが $\stackrel{\circ}{-}$ 人 です。あれが $\stackrel{\circ}{-}$ です。	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v= EJSOzP1VQ Family members video clip in Japanese and
owing and appropriate eye contact). ったしの ともだちは おもしろい ごす。;かぞく は	including voiced and unvoiced sounds $\mathcal{L}$ $\mathcal{L}$ and $\mathcal{L}$ $\mathcal{L}$ , combined and long vowel sounds and double consonants, for	<ul> <li>asking and giving information about family members and friends, for example, だれですか。</li> <li>それはだれですか。お母さんの名前は何ですか。母は name といいます/母の名前は name で</li> </ul>	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=o q8bnNASa0 Occupations video clip in Japanese (basic occupation vocabulary
です。おとうさん と おかあさん さ おねえさん と ぼく と いもうと と あかちゃん です。;	example, たって and りょうり Recognise the relationship between the	す。 いとこはどんな 人ですか。いとこはかっこいい 人です。かれはかみがくろいです。シドニーにすんでいます。おばあさんはどこにすんでいますか。そぼは 大きいうちにすんでいます。 ************************************	with <i>rōmaji</i> ).  https://youtu.be/IWR1Ziynt8g, Learn
いもうと は 五才 です。; らかあさん は やさしい	character-based scripts of hiragana, katakana and kanji Apply the basic principles of stroke order to	• information about what someone does in their life, for example, 大学に行っていますか。はい、小学校 六年生です。でも、学校はあまり 好きじゃないです。	Japanese: Hiragana Symbols or https://hiraganamama.wordpress.com 2010/10/29/hiragana-practice-sheets
ゔす。;おとうさん は くるま が -きです。	read and write simple texts using all hiragana, and simple high frequency kanji,	<ul> <li>occupations and places of work, for example, お交 さんのしごとは 何 ですか。 交 のしごとはいしゃです。 お交 さんはどこではたらいていますか。 びょういんではたらいています。</li> <li>how many and what type of pets they have, for example, ペットをかっていますか。</li> </ul>	Practise your Japanese alphabet by singing a song and writing the characters.
articipate in classroom routines and steractions by responding to teacher talk, bllowing instructions, asking and	for example, 人、才、月、and numbers 1 to 100	・ モルモットが 三匹 います。いいえ、ペットをかっていません。 ・ counting to 1000	https://a1.marugotoweb.jp/en/hiraga a_drill.php, Marugoto, <i>Hiragana</i> drills
nswering questions, requesting assistance permission, asking others how they are nd offering wishes, for example, きりつ,	Recognise all <i>hiragana</i> , including voiced, contracted and blended sounds, combined and long vowel sounds and double	<ul> <li>requesting permission or assistance, for example, トイレに行ってもいいですか。たすけてくれませんか。はいってもいいですか。</li> </ul>	choose the correct character as you listen to the Japanese alphabet.  http://japaneseteachingideas.weebly.
い, ちゃくせき、はい、います。; いません。; だいじょうぶ?;	consonants, using the <i>kana</i> chart  Use <i>furigana</i> to support the reading of unfamiliar <i>kanji</i>	• requesting people to repeat what is said (more slowly), for example, もういちどいってください (おねがいします)。 ごゆっくりしてください。	om/telephones.html, Japanese Teaching Ideas, On the phone. Resour
:いへん?; すごい!; :くできました; ありがとうございま	Use the Japanese alphabet for spelling words	<ul> <li>humble and respectful terms for family members, for example, おかあさん、ご家族</li> <li>asking what a word is in Japanese, for example, 旨本語で 荷ですか。</li> </ul>	activities and Japanese oral comprehension exercises. Read aloud
; ありがとう。; :い、わかりました。;いいえ、ちょっ わかりません。; 旨本語で 荷	aloud, recognising similarities to and differences from English and using correct terminology for accents	Discuss with students:  common Japanese gestures, their meanings and English equivalents  the Japanese writing systems of <i>hiragana</i> , <i>katakana</i> and <i>kanji</i>	the phone numbers in Japanese, ask students to write the phone number into their workbook:
がか。; すみません、もう ちど。; たって/すわって/かいて みて/よんで/	Generate language for a range of purposes in simple spoken and written texts, by recognising and using context-related	<ul> <li>the different counting systems, such as people, animals, general counters and time.</li> </ul>	<ol> <li>046 214 217</li> <li>048 390 523</li> <li>08 9 447 0527</li> <li>06 7 553 9876</li> </ol>
いて ください。 entify topic, gist and specific points of formation from a range of spoken and	vocabulary and elements of the Japanese grammatical system, including:  understanding the rule that Japanese	Text types	5. 02 8 182 6921. <a href="https://www.japanesepod101.com/b">https://www.japanesepod101.com/b</a> g/2019/08/16/japanese-body-
written texts related to aspects of their personal and social worlds, and use the	sentences end with a predicate and that there are three types of predicates,	For the learning activities and assessments selected, expose students to, and teach as required, the textual conventions of the following: audiovisual, conversation, description, dialogue, email, family tree, form, identity	gestures/, Japanese Hand Gestures an Body Language and

information in new ways

Body Language and

Focus – 家族 と 友 だち				
Communicating	Understanding	Suggested teaching and learning activities and assessments	Resources	
Convey information and ideas from a range	noun plus copula, adjective plus copula,	card, movie, passport application, phone number, picture book, research poster, presentation, profile, rap, speech	https://www.tofugu.com/japan/japane	
of texts related to aspects of their personal	and verb, for example,	and weblog.	se-body-language/, Tofugu, Japanese	
and social worlds, using different modes of presentation	<ul><li>subject は noun です。</li><li>subject は adjective です。</li></ul>	Language learning and communication strategies	Body Language and Gestures. Japanese Common Gestures.	
Create simple own or shared imaginative	subject が います。	Strategies relevant to this focus include:	Online resources	
texts by reinterpreting or adapting familiar	<ul> <li>recognising that pronouns are used far</li> </ul>	• self-correction in spoken and written forms, for example, すみません、まちがえました。		
texts and/or using modelled structures and	less frequently in Japanese than in	analysing when the informal or formal form of address is required	https://www.digitaldialects.com/Japan	
language	English	noticing which words or phrases translate easily and which do not.	ese.htm Audio visual Number games to play in Japanese and	
Translate and interpret phrases and short	understanding and using a range of	Learning activities and/or assessments	http://japaneseteachingideas.weebly.c	
texts from Japanese to English and vice	particles to perform different functions, for example,	In teaching the content, choose from the following and instruct/require students to:	om/counting.html Teaching and	
versa, noticing which words or phrases	■ 対 (subject, topic marker:	spell their names aloud, and/or record other people's names as they are said	learning resources and games about	
translate easily and which do not	~が好きです、~がいます)	match descriptions, for example, images to descriptions of people, or professions to places of work	numbers.	
	• O (possession)	draw (fictitious) family trees based on descriptions of relationships	https://www.education.vic.gov.au/lang	
	• $\succeq$ (and, with)	describe a family based on a (fictitious) family tree	uagesonline/japanese/resources.htm	
	• 🕏 (also)	<ul> <li>present orally aspects of people, using images displayed as a family tree. Students then question each other about the presentations and/or choose a person from the images and without indicating who it is, describe</li> </ul>	Interactive tasks and printable	
	understanding the role of	them and others guess the identity	worksheets on a variety of topics. Some suitable for this Sample Teaching and	
	sentence-ending particles, such as	<ul> <li>create a rap after listening to and/or reading texts about other people, summarise the information and write a</li> </ul>	Learning Outline include:	
	か and ね	description of the family structure portrayed	Topic 4: Numbers 1–10	
	understanding that the word order of	prepare their family tree and use it as the basis to write an introductory email for possible sending to	Topic 5: Numbers 1–100.	
	noun phrases is not important as long as they appear before the verb and are	members of another Japanese class or sister school exchange students	https://insightlanguages.com.au/yonde	
	accompanied by correct particles	<ul> <li>describe imagined aspects of people based on images. Discuss how appearances may lead to (incorrect) assumptions about cultures, people and/or languages</li> </ul>	-kaite-songs/ Insight Languages, The	
	• understanding how to use い and な	<ul> <li>read student weblog profiles and/or student identity cards and identify key information. Students identify text</li> </ul>	Counting Song.	
	adjectives in the present tense in basic	structures and language features and compare them to English	http://simpsonsmovie.com/main.html	
	sentences, such as たのしいです。;	• using images of 'suspects', design their own 'しめいてはい: Wanted' poster, providing additional information	The Simpsons in Japan movie.	
	ゆうめいです。	as required. Alternatively, students could design a profile poster for a member of their family or anime	https://www.imdb.com/title/tt0701273	
	understanding and responding to	character	/ Activities to do with The Simpsons Movie can be found from	
	formulaic expressions that use $\mathcal{T}$ form,	• listen to words in Japanese and write them or complete missing words in a text. As students become more proficient, they could say words to each other, write words on a mini whiteboard or in their notebook in	http://japaneseteachingideas.weebly.c	
	such as 見て ください。; トイレに	hiragana or katakana with or without the use of a hiragana or katakana chart	om/family.html Activities may include	
	行っても いい ですか	<ul> <li>prepare an oral presentation for the class describing a へんな 家族 family. Students could present their work</li> </ul>	PowerPoints and worksheets.	
	creating cohesion and flow using	with images displayed in an audiovisual slideshow	https://jpf.org.au/classroom-	
	conjunctions, for example, そして、	<ul> <li>participate in a cute baby photo competition. Students provide a photo of themselves and a written</li> </ul>	resources/resources/movie-happy-	
	それから、でも *** ***	description of it. Only the photos are numbered and displayed, then the descriptions are read out and the	family-plan/ Japan Foundation Sydney,	
	• counting from 1 to 1000 $\stackrel{\text{No.}}{=} \sim \stackrel{\text{th}}{+}$	class guess the identities of the babies in the photos	Happy Family Plan.	
	<ul> <li>using common counters and classifiers,</li> <li>such as ~戊、~茅、~莧、~時</li> </ul>	play games involving numbers to 1000, for example, Buzz or Beep	Assessments	
	such as ~人、~才、~月、~時  understanding the use of	select from a variety of numbers with two digits the ones that form phone numbers that are read aloud	Accessible on the School Curriculum	
	こそあどseries in concrete contexts, for	• complete an identity card or passport application for themselves or from a description of someone else	and Standards Authority website.	
	example, $\exists h$ $\exists $	<ul> <li>write and/or give a speech as if they were their (imaginary) pet. Alternatively, students could design a poster about their (imaginary) pet</li> </ul>	<i>Kazoku</i> Family	

Focus – 家族 と 友 だち			
Communicating	Understanding	Suggested teaching and learning activities and assessments	Resources
	building vocabulary that relates to familiar environments, such as self, the family and personal world understanding the use of the prefixes お and ご before some words to indicate respect, for example, お名前は?、ご家族 identifying similarities and differences in Japanese and English grammatical rules relating to word order or the use of elements, such as pronouns	<ul> <li>translate words from <i>katakana</i>, such as ワンワン and ニャーニャー into English and vice versa and notice the similarities with onomatopoeia words in Japanese. Alternatively, translate a variety of common nouns for example, ハンサム、モルモット and ask student to guess the meaning of the <i>katakana</i> word in English</li> <li>view some Japanese gestures, and compare them to the English equivalents</li> <li>watch the cartoon episode <i>The Simpsons in Japan</i> and discuss stereotypes in the movie. Students then create their own avatar, including a short introductory profile</li> <li>View the movie <i>Happy Family Plan</i> and complete an entry form for the student or a fictional character to be on the show. Act out a scene from the movie.</li> </ul>	

Focus – きょうみ	Suggested teaching and learning activities and assessments
	Focus – きょうみ

Interact with peers and known adults orally and in writing to exchange information about self, family and friends and interests, for example,

**Communicating** 

Engage in individual and collaborative tasks that involve working together to create displays, presentations or performances to showcase their language learning for family, friends and their school community

Participate in classroom routines and interactions by responding to teacher talk, following instructions, asking and answering questions, requesting assistance or permission, asking others how they are and offering wishes, for example, きりつ, れい, ちゃくせき、はい、います。; いません。; だいじょうぶ?; たいへん?; すごい!; よくできました:ありがとうございま す; ありがとう。; はい、わかりました。: いいえ、ちょっと わかりません。; 日本語で 荷ですか。: すみません、もう いちど。:たって/すわって/かいて /みて/よんで/きいて ください。

Recognise and reproduce features of the Japanese sound system, including pitch, accent, rhythm and intonation

**Understanding** 

Become familiar with how sounds are produced and represented in the three different scripts *katakana*, *hiragana* and *kanii* 

Pronounce all the sounds in the kana chart, including voiced and unvoiced sounds  $\forall \lambda \forall \lambda \text{ and } \sharp \delta$ , combined and long vowel sounds and double consonants, for example,  $\hbar \circ \tau$  and  $9 \sharp \delta 9$ 

Recognise the relationship between the character-based scripts of *hiragana*, *katakana* and *kanji* 

Generate language for a range of purposes in simple spoken and written texts, by using context-related vocabulary and applying elements of the Japanese grammatical system, including:

- using the rule that Japanese sentences end with a predicate and that there are three types of predicates; noun plus copula, adjective plus copula, and verb, for example,
  - subject は noun です。
  - subject は adjective です。
  - subject は object を verb ます。
- understanding that pronouns are used far less frequently in Japanese than in English
- understanding and using a range of particles to perform different functions, for example,
  - は (subject, topic marker)
  - が (subject, topic marker: ~が好きです、~がいます)
  - を (object)
  - に (time, destination)
  - で (transport)

Students exchange information about interests – hobbies, sports and pastimes. They also research and exchange information about a Japanese city and view an animation or *manga*, responding to teacher talk associated with the text.

### Teaching

Teach and reinforce with students vocabulary and grammatical elements associated with:

- interests, for example, しゅみは何ですか。ひまなときに何をしますか。私のしゅみはりょうりです。ともだちとコンピューター・ゲームをします。一番好きなしゅみはピアノです。
- what instruments and sports they play, for example, がっきをひきますか。ギターをひきます。フルートをふきます。スポーツをしますか。はい、すいじょうスキーをします。
- when they participate in their interests, for example, いつたいそうをしますか。学校のあとで、月よう日に、しゅうまつに、まいにち フットボールをします。
- how often they participate in their interests, for example, よく クラリネットをふきますか。 しゅうに 二回 クラリネットをふきますか。
- where they participate in their interests, for example, どこでりくじょうをれんしゅうしますか。こうていでれんしゅうします。
- why they like various hobbies, sports or interests, for example, なぜ、おんがくが g きですか。おもしろいからです。あにも g きだからです。
- where and when people in general participate in hobbies, sports or interests, for example, オーストラリアの どこでロッククライミングをしますか。カナダではどこでスキーをしますか。日本ではいつサッカーをしますか。冬にサッカーをします。

Teach actions and responses to instructions associated with electronic learning, for example, y > 0 and y > 0 by y

## Discuss with students:

- popular hobbies, sports and interests among young Japanese people
- how cultural backgrounds may reflect their and others' interests, habits and/or family traditions
- countries that are Japanese-speaking or which have a history of Japanese influence and how this impacts their culture, for example, *Hawaii* \( \).

# **Text types**

For the learning activities and assessments selected, expose students to, and teach as required, the textual conventions of the following: blog post, email, film, animation, graph, interview, manga, message, questionnaire, pie chart, picture book, postcard, poster, (slideshow) presentation, rap, schedule, speech, storybook, subtitles, summary, survey, table and TV segment.

## Language learning and communication strategies

Strategies relevant to this focus include:

- manipulating known elements in a new context
- considering possible strategies to complete a task and selecting the most appropriate

## Audio visual texts

https://matcha-jp.com/en/6077,
Matcha, Self-Introduction In Japanese!

16 Phrases You Should Know. Talking about yourself in Japanese.

Resources

https://youtu.be/ZJH6P0zeSwQ, Shumi wa nan desu ka. Hobbies in Japanese. https://youtu.be/rJl6pFTtdBQ Japanese Lesson, Hobbies.

https://youtu.be/4drYTt7qCRU, Learn Japanese with PuniPuniJapan, Japanese Vocabulary - Sports in Japanese – スポーツ.

https://asiasociety.org/education/japan ese-language, Centre for Global Education, The Japanese Language.

Japanese speaking countries or https://www.lingualift.com/blog/japan ese-dialects-ben-hougen/ Lingualift, Japanese Dialects: From Familiar To Unintelligible. Where is Japanese spoken in the world? I Where are dialects spoken around Japan. These two website explain in English some of the places where Japanese is spoken and the different dialects spoken around Japan.

http://japaneseteachingideas.weebly.c om/festivals--culture.html, Japanese Teaching Ideas, Gesture worksheets and activities.

https://doyouknowjapan.com/language /, Encyclopaedia Japan, Japanese Language. The ins and outs of the Japanese language.

# Websites

https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Japanese language Japanese Language Wikipedia.

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Communicating	Understanding	Suggested teaching and learning activities and assessments	Resources
Respond to imaginative texts by describing aspects, such as characters, events and/or key ideas  Create simple own or shared imaginative texts by reinterpreting or adapting familiar texts and/or using modelled structures and language  Translate and interpret phrases and short texts from Japanese to English and vice versa, noticing which words or phrases translate easily and which do not  Reflect on own and others' responses to interactions and intercultural experiences, and use these reflections to improve intercultural communication	・ の (possession) ・ と (and, with) ・ も (also) ・ using basic time expressions, such as clock times, months, for example, 一時、二月 ・ building vocabulary that relates to familiar environments, such as the classroom, school and personal world ・ understanding the rules of verb conjugation, for example, ます、 ~ましょう、~ました、 ~ませんでした ・ understanding different question words, such as 筍、どこ、 何時、なにで、どんな、いつ、だれ、いくら ・ using a range of verbs related to daily activities, for example,	・ how to use a bilingual dictionary, including reading beyond the first information given in an entry to find the most suitable expression for a given context.  Learning activities and/or assessments In teaching the content, choose from the following and instruct/require students to:  listen to and/or read texts about other people and complete a schedule of what they do on different days of the week  listen to and/or read texts describing people and their interests, summarise the information in a table and propose 'perfect matches' or decide who they would like as a friend. They justify their choices by referring to information in the texts  complete a speed dating questionnaire and use cue cards to rate friends produce an introductory speech as an audiovisual clip or slideshow presentation to show to another Japanese class write a post for a young Japanese speakers' blog about their interests  plan questions for, then conduct, a survey among their classmates to ascertain information about interests Students summarise their findings visually, for example, in a graph or pie chart, and use this as an aid to accompany a presentation to the class create a class wall display of all class members interests and hobbies with photos and captions in Japanese choose one martial art or cultural pursuit and produce a short video segment for a TV program called 日本の多人が、Include an interview with someone who practises this pursuit compose a message of 60-80 ji about aspects of their after-school activities use the Sumo Picture Book to recreate their own a storybook about their own hobby view images of people, and guess aspects of their personality and interests, then listen to texts about the people to assess the guesses choose a Japanese-speaking country or an area within Japan that speaks a Japanese dialect and research why its inhabitants speak Japanese and how its past influences modern-day culture or the changes to the language. Students write a postcard from, or design a poster about, an imagined person from the country	book/ Japan Foundation, Sydney, Sumo