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Resources for GCSE Japanese



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Course Books

- 1. Ima! 1 & 2 (810.7-BU)**
Author: Sue Burnham
Publisher: CIS / Heinemann, 1998
ISBN: 1876209151 (1), 1876209380 (2)
- 2. Mirai Stage 1, 2, 3 & 4 (810.7-MI)**
Author(s): Meg Evans (1, 2, 3 & 4), Yoko Masano (1, 2, 3 & 4), Setsuko Taniguchi (1, 2), Miwa Moriwaki (2, 3 & 4)
Publisher: Pearson Education Australia, 1999 - 2001
ISBN: 0733904254 (1), 0733909299 (2), 0733923372 (3 & 4)
- 3. Obento Deluxe (810.7-WI-DE)**
Author(s): Peter Williams, Sue Xouris, Kyoko Kusumoto
Publisher: Thomson Nelson, 2004
ISBN: 0170120031
- 4. Obento Supreme (810.7-WI-SU-TX)**
Author(s): Ayako Fukunaga, Kyoko Kusumoto, Jean Swinyard, Jacqueline Brown, Anne Fisher
Publisher: Thomson Nelson, 2006
ISBN: 9780170129640
- 5. Nihongo Kantan (810.7-ZI-T1)**
Author(s): Ursula Zimmermann
Publisher: The Department of Education and Science, 2007
ISBN: 0954867777
- 6. Japanese for Young People (810.7-JA)**
Author(s): Association for Japanese-Language Teaching
Publisher: Kodansha International, 1998 - 2001
ISBN: 477002178X (1), 4770023324 (2), 4770024959 (3)
- 7. Tsumiki 1 & 2 (810.7-LE)**
Author(s): Margaret Lee
Publisher: Thomson Nelson Learning, 2002-2003
ISBN: 017010267X (1), 017010642X (2)

Skill Based Activities

1. Chikara –力– (810.724-JFL-C)

Myself, Family and Home Life

School Life and Routines

Town and Social Life

Chikara for Reading (Life and Culture in Japan)

Vocabulary Lists by Topic [*Based on the 2003 specification]

Japanese Vocabulary Lists [*Based on the 2003 specification]

Chikara Audio CD

Skills: Listening, Reading, Speaking, Writing

Book&CD: The Japan Foundation London Language Centre

Publisher: The Japan Foundation London Language Centre, 2008

http://www.jpfl.org.uk/language/teaching_chikara.php

2. Japanese in Modules 1 & 2 (810.7-CO)

Skills: Listening, Reading, Speaking, Writing

Book&Tape: Tsuyako Coveney et al

Publisher: ALC Press, 1993

ISBN: 4872342305 (1), 4872342887 (2)

3. Tanoshiku Hanasou (817.8-TA)

Skills: Speaking

Book: Bunka Institute of Language

Publisher: Bonjinsha, 1995

4. Tanoshiku Kikou 1 (810.7-TA-1)

Skills: Listening

Book&Tape: Bunka Institute of Language

Publisher: Bonjinsha, 2004

5. Tanoshiku Yomou 1 (817.5-TA-1)

Skills: Reading

Book&Tape: Bunka Institute of Language

Publisher: Bonjinsha, 1996

6. Nihongo Kiite Hanashite Vol.1 (810.7-MO)

Skills: Listening, Speaking

Book&Tape: Fujiko Motohashi et al

Publisher: The Japan Times, 1989

ISBN: 4789004724

7. E to Tasuku de Manabu Nihongo (810.7-MU)

Skills: Listening, Speaking, Reading, Writing

Book&Tape: Ryoko Murano et al

Publisher: Bonjinsha, 1988

ISBN: 4893580191

8. Let's Learn Hiragana (811.5-MI)

Skills: Reading, Writing

Book: Yasuko Mitamura

Publisher: Kodansha International, 1985

ISBN: 4770012098

9. Let's Learn Katakana (811.5-MI)

Skills: Reading, Writing

Book: Yasuko Mitamura

Publisher: Kodansha International, 1985

ISBN: 4770012195

Flash Cards

1. Hiragana Gakushuu Card (811.5-HI)

Skills: Speaking, Reading, Writing

Publisher: Gakken, 1987

Size: 300mm X 300mm

2. Hiragana in 48 minutes (811.5-HI)

Skills: Speaking, Reading

Author(s): Hiroko Quackenbush et al

Publisher: Curriculum Corporation, 1983

Size: A4

ISBN: 0642531609

3. Katakana in 48 minutes (811.5-KA)

Skills: Speaking, Reading
Author(s): Hiroko Quackenbush et al
Publisher: Gakken, 1989
Size: A4
ISBN: 0642533350

Games and Activities

1. Bits and Pieces (810.7-NI)

Author(s): Japanese Council of Intl. Schools
Publisher: Kodansha International, 1997
ISBN: 4770020295

2. 80 Communication Games for Japanese Language Teachers (810.7-NI)

Author(s): CAG Teaching Materials Development Group
Publisher: The Japan Times, 2007
ISBN: 9784789072669

3. 50 Games for Drills in Learning Japanese (810.7-KU)

Author(s): Masako Kuriyama et al
Publisher: ALC Press, 1992
ISBN: 4872341864

4. Jidou·Seito no Tameno Nihongo Waiwai Katsudousyuu (810.724-KO)

Author(s): Kokusai Kouryuu Kikin Nihongo Kokusai Centre
Publisher: 3A Network, 2005
ISBN: 4883193578

Video/DVD Materials

1. BBC Japanese Language and People 1-4 (810.7-BB)

Publisher: BBC Enterprises, 1994

2. Japanese For Junior Secondary Students 1&2 (810.7-JA)

Publisher: Television Oceania, Australia, 1999

3. Erin ga Chousen! Nihongo Dekimasu: DVD de Manabu Nihongo Vol.1-3 (810.725-KO)

Publisher: Bonjinsha, 2007
ISBN: 9784893586247 (1), 9784893586254 (2), 9784893586261 (3)

Kanji

1. GCSE Kanji Cards (811.2-KI) [*Based on the 2003 specification]

Created by: Naoyuki & Maki Kitani, 2002
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2. Basic Kanji Book Volume 1 (811.2-KA)

Author: Chieko Kano et al
Publisher: Bonjinsha, 1990
ISBN: 4893580914

Dictionaries

1. Oxford Beginner's Japanese Dictionary (833-OX)

Author(s): Jonathan Bunt (Ed) with Gillian Hall
Publisher: Oxford University Press, 2006
ISBN: 9780199298525

2. Kodansha's Romanized Japanese-English Dictionary (833-KO)

Author(s): Timothy J. Vance
Publisher: Kodansha International, 1993
ISBN: 4770016034