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### Japanese

Learning another language has become increasingly important as people understand the importance of a second language in education, career and general everyday communication. Being able to communicate with others in their language helps diminish the communication barrier different languages can at times cause. Japanese is the national language of Japan and is primarily spoken in Japan which has a population of over 25 million people. If you intend to learn Korean at some point, having prior knowledge of Japanese can immensely help as both languages are grammatically very similar.

### Languages for All at Aston University

Aston University offers free language tuition for all eligible first year fee-paying undergraduates (*Subject to availability*)

- Learn Arabic, French, German, Japanese, Mandarin Chinese, Portuguese or Spanish
- Japanese is available at beginners and intermediate level

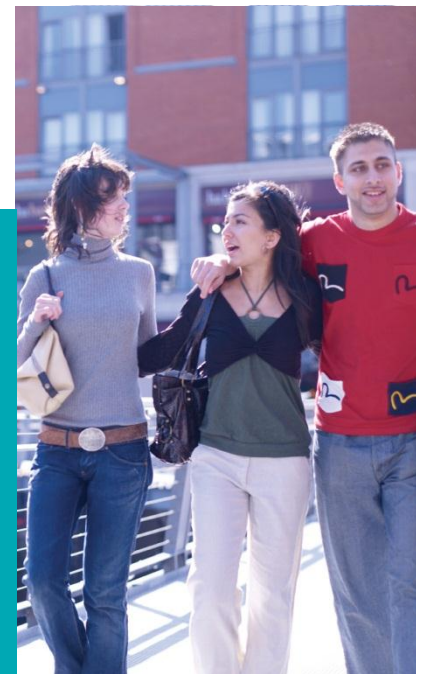
Please read the Languages for All [Learning Agreement](#) available online before applying. The language course runs for the academic year; Part I runs from September to December and Part II runs from January to May. In second year eligible students can choose to progress onto the fee paying University Wide Language Programme offering the next level to their chosen language.



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## Benefits of studying Languages for All Japanese:

- Available free of cost to qualifying first year undergraduate students
- Available at three levels
- 75% of world's population don't speak English at all, knowing another language will help you communicate with others more effectively
- Linguists are highly desirable to companies dealing with International companies making you more employable
- A second language can help strengthen your communication skills
- Get a certificate at the end of the year after successfully completing the module and passing the assessments.
- Great for placement and graduate employment opportunities



### What Level should you apply for?

<b>Beginners</b>	Modules are designed for those with no knowledge of the language
<b>Intermediate</b>	You will need some prior knowledge of the language, usually a GCSE pass at grade C or above.

*The Course Director will determine which level of study is appropriate for each student (beginners, intermediate or advanced) based on the information that you supply on your application form. However please note you may be required to take a test to check your language level.*

## Current Student Profile

**Name:** Mr James Hill

**Degree:** BSc Psychology

**Languages for All (LFA) module and level:** Japanese for beginners

**Your experience of LFA so far:**

*“Very enjoyable experience; teacher is knowledgeable and teaches in a very effective format. It will greatly help me gain a basic grasp of Japanese that I can put into practise when I travel there”*



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