

Japanese Farrington Contest

Expected coverage of the functions and grammar for each level

Level II (Halfway through level II : 45/50 min/day x 54 weeks)

1. Greetings/formulaic expressions
2. Self introduction
3. Ask for and tell numbers, quantity, time, days of the week, days of the month, price, etc.
4. Report routine, current, future, and past events (present/future, present progressive, past tense of the verbs in masu (polite) form)
5. Express existence (present, past)
6. Make suggestions (let's ~)
7. Describe people/items with adjectives (i-adj, na-adj, te-form, past tense of adjectives)
8. Request (please V)

Level III (Halfway through level III : 45/50 min/day x 90 weeks)

1. All the functions/grammar of level II + all the plain forms of the verbs
2. Issue and respond to invitations (Would you like to ~? Yes, that would be great. No, thank you.)
3. Make suggestions (Why don't you ~)
4. Talk about experience (Have you ever V?)
5. Express wants and needs (want N、 want to V, someone wants to V, N is needed)
6. Express quantity (expression of frequency, basic counters, etc.) When/while clause (~時、~たら、~ながら、間)
7. Quotation (I think “ ”. He said “ ~ “.)
8. Express “it looks + adjective“
9. Seek and give permission, give negative request

Level IV (Half way through level IV : 45/50 min/day x 124 weeks)

1. All the functions/grammar of level II and III
2. Describe sequence of events (Use of connectors)
3. Give examples, reasons, excuse, etc
4. Give simple commands/instructions
5. Comparison, giving preference
6. Conditional
7. Passive
8. Noun phrases