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Japanese Slanguage: A Fun Visual Guide To Japanese Terms And Phrases (English And Japanese Edition)



Synopsis

With this fun visual guide, simply follow the illustrated prompts and read the English words out loud. Soon you'll be speaking Japanese! Say hello: "Cone Knee Che Wah"; order cake at a restaurant: "Kay Key"; or ask for a hairdresser or a doctor: "Bee Oh She" or "EE She." This simple, easy-to-use guide comes in a handy pocket size so it's easy to carry with you. It will give you the basic phrases you need to get around while traveling, whether asking directions or shopping. But most of all, it's just plain fun! Mike Ellis is a web designer who runs the popular website www.slanguage.com. He lives with his family in Philadelphia.

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Customer Reviews

An easy new way to learn common phrases that lets you communicate in Japanese with confidence! www.slanguage.com

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I recently moved to Japan and started out not knowing any Japanese phrases. I found this book and was delighted to see the phrases broken down phonetically as well as with pictures to help you remember. My Japanese vocabulary has significantly increased. My mom visited and used this book to help her break down the words as well. Seeing "sumimasen" phonetically really helped her understand the proper pronunciation. This and many other phrases have helped us transition into

life in Japan.

It was fun and funny but I wish they had more about food. If you think about what you'll be talking about saying while traveling there should be a larger food and "where is..." section to make this actually useful. As it is, it's just a novelty. Kind of dissapointing bc I really liked the concept.

5 gold stars!

When I visited Japan a friend in Okinawa showed me her copy of Japanese Slanguage. I read through it and immediately bought four copies for myself and friends in my Japanese language class. We all love this book for helping us learn Japanese phrases in a fun and easy way. My favorite phrase is "Don't touch my moustache" for "You're welcome." Try this book, the pronunciations aren't always perfect but they help you to get there and to remember the Japanese you need to know.

very happy

Fun and helpful guide to Japanese slang/commonly used terms and words. However, the actual speed, inflections, and nuances of actually speaking fluent Japanese, cannot be attained with this book alone. Overall, it is a good refresher or introduction guide, and worth the money and time to study.

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We got this for some friends who are moving to Japan, they have a little girl so we thought this book would be neat for them all to learn the basics to get around in Japan. The way they have the pictures to help you say the words is not only helpful but very fun. Our friends got a kid out of it and really enjoyed it. Would recommend to anyone who wants to learn basic Japanese.

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