

Getting Started 1 STEP 8-10

Daily Expressions

STEP 8	
Kiritsu.	All rise.
Kiotsuke.	Straighten up.
Rei.	Bow.
Chakuseki	Be seated.
Shussekio torimasu.	I'll take attendance.
__san/kun wa imasuka.	Is __ here?
Hai, imasu.	Yes, he/she is.
Yasumi desu.	He/She is absent.
Chikoku desu.	He/She is late.
STEP 9	
Hajimemashoo.	Let's begin.
Kubatte kudasai.	Please pass these out.
Mawashite kudasai.	Please pass this around.
Wakarimashitaka.	Did you understand?
Hai, wakarimashita.	Yes, I understood.
Iie, wakarimasen.	No, I don't understand.
(Minasan,) moo iidesuka.	Are you (all) done?
Hai, moo iidesu.	Yes, we are / I am.
Iie, mada desu.	No, we're not / I'm not.
STEP 10	
(Doomo) sumimasen.	I'm sorry. [Formal]
Gomen nasai.	I'm sorry. [Informal]
Gomen.	Sorry. [Informal]
Iie.	That's all right.
Osokunatte sumimasen.	I'm sorry I'm late.

(Korekarawa) kio tsukete kudasai.	Please be careful (next time.)
Yoku dekimashita.	Good job.
Taihen yoku dekimashita.	Very well done.
Moo sukoshi ganbatte kudasai.	You can do a little better.
Ganbatte kudasai.	Hang in there.
Hai, ganbarimasu.	Yes, I'll do my best.

Actions

STEP 8	
Aruki masu.	I walk / will walk.
Aruite imasu.	I'm walking.
Hanashi masu.	I talk / will talk.
Hanashite imasu.	I'm talking.
Benkyooshi masu.	I study / will study.
Benkyooshite imasu.	I'm studying.
STEP 9	
__yoobiwa nani ga arimasuka.	What do you have on __?
__yoobiwa (activity)ga arimasu.	I have (activity) on ____.

Extra Expressions / Vocabulary

STEP 8	
yukkuri	slow
hakkiri	clear
STEP 10	
Daijoobudesu.	That's all right. / Don't worry.