

San Jose Betsuin Japanese Language School
Registration Form for the Year 2024 – 2025
Please submit ONE form per student

Classes: September 14, 2024 - May 10, 2025

Classes will be in-person unless guidance from the Santa Clara County Health Department recommends otherwise.

Student: _____ **Age > 18 yrs? (y/n) _____**
Last Name First Name Age if < 18yrs _____

If < 18 yrs old: Birthday: _____ (Must be 6 years or older on first day of class)
Public/Private School Grade: _____

Japanese language ability (B=beginning, I=intermediate, A=advanced): _____

Is the student new to the San Jose Betsuin JLS (Yes/No)? _____

Number of years the student has attended a Japanese language school _____

Name of Japanese language school attended previously _____

Student Allergies/Medication/Special Needs/Other information the teachers should know:

Parents/Guardians (If this registration is for you, please provide phone # and email & mail address only)

Last Name	First Name	Home Phone	Cell Phone	Email*
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Last Name	First Name	Home Phone	Cell Phone	Email*
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Primary Mail Address:	Street	City	Zip
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***Note:** Your email address is crucial to our communication with you and is not shared with anyone. Your application will **not** be processed without an email address.

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Registration Fee*: Per Family

- Church Member Families or PA Board Member (No fee) = \$ 0.00
- Non-Church Member Families: \$50: per family = \$ _____
- * This fee is **non-refundable** and is waived for San Jose Betsuin Buddhist Church member families and PA Board.

Tuition: There is **no** installment payment plan. Tuition must be paid in full at time of registration.

Church Member Families:

- \$650 /student per year = \$ _____
- \$675 /student per year after Sept. 14, 2024 = \$ _____
- (\$50 Additional Student Discount after 1 full price tuition) = (\$ _____)

Non-Church Families:

- \$755 /student per year = \$ _____
- \$780 /student per year after Sept. 14, 2024 = \$ _____
- (\$50 Additional Student Discount after 1 full price tuition) = (\$ _____)

Payment:

- Check (payable to: **San Jose Buddhist Church Betsuin**) Total = \$ _____
- Credit Card (<http://www.sjbetsuin.org/programs/japanese-language-school/>)

* **Please send checks to: San Jose Buddhist Church Betsuin, 640 N. 5th St, San Jose, CA, 95112.**
Parent Association volunteer deposit is not included in the tuition.

Adult Class

Depending on the number of adult (18yrs and older) students, an all-adult class may be formed. The adult class may be virtual and possibly on a weeknight rather than Saturday mornings. The JLS teacher will work with the students to determine an acceptable schedule.

Registration deadline for returning students (and siblings) is **Friday, July 26, 2024.** Returning students registered by this date are guaranteed placement in their designated class. New students registered by **Friday, July 12, 2024** will be placed in the closest matching class based on space available. After this date, registrations will still be accepted but space in a class is not guaranteed and the student may not be placed into a class on the first day of school. Space is limited to 10 students per class.

Withdrawal deadline: **Monday, September 23, 2024** for full tuition refund; after **September 23, 2024** there is a 75% refund of tuition fees; after **Monday, October 7, 2024** there is a 50% refund of tuition fees; after **Monday, October 21, 2024**, no refund. **NO EXCEPTIONS**. If late registrants cannot be placed in a class, tuition will be refunded in full. For withdrawal notification and refunds, please contact the JLS Clerical Assistant (jls@sjbetsuin.org), your JLS teacher, JLS Parent Association **and** the San Jose Buddhist Church Betsuin office at 408-293-9292 (Monday-Friday 8:30am-5:00pm; Saturday-Sunday 8:30am-4:30pm) to ensure proper and timely refunds. Mailed withdrawal notices **must** be postmarked by the deadline date.

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Student: _____ Age (if < 18) _____
Last Name (print) First Name (print)

Signature _____ Date _____
Student or Parent/Guardian if student < 18 years old

Email _____ Phone _____
Student or Parent/Guardian if student < 18 years old Student or Parent/Guardian if student < 18 years old

Parent/Guardian of students < 18yrs old: Please fill out Parent Volunteer Commitment form on next page.

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Parent Volunteer Commitment for Students < 18 years

In addition to the JLS teacher, California's Youth Protection Law AB-506 (https://leginfo.legislature.ca.gov/faces/billTextClient.xhtml?bill_id=202120220AB506) requires one mandated adult volunteer to be present in each JLS class when students are younger than 18 years old. In order to meet the requirements of AB506, **one parent of each JLS student is requested to volunteer in the classroom as an observer for a minimum of 3 to 4 Saturdays.** A link to an online volunteer sign-up calendar will be sent prior to the start of the school year so that parents can sign up for specific dates.

The JLS will waive the cost of tuition for one student if a parent wishes to be a "regular volunteer"* every Saturday (up to 5 such volunteers will be accepted on a first come, first served basis).

*"Regular volunteer" means a volunteer with the youth service organization who is 21 years of age or older and who has direct contact with, or supervision of, children for more than 16 hours per month or 32 hours per year. The volunteer must be fingerprinted. Fingerprinting services, together with a background check, and volunteer training materials will be provided by the SJBC Office.

Please select ONE of the following volunteer options. This registration form is not complete unless an option is selected:

- I commit to volunteering in my child's classroom 3-4 times during the school year.
- I commit to volunteering in my child's classroom for every class.