



Intermediate 3: The "Independence" Roadmap

10-Week Japanese Online Course | Updated for 2026

1. The Mission

The Japademy Intermediate 3 course is the "Final Ascent" of our foundational series. Our mission is to move you beyond being a student of the language and into being an independent speaker. We tackle the most culturally significant and grammatically advanced structures in Japanese—including the Passive Voice and complex conditionals—allowing you to describe your life from multiple perspectives and navigate professional situations with ease.

2. The Transformation: What You Will Be Able To Do

After the successful completion of this 10-week course, you will be able to:

- **Follow Complex Instructions:** Understand and follow instructions exactly as they are given (e.g., following a recipe, a technical manual, or a workout routine).
- **Describe Actions in Sequence:** Clearly explain what you do "after" an action or "without doing" another action (e.g., "I went to work without eating breakfast").
- **Master the Conditional "Reba":** Use the specialized "if" form to give expert advice, express regret ("I should have..."), and set specific conditions.
- **Describe Goals & Habits:** Explain how your abilities have changed over time and describe the ongoing efforts you make to achieve a goal.
- **Master the Passive Voice:** Unlock the most essential social grammar in Japan. Learn to describe things that happened to you from your perspective—critical for sounding natural and polite in social and work environments.
- **Master N5/N4 Kanji Mastery:** Confidently read and write 50+ high-level foundational Kanji, bridging the gap between a "learner" and a "reader."

3. The Japademy "Complete Ecosystem"

We don't just give you a class; we give you a system for success. Your enrollment includes:



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- **Native Teacher:** Real-time feedback on the social nuances of the Passive Voice from certified teaching experts.
- **10 Live Lessons (105 min each):** Interactive, small-group sessions (max. 8 students) via Zoom.
- **Advanced Kanji Training:** Weekly modules focused on the final set of foundational Kanji needed for JLPT N4-level literacy.
- **Video Course Access:** 24/7 access to our highest-level grammar deep-dives. Perfect for reviewing or catching up if you miss a live session.
- **Practice App:** 1,000+ custom Quizlet flashcards for Passive forms, conditional "Reba" patterns, and I3 vocabulary.
- **Japanese Conversation Club (JCC):** Weekly invitations to discuss complex topics and hypothetical scenarios with fellow advanced students.

4. The "Japademy Edge"

- **Small Groups (Strict Max 8):** Intermediate 3 grammar is notoriously challenging. Our small classes ensure you aren't just memorizing the Passive Voice; you are practicing it until it feels like second nature.
- **Certified Educators:** Our teachers specialize in "un-complicating" high-level grammar, using real-life social scenarios to explain why certain forms are used over others.

5. Who is this course for?

- **Intermediate 2 Graduates:** Students who can express intentions, give advice, and relay messages.
- **The "Peak" Seeker:** Anyone who wants to complete their foundational Japanese studies and achieve true conversational independence.
- **Professional Expats:** Those living or working in Japan who need to understand the social nuance of how events are described in a group or workplace.

6. The 10-Week Roadmap

Based on the Japademy's Proprietary Learning Curriculum.

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Week	Topic	Core Capability
01	Following Orders	Learn the Tori-ni structure to follow instructions and sequence actions.
02	Doing Without	Master the V-nai-de form to describe choosing one action over another.
03	The Conditional Reba	Master the specialized "If" form for social hypotheticals and advice.
04	Conditional Negatives	Learn to say "If I don't do X..." and express regrets about the past.
05	Focused Scenarios	Master the Nara conditional to give advice based on a specific topic.
06	Achieving Change	Describe how you have "become able" to do something or started a habit.
07	Ongoing Effort	Use grammar to explain the specific efforts you are making toward a goal.
08	The Passive Voice (P1)	Master the logic of the Passive Voice—how to say things happen "to you."
09	The Passive Voice (P2)	Use the passive voice to describe public events and inanimate objects.
10	The Peak Mastery	Full review of the foundational series. Celebrate reaching the peak of your studies!

7. Course Requirements

- **Prerequisites:** Mastery of intentions (Tsumori/Yotei) and reporting speech (Tte itte imashita) from Intermediate 2.



- **Materials:** All digital resources are provided. This level uses our most advanced proprietary guides designed to conquer the "Passive Voice hurdle."
- **Commitment:** 105 minutes for the live class + ~90 minutes of self-study using our video courses and app.

8. Logistics

- **Format:** 100% Online via Zoom.
- **Catching Up:** We do not share lesson recordings. Instead, you have 24/7 access to our Video Course library, which covers all advanced foundational grammar in detail.
- **Language:** Taught with 95-100% Japanese immersion to ensure your ears are fully ready for the real world.

9. Trust & Success

- **4.67 / 5 Stars** based on 150+ student reviews.
- **94% Completion Rate:** We take pride in the fact that our students who start at B1 stay with us all the way to this final peak!
- **Risk-Free Guarantee:** Not satisfied after the first live lesson? Let us know within 3 days for a refund (minus a small admin fee).

10. Frequently Asked Questions

Why is the Passive Voice so important?

In English, the passive voice is often discouraged. In Japanese, it is essential. It is how you describe situations where someone did something that affected you. Without it, you cannot express social nuance or navigate a Japanese workplace effectively.

Is this the end of the Japademy journey?

It is the peak of our group foundation series! Many of our graduates move into Online Private Lessons at this stage to focus on their specific career goals, or join our upcoming JLPT Exam Prep intensives.



Do I get a special certificate?

Yes! Completing Intermediate 3 is a major milestone. You will receive a Foundational Mastery Certificate that proves you have covered all the core grammar of the Japanese language.

11. A Message from the Founder

"If you are reading this, you are likely just 10 weeks away from achieving a goal that most learners only dream of. Reaching the end of the foundational series is a testament to your hard work. I cannot wait to celebrate this final 'Peak' with you and see the independent speaker you've become!" — Kanami

Iwasaki



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