

Nihongo Hausu
2025-2026 Application for Residence
(Please print clearly)

Name _____ Gender Identity (optional) _____

Date of Birth _____ Phone _____

Current Address _____ Email _____

UW ID# _____ Permanent Address _____

1. Current UW classification (BA-3, BS-2, etc.) _____

Note: BA=Bachelor of Arts, BS=Bachelor of Science, 1=Freshmen, 2=Sophomore, etc.

2. GPA _____ Japanese GPA _____

3. Preparation in Japanese: _____ years of high-school Japanese _____ semesters of college Japanese

4. Most recent Japanese & Japan related courses	Institution	Instructor	Grade
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5. What is your major or expected major(s)? _____

6. Do you plan to study / Have you studied in Japan? _____

If so, please explain when, where, and the purpose of your study.

7. Do your career goals require a good command of Japanese? _____ If yes, please explain.

Please answer the following questions in your best Japanese and in all honesty. 1.なぜ日本語を勉強していますか。

2. どうして日本語ハウスに住みたいです。

3. あなたのセールスポイント (special personal quality) は何ですか？

4. If you have lived in the ILC, please indicate what ILC events or activities you liked the most and why (i.e. Roundtable dinners, INTL-ST 310 fall, INTL-ST 310 Spring, Discussion Section 009).

Please read carefully, sign, and date:

By signing, I understand that submitting an application for Nihongo Hausu does not guarantee an assignment to this program and that all applicants must be approved by the Japanese Department. I also understand that the main purpose of the Nihongo Hausu program is to enable students to gain, maintain and improve fluency in the Japanese language by using it as their primary means of communication with Nihongo Hausu residents. I understand that the use of Japanese is obligatory at all Nihongo Hausu activities and events. I agree to participate fully in the cultural and social activities of the Nihongo Hausu, including taking meals regularly with the other residents in the dining room. I understand that I am required to enroll in the one credit Nihongo Hausu course in the fall (information on enrolling will be sent during the summer).

Signature

Date

Application Instructions:

There are different application instructions based on your student classification:

- 1. Current University Housing Resident:** Complete your language program application as soon as possible.
- 2. Current UW-Madison Student, But NOT University Housing Resident:** You must apply for both a University Housing contract AND for the Nihongo Hausu program. Housing contracts are sent to interested students as long as space remains available. Thus, early housing applications and early language program applications are encouraged.
- 3. New UW-Madison Student:** You must receive a housing contract AND apply for the Nihongo Hausu program. Housing contracts are sent based on the admission dates of students as long as space remains available. If you receive a housing contract, please submit your Nihongo Hausu application no later than **May 1**.

Please submit completed application at go.wisc.edu/my-housing under the designated area.

Program Information:

For more information on activities in the Nihongo Hausu:

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