

2023 JLPT

Test Site Information – Chicago, IL

Test Date: Sunday, December 3, 2023

Test Location: De Paul University, Lincoln Park Campus; [Levan Center](#)
2322 N. Kenmore Avenue, Chicago, IL 60614
Entrance is located between Levan Center and O'Connell Hall on Kenmore Ave.
<https://www.depaul.edu/campus-maps/Pages/default.aspx>

Observance of COVID-19 Health and Safety Measures

<https://resources.depaul.edu/coronavirus/Pages/default.aspx>

- **COVID-19 vaccine and booster:** While no longer required, everyone on campus is encouraged to stay up-to-date with their COVID vaccinations.
- **Face masks:** Masks are not required in indoor spaces on campus. However, we will continue to be a mask-friendly campus and wearing a mask will be highly recommended for all indoor spaces.
- Please do NOT contact the hosting institution. For any questions of the COVID health and safety measure, please contact AATJ. E-mail: jlpt@aatj.org

If you are feeling unwell on the Test Day

- If you have any symptoms of COVID-19 (for example coughing, sore throat, high fever and/or headache) on the Test Day, you should not attend the Test.
- The Host Institution reserves the right to refuse you from sitting the exam at its absolute discretion, if you are reasonably suspected to have such symptoms of COVID-19. In that event, you will be deemed to have forfeited any Test fee that you have paid.

Reporting Time and Test Schedule:

- Please arrive at the test site during the scheduled reporting time. Upon arriving at the test site, report to your assigned classroom. You must present your **admission voucher (print out)** and proper **photo identification** to a proctor in order to be allowed into the classroom.
- Since the test takes place during winter, when severe weather could affect roads and public transportation, please make sure you allow for extra time to reach the test site as well as to return home.

Level	Report Time ID Check	Test Instruction	Language Knowledge & Reading	Break	Test Instruction	Listening
N1	12:30- 12:50 (30 min)	1:00-1:10 (10 min)	1:10-3:00 (110 min)	3:00-3:20 (20 min)	3:20-3:25 (5 min)	3:25-4:20 (55 min)
N2	12:30- 12:50 (30 min)	1:00-1:10 (10 min)	1:10-2:55 (105 min)	2:55-3:15 (20 min)	3:15-3:20 (5 min)	3:20-4:10 (50 min)

Level	Report Time ID Check	Instruction	Vocabulary	Break	Instruction	Grammar & Reading	Break	Instruction	Listening
N3	12:30- 1:00 (30 min)	1:00-1:10 (10 min)	1:10-1:40 (30 min)	1:40-1:55 (15 min)	1:55-2:00 (5 min)	2:00-3:10 (70 min)	3:10-3:25 (15 min)	3:25-3:30 (5 min)	3:30-4:10 (40 min)
N4	12:30- 1:00 (30 min)	1:00-1:10 (10 min)	1:10-1:35 (25 min)	1:35-1:50 (15 min)	1:50-1:55 (5 min)	1:55-2:50 (55 min)	2:50-3:05 (15 min)	3:05-3:10 (5 min)	3:10-3:45 (35 min)
N5	12:30- 1:00 (30 min)	1:00-1:10 (10 min)	1:10-1:30 (20 min)	1:30-1:45 (15 min)	1:45-1:50 (5 min)	1:50-2:30 (40 min)	2:30-2:45 (15 min)	2:45-2:50 (5 min)	2:50-3:20 (30 min)

Note1: There will be a short break between sections. The schedule above is subject to change in the event of any unexpected situation at the test site.

Note2: The running time of the Listening comprehension may fluctuate by plus or minus 2 to 3 minutes depending on the year. Therefore, the end time of the final subject may vary slightly.

Special Accommodations:

Test schedule for test takers with special arrangements are as follows:

Level	Report Time ID Check	Test Instruction	Language Knowledge & Reading	Break	Test Instruction	Listening
N1 10076	12:00- 12:05 (5 min)	12:05-12:15 (10 min)	12:15-2:40 (145 min)	2:40-2:55 (15 min)	2:55-3:00 (5 min)	3:00-4:15 (75 min)
N2 20096	12:00- 12:05 (5 min)	12:05-12:15 (10 min)	12:15-2:35 (140 min)	2:35-2:50 (15 min)	2:50-2:55 (5 min)	2:55-4:00 (65 min)
N2 20123	12:00- 12:05 (5 min)	12:05-12:15 (10 min)	12:15-2:35 (140 min)	2:35-2:50 (15 min)	2:50-2:55 (5 min)	2:55-4:00 (65 min)

Note: The above schedules are approximate. Subject to change depending on the headquarters' decision on the application for Special Accommodation in November.

Room Assignment:

- Your room assignment is based on the last 5 digits of your registration number, which is printed on your admission voucher.
- Room assignments are subject to change on the test day. In case there is a room change, a notice will be posted.

Test Level	Registration Numbers	Location (Classroom)
N1	10001~10040	Levan 100
N1	10041~10060	Levan 203
N1	10061~10080 (not 10076)	Levan 203 202
N1	10081~10101	Levan 203 201
N1 (SA)	10076	Levan 404
N2	20001~20026	Levan 305

N2	20027~20048	Levan 307
N2	20049~20070	Levan 308
N2	20071~20092	Levan 304
N2	20093~20115 (not 20096 or 20123)	Levan 303
N2	20116~20140	Levan 301
N2 (SA)	20096 & 20123	Levan 403
N3	30001~30025	Levan 405
N3	30026~30050	Levan 406
N3	30051~30070	Levan 407
N3	30071~30090	Levan 401
N4	40001~40025	Levan 506
N4	40026~40045	Levan 507
N4	40046~40065	Levan 508
N4	40066~40085	Levan 501
N5	50001~50025	Levan 505
N5	50026~50045	Levan 504
N5	50046~50065	Levan 503
N5	50066~50085	Levan 502
Administration Office		Levan 408

What to Bring to the Test Site:

You **MUST** bring the following items to the test site.

1. **A mask.** Masks are not required in indoor spaces on campus. However, we will continue to be a mask-friendly campus and wearing a mask will be highly recommended for all indoor spaces.
2. Your **admission voucher (print-out).**
3. A **valid form of photo ID.** Copies are not accepted.
 - Acceptable forms of official identification include driver's license, passport, or student ID. Social security cards, credit or ATM cards, and retail credit cards are not acceptable.
 - The name on your voucher must match the name on your official ID that you bring to the test center.
 - It is your responsibility to ensure that your official ID is valid and available on the day of the test.

- ID checks are strictly enforced. If you arrive at the test center without a valid ID, you will not be permitted to take the test.
- 4. Several sharpened No. 2 or HB **pencils** and an **eraser** for multiple-choice answer sheets. Pencils and erasers will not be supplied at the test center. Pens are NOT permitted.
- 5. An analog watch
Do NOT bring a watch that beeps. **You cannot use your cell phone as a timepiece.**

Prohibited Materials:

Do Not Bring the Following Items to the Test Site:

1. Electronic equipment, including **cell phones** of any kind; **personal computing devices** (laptops, notebooks, **Bluetooth devices** such as wireless earbuds/headphones, or tablets); **cameras**; separate timers of any kind; audio players/recorders or headphones; wearable technology; **digital watches**, including smartwatches; or any other prohibited devices that can be used to record, transmit, or receive information.
 - All cell phones and other devices described above must be completely turned off and stored in your bag under your seat during the test. If your device makes any noise for whatever reason, including incoming calls, vibrate mode, accidents, etc., we will void your test score and you will not receive a score for the test.
2. Handwritten or printed materials.
 - cheat sheets written on paper, Japanese characters on skin, clothing and personal belongings.
3. **Food or drinks**, except water in a clear bottle with **no label** and **with a secure lid**.
The water bottle must be stored in your bag under your seat, not on your desk, during the test.

Note: If you are traveling from a distance and have any prohibited items or a travel bag with you, you must leave your belongings with a proctor at your designated classroom during the test. Your personal bag should be kept under your seat and should not block any walkways.

General Testing Guidelines:

- Dress so that you can adapt to any room temperature.
- Guests who accompany you to the test site are not allowed in the classroom.
- You are not allowed to leave the test room until a proctor dismisses you. If you get sick during the test and must leave the room, you must notify the proctor so that the proctor can accompany you out of the room.

Contact:

Please direct all questions and inquiries to:

American Association of Teachers of Japanese (AATJ)

Tel: (303) 492-5487 E-mail: jilpt@aatj.org

Directions to Lincoln Park Campus:

Directions: <http://www.depaul.edu/about/campuses/Pages/lincoln-park.aspx>

(Click Directions to Lincoln Park Campus)

Campus map: : <http://www.depaul.edu/campus-maps/Pages/default.aspx>

(Click Lincoln Park Campus).

By Car

From the north and northwest:

From the Kennedy Expressway (I-90/I-94) exit at Fullerton Avenue and turn left (east.) The Lincoln Park campus is approximately two miles from the expressway on Fullerton Avenue at Kenmore Avenue.

From the west:

From the Eisenhower Expressway (I-290), turn onto the Kennedy Expressway (I-90/I-94) heading toward Wisconsin. From the Kennedy Expressway (I-90/I-94) exit at Fullerton Avenue and turn right (east.) The Lincoln Park campus is approximately two miles from the expressway on Fullerton Avenue at Kenmore Avenue.

From the south:

From the Dan Ryan Expressway (I-90/I-94) continue as the expressway becomes the Kennedy Expressway (I-90/I-94). Exit at Fullerton Avenue and turn right (east.) The Lincoln Park campus is approximately two miles from the expressway on Fullerton Avenue at Kenmore Avenue.

From Lake Shore Drive (north or south) Exit Lake Shore Drive at Fullerton Avenue. Head west for approximately three miles. The Lincoln Park campus is located on Fullerton Avenue at Kenmore Avenue.

By Public Transportation

Rapid Transit Lines:

Three rapid transit train lines service the Lincoln Park area and DePaul's Lincoln Park campus. Exit at the Fullerton station. After coming down the steps, turn left (west) and walk two blocks to Kenmore Avenue. These are the train lines servicing the Lincoln Park campus:

- Howard/Dan Ryan (Red)
- Evanston Express (Purple)
- Ravenswood (Brown)

You may transfer to these lines from all other train lines in most downtown stations.

Buses:

Bus routes interconnect throughout the city. Several buses stop very near the Lincoln Park campus. All routes are subject to change by the CTA.

(#74 Fullerton Avenue; #11 Lincoln Avenue; #8 Halsted Street)

You may reach the CTA at 312-836-7000 or 1-800-972-7000 or TDD (Hearing Impaired) 312-836-4949. For more information, visit www.transitchicago.com.

Parking:

- Visitors may park in the [Sheffield Parking Garage](#), 2331 North Sheffield or the [Clifton Parking Deck](#), 2330 North Clifton Avenue.
- Parking location: <https://www.depaul.edu/campus-maps/Pages/default.aspx>
 - Parking Fee: **\$9.50** (Flat Rate for All Day Special Event Parking: You must show a test taker voucher at the time of exit to get the flat rate. Vouchers will be provided by your test room proctors after the test.

Accommodations:

For suggestions for accommodations, please visit the following URL:

<http://www.depaul.edu/about/campuses/Pages/lincoln-park.aspx>

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