

# JLPT N5 Grammar Checklist

Beginner Japanese grammar patterns to recognise and practise

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## CORE SENTENCE PATTERNS

- Topic-comment sentences with wa.
- Subject focus with ga.
- Objects with o.
- Location actions with de.
- Destinations and existence with ni.
- Questions with ka.

## VERB FORMS

- Dictionary form: taberu, iku, nomu, suru.
- Masu form: tabemasu, ikimasu, nomimasu.
- Negative form: tabenai, ikanai, nomanai.
- Past form: tabeta, itta, nonda.
- Te-form: tabete, itte, nonde.

## STUDY ROUTINE

- Review one pattern at a time.
- Make three original sentences.
- Say the sentences aloud.
- Practise with the Syntax Builder or Japanese Conjugator.