

Announcement of the Start of the Application Process for the Japanese Language Proficiency Test

7/July/2025 (Updated on 25/July/2025)

Dear Sir / Madam,

We are pleased to announce that we will once again be conducting the Japanese Language Proficiency Test (JLPT) in South Africa. This year's test will be held on the 7th of December 2025 at the Japanese School of Johannesburg. Please note that all applicants will be required to arrive at the venue by 10:00 a.m. The detailed schedule will be sent to applicants after the application period has closed.

Applications will be accepted as follows:

1. Application Period: **From 7 July to 31 August/2025**

※Please allow plenty of time to submit the application. Applications submitted after 31 August will not be accepted.

2. How to apply: **Starting this year, applications will only be accepted via email.**

①Download the application form. <https://www.za.emb-japan.go.jp/files/100871529.pdf>

② Fill out the necessary information while referring to the test guide. (If filling out electronically, only fill in the first page. The information will automatically be reflected on pages 2 and beyond.)

Please note that the fields for your address and email are on page 2.

③Attach image data of your photo to the designated spots on pages 4 and 5.

④Sign in the designated spots on pages 1 to 3.

⑤Submit the completed application form together with the proof of bank transfer (see below) by email (PDF format) to the email address below.

Email address: jlpt.sa@pr.mofa.go.jp (the data size should be 5MB or less)

※Please note that the email address has been changed.

Please use the subject line: "JLPT 2025 [First Name] [Last Name]".

Please note that applications without the correct subject line may not be accepted.

3. Levels: N1 – N5 (only one level may be taken per applicant).

4. Cost: **R400** per applicant

Applications submitted without proof of bank transfer will not be accepted.

5. Payment Method: Please make payment in advance and send the proof of bank transfer together with the application form by email. Please ensure the data size is 5MB or less.

Account Holder:	JAPANESE LANGUAGE PROFICIENCY TEST
Bank:	FNB
Branch:	BROOKLYN
Account Number:	62479182398
Branch Code:	250 655
Account Type:	CALL ACCOUNT
Reference:	[First Name Last Name]

If you do not receive a confirmation email acknowledging receipt of your application by Tuesday, 2 September, please kindly contact us.

Inquiries can be made to: The Embassy of Japan in South Africa: Cultural Section

Email: jlpt.sa@pr.mofa.go.jp **※This is a new email address.**

JLPT Website <http://www.jlpt.jp/e/index.html>

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