The 30 Days at a Glance

Every lesson, its tool, and what you'll be able to do

DAY		LESSON
1	ひらがな	**Hiragana** The 46 basic sounds and how to read them. ▶ Hiragana Ladder
2	カタカナ	**Katakana** The second alphabet, for borrowed words and names. ▶ Katakana Ladder
3	は	**は (wa): the topic** Set the topic of a sentence: "As for me...".
4	です	**です (desu)** "Is / am / are," plus counting to 1,000.
5	が	**が (ga): the subject** New information and the subject, versus は. ▶ は or が? manga game
6	と・や	**と & や (to & ya)** Two ways to say "and": complete and partial lists. ▶ と or や? quiz
7	一段	**Ichidan verbs** The "ru" verbs, the easy group. ▶ Ichidan Conjugator
8	五段	**Godan verbs** The "u" verbs, the five-sound group. ▶ Godan Conjugator
9	あいうえお	**Verb bases 1–5** The a-i-u-e-o bases every verb runs through.
10	て・た	**Base Te & Base Ta** The last two bases, and the sound changes. ▶ Verb Conjugator
11	時	**The Quadrant** Present, past, positive and negative, in one grid. ▶ The Quadrant
12	来る	**Exception verbs** する, くる, and godan verbs in disguise. ▶ Exception Verbs Quiz
13	いる	**いる & ある** "To exist": living versus non-living things. ▶ いる or ある? quiz
14	か	**か (ka)** Turn any sentence into a question.
15	に	**に (ni)** Time, destination, and where things are.

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16	を	**を (wo): the object** Mark what the verb is done to.
17	で	**で (de), part 1** Where the action happens.
18	も	**も (mo)** "Too" and "also."
19	と	**Quotative と (to)** Quote what someone said or thought.
20	の	**の (no)** Connect nouns: my, your, Japan's.
21	で	**で (de), part 2** The means: by bus, with chopsticks.
22	よね	**よ & ね (yo & ne)** Sentence-ending particles for emphasis and agreement.
23	い	**い-adjectives** Describe things and change their tense.
24	な	**な-adjectives** The other adjective group, and how to spot it. ▶ い or な? quiz
25	副詞	**Adverbs** Turn adjectives into adverbs: い→く, な→に. ▶ Adverb Builder
26	こそあど	**The Kodoasaur** これ, それ, あれ, どれ and the whole family. ▶ Kodoasaur Builder
27	を	**を (wo), part 2** Moving through, across, and out of places.
28	ベース	**The bases explained** What each of the seven bases is actually for.
29	ている	**Base Te + いる** Say "-ing": what's happening right now.
30	完	**(の)ために** "For" and "in order to." Challenge complete!