

LESSON NOTES

Kantan Kana S2 #20

Kantan Kana #20: Katakana マ, ミ, ム, ヌ,

モ

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VOCABULARY

Kanji	Kana	Romaji	English
ママ	ママ	mama	mama, mother
マスク	マスク	masuku	mask
ミニ	ミニ	mini	mini
ハム	ハム	hamu	ham
チーム	チーム	chīmu	team
メキシコ	メキシコ	mekishiko	Mexico
メス	メス	mesu	scalpel
モナコ	モナコ	monako	Monaco
モーモー	モーモー	mōmō	moo (sound a cow makes)

SAMPLE SENTENCES

わたしはメキシコがすきです。
Watashi wa Mekishiko ga suki desu.

I like Mexico.

GRAMMAR

Lesson #17 - マ、ミ、ム、メ、モ

マ number of strokes: 2

Starts out the same as ア but the second line is completely different.

ミ number of strokes: 3

Three lines on a slanting angle with the middle line slightly shorter.

ム number of strokes: 2

メ number of strokes: 2

Be careful not to make this look like an X. Make sure that the first stroke is curved slightly and the second stroke is shorter and straight.

ㇿ **number of strokes: 3**

The k atakana ㇿ is quite similar to the hiragana む, but slightly angular looking.

ㇿ	ㇿ	ㇿ			
ㇿ	ㇿ	ㇿ			
ㇿ	ㇿ	ㇿ			
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