Student Application Form ver. 2023

Date: ______________  Language: ______________  Course Number: __________  Class Time: __________

Name: __________________________________________  Student ID: _______________________

Email: __________________________________________  Phone Number: ____________________

Major: __________________________  Year:  Freshman  Sophomore  Junior  Senior  Graduate  Other

Answer the questions below regarding the language you wish to study and your background in it.

1. Why are you interested in learning this language? How does it relate to your major and future goal?

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2. Was the language spoken in the household in which you grew up? If not, what language was spoken?

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3. When growing up, did you attend any local schools where the language was spoken? If so, which grade did you complete?

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4. Did you study the language in the U.S. before? Where and how many years did you study?

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5. What other languages are you familiar with? Describe where and how long you learned them.

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I have read and learned about the World Languages & Cultures Taped Program at https://tapedprogram.utk.edu/.

I understand and accept that the nature and demands of modified self-instructional language program differ from those of the traditional language courses and that studying ________________ (language) ____________ (course number) will require a great deal of time, energy, self-direction, and self-discipline. I also understand and accept that the tutor (classroom language trainer) as well as the text and audio materials provided in the course are my only resources for learning and that my success depends upon my commitment to studying the language in the modified self-instructional format, such as self-study of the text and audios prior to the class meetings.

I further understand and accept the following statements.

1. I will learn tips to study the language in the modified self-instructional format by revisiting World Languages & Cultures Taped Program as needed.

2. I will be penalized for having more than two unexcused absences during the semester, with each additional absence resulting in a deduction of one percent from my final grade.

3. My preparedness for class and performance in class will be evaluated by the tutor in each class session, and they will be reported to the director. I have access to my record at any time upon request.

4. My final oral exam will be arranged according to the availability of the examiner. The examiner is most likely a professor at a university outside the University of Tennessee and the exam may be administered online, such as via Skype. I agree to make myself available for the final oral exam on the date and time scheduled in cooperation with the examiner. I understand that this may involve an appointment before or after the University’s regular finals week.

5. My final course grade will be based on my (1) class attendance, performance, and preparation, in addition to my performances on (2) the weekly quizzes, (3) the written midterm exam, (4) the written final exam, and (5) the oral final exam administered by the examiner.

6. It is my responsibility to withdraw from this course should I decide to do so and notify the director as soon as possible.

Date: __________________

Your name: ______________________________________

Signature: ______________________________________