



**Critical Languages Program
STUDENT CONTRACT**

I, _____, am enrolled in _____, for the _____ semester 20____.

I understand this language is being offered by the C.L.P. on the Self-Instructional Format, which means I shall sincerely endeavor to learn as much as I can on my own efforts by studying the text-book assigned and by listening to the audio material on a regular basis (5 hours per week minimum).

I understand that I will be assigned to a tutorial session that will meet for 3 hours per week. I understand my attendance at the tutorial session is **essential to my success in the course**. I understand these tutorial sessions are designed to be **PRACTICE SESSIONS** during which time I will be expected to listen to the target language as spoken by the tutor. I will endeavor to speak this language during the practice sessions and avoid use of **English** as much as possible. **I understand that courses are not open to native speakers of the languages.**

I understand there are **NO EXCUSED ABSENCES**: sickness does not excuse a student from attending the tutorial sessions. Although there are **3 tolerated absences during semester**, if I am absent from the tutorial sessions more than 3 times this will have an adverse affect on my course grade, despite my performance on the final examination. **The 4th absence** constitutes grounds for lowering my grade one full letter below what I achieve on the final examination. **The 5th absence** constitutes grounds for lowering my grade two full letters below what I achieve on the final examination. **The 6th absence** constitutes grounds for a final grade of "F" despite the grade I achieve on the final oral and written examinations.

I understand the tutor assigned to me was selected by the C.L.P. because he or she is a native speaker of the target language. The tutor is **NOT** a trained linguist. The tutor provides the C.L.P. with biweekly reports that record: (a) attendance of each student and (b) whether the student has come to the tutorial session prepared and (1) handed in assigned homework (2) showed evidence of having listening to the audio material, and (3) participated in any quizzes. These reports will influence the final course grade.

I understand the **FINAL COURSE GRADE** will be based on the grading criteria set forth in the course syllabus. Please see your instructor if you have any questions regarding this.

Date: _____ Signed: _____