Greetings, everyone! Your purpose today is to create a blog for our Intercultural Understanding and English class.

First, go to <u>www.wordpress.com</u>

When you open this page, you'll see something like this...



Next, let's change to Japanese (perhaps easier for you). Go to <u>Language</u> (the pink box above)...

Language:	English	*

and click the triangle...you'll see several languages, but click the bottom More languages link. You'll see this page...

Languages

If you speak English, you can help us translate WordPress into your language.

Other languages:af, als, ar, arc, as, ast, av, ay, az, ba, be, bg, bm, bn, bo, br, bs, ca, ce, fa, fi, fil, fo, fr, fur, fy, ga, gl, gn, gu, he, hi, hr, hu, hy, ia, id, ii, ilo, is, t, ja, ka, km, kn, ko, kk nap, ne, nds, nl, nn, no, non, nv, oc, or, os, pa, pl, ps, pt, pt-br, qu, ro, ru, sc, sd, si, sk, s uz, vec, vi, wa, xal, yi, za, zh, zh-cn, zh-hk, zh-sg, zh-tw,

ON WORDPRESS.COM	ALSO COOL
24/7 Support	iPhone App
Forums	BlackBerry App
Free Features	WordPress.org
Premium Features	WordPress.tv
VIP Hosting	Fan WP on Facabook



Select *ja* for Japanese (the pink circle) and the previous page will magically change [©]



Probably you'd guess to then become a member, right? Yes, of course you would... click the large 今すぐ会員登録 button.

Then you'll see the page below... simply

- (1) choose a user name that will appear in your blog's web address; for example, if you choose <u>doraemon</u>, then your blog address would become <u>http://doraemon.wordpress.com</u>
- (b) choose a super-secret password and enter it twice,
- (c) enter your e-mail address (any address is OK),
- (d) click in the little box to indicate that you've read the *fascinating terms of service* [かなり興味がそそられるサービス規約], and
- (e) go to the next page [進む].

数秒で WordPress.com アカウントを作成

このフォームに記入するだけで、すぐにブログを始められます!

ユーザー名	(最短4文字。半角英数字のみ)	
パスワード		
確認	パスワードには、大文字や小文字のアルファベットや数字、/"\$\$%^&(のような記号を使用してください。	
メールアドレス	(ニのアドレスに重要な情報を送りますので、 それを3重にチェックしてください 。)	
法律関連のあれこれ:	□かなり興味がそそられるサービス規約を読み、同意しました。	
	◉ブログを作る (例: username.wordpress.com) ○ ユーザー名のみを作成	

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On the next page you'll check things and...

- (1) name your blog: [name]'s English S Blog
- (2) choose the language for your blog (English)
- (3) check the privacy box, and

(4) click the register 登録 button 😳

ブログ名	Ichiro's English S Blog The blog title can be changed at any time.	
使用言語	ブログを書く際、主に使う言語は何ですか?	en - English 🗸
ブライバシー	☑ Google や Technoratiのような検索エンジンと WordPress.com の公開リストにこのブログが表示されることを希望します。	
登録 >		

Next, check your e-mail for a message from wordpress, click the link in the e-mail, and you'll be blogging!

Of course, to write on <u>your</u> blog you'll need to login using your username (e.g., doraemon) and your super-secret password.

OK, good people, I would suggest you do two things:

- (1) send your blog address to Mr. Elwood (elwood.jim@gmail.com), and
- (2) post a self-introduction about you and your project ... you will simply:

Click on "My Dashboard" in the upper left corner... Click on "New Post" [新規投稿], Write your self-introduction, and Post it.

Note: for the technical changes, you may change the administrator's language to Japanese by changing the Interface language to Japanese (pink box below).



If you do so, your interface would be in Japanese like this...but the actual blog would remain in English [©]

