

BEGINNING BURMESE

A distance learning course

The Center for Southeast Asian Studies at Northern Illinois University is offering **distance learning Burmese**, a language spoken by the majority of people in Burma/ Myanmar. This course offers students the flexibility of studying the language from anywhere over the internet. All instruction will be live and conducted by NIU Burmese language professor Tharaphi Than.

This course assumes no prior knowledge of the language. At the end of the course, students will be able to engage in everyday conversations and use the language for travel—from hiring a taxi to asking for a visa extension. Students will also learn how to read and write basic colloquial Burmese. The course will be taught in English and Burmese.

Class size is limited to 15. This is a **non-credit bearing course**, designed for students, professionals, or others interested in learning beginning Burmese. For more information, please contact Tharaphi Than at tthan@niu.edu.

Dates and Meeting Times

Module 1 will run Sept. 27 to Dec. 6, 2018 every **Thursday** from 8:30 to 10:30am CST

Course Fees

\$480 per module for 20 hours over 10 weeks

Continuation of the Course

Based on the demand, modules 2 and 3 of the beginning course may be offered.

Course Requirements

Colloquial Burmese by San San Hnin Tun (ISBN-13: 978-0415517300); access to internet.

How to Enroll

To enroll in distance Burmese, or one-on-one or tailor-made courses, contact Tharaphi Than at tthan@niu.edu.



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Distance Language Instruction (non-credit)

Participant Information

Name of Customer: _____

Semester: Fall 2018

Language: Beginning Burmese

Module: 1 2 3
(check one)

Instructor: Dr. Tharaphi Than

Instructor's Email: tthan@niu.edu

Billing Address/Information

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Additional Address

Other (describe below)

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 Telephone Number: _____
 Facsimile (FAX) Number: _____
 Federal Tax ID (SSN or TIN): _____ or FEIN: _____

Additional Contact Information

E-mail address: _____
 Other: _____

Please complete this form and submit to:

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