

A grayscale photograph of a person with dark hair wearing large headphones, sitting at a desk and looking intently at a laptop screen. Their hands are clasped together near their chin. The background is blurred, showing what appears to be a modern office or studio environment with other people and equipment. A white rectangular frame is superimposed over the image, containing the text.

SAMOAN 101

Lesona 2

Lesson Outline

Review

Review of Pi Faitau
& Song
(quiz each student)

New Concept

Fa'afeiloa'iga &
Etiquette

New Concept

Macron & Glottal
Stop

Summary

- Review Homework
Expectations
- Fa'afeiloa'iga dialogue
video send in

Role Play

Lesona 2

We will review these skills:

- Class-Review Pi Faitau Song-or memorized quiz of alphabet
- Every class member to review the alphabet
- Review of Homework assignments
- Macron & Glottal stop review
- Samoan Greetings & Etiquette
- Role Play



Macron-Fa'amamafa

In most words, the second last syllable is stressed

'isūmu → mouse pepēlo → to lie

Words can have multiple stresses, especially compound words.

Notice presence of macrons, which change the pronunciation of the vowels:

fa'amālamlāma → to explain

Violē → purple



Tama-Boy / Tamā-Father



Aua-Don't / Auā-Because

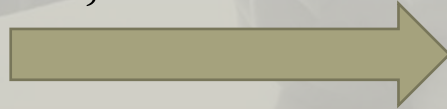


Moli-Orange (Fruit) Mōlī-Lamp

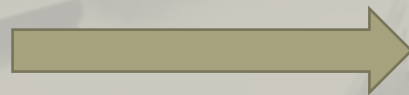
Glottal Stop

Glottal stop (')

This symbol creates a short pause between two vowels, for example:



Spotting a glottal stop at the start of a word can be difficult at first, so you might find it easier to listen for words which do not begin with one.



Fai –To Do

Fa'i-Banana



Tau-season

Ta'u-to tell



Ulu-head

'Ulu-breadfruit

Photograph of the family of Faumuina, one of the important chiefs of the Faleata district near Apia, Savai'i, Western Samoa. Photographed by Alfred James Tattersall. Not to be confused with Mata'afa Faumuina Fiaame Mulinu'u I.



Samoaan Etiquette

- The heart of Samoan culture is aiga-family.
- Formal Samoan and Colloquial Samoan
- Fa'aaloalo-Respect
- Tautua-Service
- Alofa-Love

Greetings & Phrases

Common phrases and greetings are used formally and informally depending on if individuals may have honorific titles or status.

Talofa lava	Hello
Afio mai	Welcome
Tofa Soifua	Good bye
Manuia lou aso	Have a great day
O a mai oe?	How are you?
Manuia le aoauli	Good Afternoon
Fa'afetai lava	Thank you very much.
Tulou lava	Excuse me
Ia manuia le po/afiafi	Have a good night/evening
Fa'amolemole	Please
Malo le soifua	Hello/good health
Fa'amalie atu	Sorry

Fa'afeiloa'iga





Time To Practice

Role Play

Manu: Malo Soifua!

Ioane: Talofa lava Manu ma Elisa! O a mai oulua?
(oulua-two people)

Elisa: Manuia Fa'afetai Ioane.

Manu: Oute fia fa'atau se talo fa'amolemole.

Elisa: Manu-manatua le fasi povi ma le keke.

Ioane-Oi, e faia se lua 'aiga manaia taeao?

Manu- O lea lava. O le asiasi mai lo'u uso ma lona aiga.

Ioane- Ua lelei. O lou talo, fasi povi ma le keke lea.
Fa'afetai lava.

Elisa: Fa'afetai lava Ioane-la manuia le afiafi.



Summary

- Greetings are an easy way to practice incorporating Samoan this week.
- Practice the role-play-send in video of your recording practicing
- Review 10 new words from vocabulary for week 2

Course Progress

Lesona 1

Pi Faitau

Lesona 2

Samoan
Etiquette &
Greetings

Lesona 3

Numbers, Weeks,
Days

Lesona 4

Family

Lesona 5

Around the
Home



FA'AFETAI LAVA!

Manuia le vaiaso fou!

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