Offered Summer 2013 for the FIRST time

SWAH 1010: Elementary Swahili I

Do you know anything about the Swahili language? Can you list the Swahili alphabet? Can you talk, write or read anything in Swahili?

With little to no background in Swahili, this course provides students with basic knowledge of standard Swahili. It gives them a foundation in listening, speaking, reading, and writing the basic grammatical structures and the vocabulary essential for simple conversations based on simple dialogues in Swahili. Students will also get the opportunity to explore the cultural context of the Swahili language through videos, life stories and backgrounds behind common Swahili proverbs. 70% of the class time will be devoted to conversation and oral practice. Students taking the course will be required to have additional laboratory work.

**There is no pre-requisite for this course.**

3. English Swahili Dictionary by Willy A. Kirkeby (order through Amazon) OR

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