

**KAI** – shellfish (cf. No. 240); be in between,  
mediate

介入	<i>kainyū</i> intervention	52
介在	<i>kaizai</i> lie/stand/come between	268
魚介	<i>gyokai</i> fish and shellfish, marine products	290
一介の	<i>ikkai no</i> mere, only	2



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界 略

# **KAI** – world; boundary

世界	<i>sekai</i> world	252
世界史	<i>sekaishi</i> world history	252, 332
学界	<i>gakkai</i> academic world	109
外界	<i>gaikai</i> external world, outside	83
下界	<i>gekai</i> this world, the earth below	31

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招

***SHŌ***, *mane(ku)* – beckon to, invite, cause

招待 *shōtai* invitation

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手招き *temaneki* beckoning

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紹

***SHŌ*** – introduce, help

紹介 *shōkai* introduction,  
presentation

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自己紹介 *jiko shōkai* introduce  
oneself 62, 371, 460



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**KAN** – cold; midwinter **samu(i)** – cold

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| 寒氣 | <i>kanki</i> the cold         | 134 |
| 寒中 | <i>kanchū</i> the cold season | 28  |
| 極寒 | <i>gokkan</i> severe cold     | 336 |

寒村 *kanson* poor/lonely village

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寒空 *samuzora* wintry sky, cold  
weather

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塞

***SAI, SOKU, fusa(gu)*** – stop/plug up, block

***fusa(garu)*** – be closed/blocked

閉塞 *heisoku* blockade; obstruction

401

要塞 *yōsai* fortress, stronghold

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終

***SHŪ, o(waru)*** – come to an end ***o(eru)*** –  
bring to an end

最終 *saishū* last 263

終戦 *shūsen* end of the war 301

終点 *shūten* end of the line, last stop,  
169

terminus

終身	<i>shūshin</i> for life, lifelong	59
終日	<i>shūjitsu</i> all day long	5



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冬

**TŌ, fuyu** – winter

立冬	<i>rittō</i> first day of winter	121
真冬	<i>mafuyu</i> midwinter, dead of winter	428

冬向き	<i>fuyumuki</i> for winter	199
冬物	<i>fuyumono</i> winter clothing	79
冬空	<i>fuyuzora</i> winter sky	140



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春

***SHUN, haru*** – spring

春分(の日)	<i>shunbun (no hi)</i> vernal equinox	38, 5
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立春	<i>rissshun</i>	beginning of spring	121
青春	<i>seishun</i>	springtime of life, youth	208
壳春	<i>baishun</i>	prostitution	239
春画	<i>shunga</i>	obscene picture, pornography	343



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夏		

***KA, [GE], natsu*** – summer

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立夏	<i>rikka</i> beginning of summer	121
真夏	<i>manatsu</i> midsummer, height of summer	428
夏物	<i>natsumono</i> summer clothing	79
夏休み	<i>natsuyasumi</i> summer vacation	60

秋



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# ***SHŪ, aki*** – fall, autumn

春夏秋冬	<i>shunkashūtō</i>	all the year round	468, 469, 467
春秋	<i>shunjū</i>	spring and autumn; years, age	468
秋分(の日)	<i>shūbun (no hi)</i>	autumnal equinox	38, 5
秋氣	<i>shūki</i>	the autumn air	134
秋風	<i>akikaze</i>	autumn breeze	29

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即

***SOKU*** – on the spot, immediate

即時 *sokuji* instantly, immediately, on  
the spot 42

即日 *sokujitsu* on the same day 5

即金 *sokkin* cash; payment in cash 23

即席 *sokuseki* extemporaneous,  
impromptu 380

即興 *sokkyō* improvised, ad-lib 369



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節

***SETSU, [SECHI]*** – season; occasion; section;  
 paragraph; verse ***fushi*** – joint; knuckle; melody;  
 point

時節 *jisetsu* time of the year; the  
times

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調節 *chōsetsu* adjustment, regulation

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使節 *shisetsu* envoy, mission

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節約 *setsuyaku* economizing, thrift

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季

## **KI** – season

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| 季節   | <i>kisetsu</i> season, time of the year              | 472     |
| 四季   | <i>shiki</i> the four seasons                        | 6       |
| 季節風  | <i>kisetsufū</i> seasonal wind,<br>monsoon           | 472, 29 |
| 季節外れ | <i>kisetsuhazure</i> out of<br>season                | 472, 83 |
| 季語   | <i>kigo</i> word indicating the season<br>(in haiku) | 67      |



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委

*I, yuda(neru)* – entrust (to)

委任 *inin* trust, mandate,  
authorization

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委員 *iin* committee member

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委員会 *iinkai* committee

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湖

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湖

**KO, mizuumi** – lake

湖水	<i>kosui</i> lake	21
火口湖	<i>kakōko</i> crater lake	20, 54
湖面	<i>komen</i> surface of a lake	274
山中湖	<i>Yamanaka-ko</i> (lake near Mt. Fuji)	34, 28
十和田湖	<i>Towada-ko</i> (lake in Tōhoku)	12, 124, 35

潮

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潮

**CHŌ, shio** – tide; salt water; opportunity

満潮	<i>manchō</i>	high tide	201
潮流	<i>chōryū</i>	tidal current; trend of the times	247
風潮	<i>fūchō</i>	tide; tendency, trend	29
潮時	<i>shiodoki</i>	favorable tide; opportunity	42
黒潮	<i>Kuroshio</i>	Japan Current	206

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朝

**CHŌ** – morning; dynasty **asa** – morning

朝食	<i>chōshoku</i>	breakfast	322
平安朝	<i>Heianchō</i>	Heian period (794–1185)	202, 105
朝日	<i>asahi</i>	morning/rising sun	5
毎朝	<i>maiasa</i>	every morning	116
今朝	<i>kesa, konchō</i>	this morning	51



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**CHŪ, hiru** – daytime, noon

昼食	<i>chūshoku</i>	lunch	322
白昼に	<i>hakuchū ni</i>	in broad daylight	205
昼飯	<i>hirumeshi</i>	lunch	325
昼間	<i>hiruma</i>	daytime	43
昼休み	<i>hiruyasumi</i>	lunch break, noon recess	60

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*YA, yoru, yo* – night

昼夜	<i>chūya</i>	day and night	478
今夜	<i>kon'ya</i>	tonight	51
夜行	<i>yakō</i>	traveling by night; night train	68
夜学	<i>yagaku</i>	evening class	109
夜明け	<i>yoake</i>	dawn, daybreak	18



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液

**EKI** – liquid, fluid液体 *ekitai* liquid, fluid

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液化 *ekika* liquefaction

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