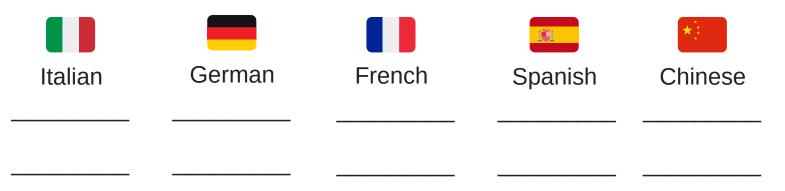
Loan Words To English, Pt. 1

Japanese uses many loan words (*gairaigo* or *wasei-igo*) from English and other languages. But so does English—do you know the meaning of these 10 words and their origin?

1. Ballet	2. Delicates	sen/Deli	3. Genre
4. Kinderg	arten 5.	Macho _	6. Patio
7. Gung-ho	8. Papar	azzi	9. Tarantula
	10. Keto	hup	

- A. a school that children go to before elementary school
- B. photographers who take pictures of famous people
- C. a type of dance
- D. a type or style of something (music, books, etc.)
- E. a big, scary species of spider
- F. a sauce put on hamburgers, french fries, etc.
- G. to be really excited or enthusiastic about something
- H. someone who is very strong or manly
- I. a shop that sells meat, sandwiches, and other small foods
- J. an area outside a house with tables and chairs, but no roof

Origin (there are 2 words from each):



Answer Key:

- 1. C
- 2. I
- 3. D
- 4. A
- 5. H
- 6. J
- 7. G
- 8. B
- 9. E
- 10. F

Italian: 8, 9

German: 2, 4

French: 1, 3

Spanish: 5, 6

Chinese: 7, 10