



IN-SESSIONAL SEMESTER COURSES AND SHORT INTENSIVE COURSES

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In-sessional German language courses for international students

SHORT INTENSIVE COURSES

German intensive language courses in March, September and October

Each year in March, September and October we run an German intensive language course that is designed to meet the specific needs of students in the **ERASMUS+ and other exchange programmes**. This courses are **mainly foreseen for exchange students** in order to **prepare them for their study visit in Germany**. If there are free places, other participants can be admitted too.

Our short intensive courses **start with the language proficiency level A2**, therefore absolute beginners cannot be admitted. Students must have previous knowledge of the German language. The course content includes information relevant to the **study stay at Saarland University (UdS)**, on campus as well as in Saarbrücken and the surrounding area.

Courses offered:

Approx. 16 participants per group

Class times:

Monday to Friday from 9.15 a.m. to 12.45 p.m.
plus occasional afternoon sessions
from 2.00 p.m. to 3.30 p.m.

Lesson contents:

- Reading comprehension and speaking skills
- Listening comprehension and speaking skills
- Grammar and text production

MARCH or SEPTEMBER INTENSIVE COURSE

Total contact hours: **80 units** (1 unit = 45 min class session)

Course fees: Erasmus students 150 Euro
Students of UdS & externals 250 Euro

Students can acquire **6 ECTS** in case of regular participation and after successfully taking the final exam.

OCTOBER INTENSIVE COURSE

Total contact hours: **40 units** (1 unit = 45 min class session)

Course fees: Erasmus students 80 Euro
Students of UdS & externals 130 Euro

No ECTS can be acquired.

MARCH INTENSIVE COURSE 2021

Duration: 01 to 26 March **(online!)**

Registration period (online!):

13 January to 16 February 2021

SEPTEMBER INTENSIVE COURSE 2021

Duration: 01 to 27 September

Registration period (online!):

01 June to 12 July 2021

OCTOBER INTENSIVE COURSE 2021

Duration: 04 to 15 October

Registration period (online!):

02 August to 19 August 2021

Registration only online: www.uni-saarland.de/en/global/german-courses → Short Intensive courses

Every applicant has to take a **placement test** at the beginning of the course; Dates online.

Participants who have to pay course fees will receive an email after registration with the bank account information and indication of the payment deadline.

Note: Participants who are unable to attend the first session of the intensive language course should send their apologies in advance by email to: deutschkurse@isz.uni-saarland.de





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IN-SESSIONAL COURSES

German language courses during the summer and the winter semester

Our in-sessional courses are the **ideal format for international students (Bachelor, Master, Erasmus-, partner programmes), PhD students, guest researchers, employees and their family members.** These courses mainly address to international students and visiting scholars at Saarland University (UdS), therefore these groups are favoured in the allocation of study places.

The German courses offered cover the **language levels A0 to C1** and run for the **entire duration of the semester.** The courses take place once or twice a week. Depending on the course selected, participants can **improve their general language skills** or **acquire and develop their knowledge in specific skills or topics.**

Courses offered:

GENERAL LANGUAGE COURSES (twice a week, 6 ECTS)

- **Beginner's course (never learned German before)**
2x 3 academic hours per week (from 6.00 to 8.15 p.m.)
UdS students free of charge, others 150 Euro / Semester
- **Courses at CEFR levels A1 to C1**
2x 2 academic hours per week (from 6.00 to 7.30 p.m.)
UdS students free of charge, others 100 Euro / Semester

FOR DOCTORAL STUDENTS (once a week, 3 ECTS)

- **Conversation course (oral expression)** A2/B1, B1/B2
1x 2 academic hours per week (from 6.00 to 7.30 p.m.)
UdS doctoral students free of charge

SPECIAL SKILLS COURSES (once a week, each 3 ECTS)

- **Grammar** (A2/B1, B1/B2, B2/C1)
- **Conversation** (A2/B1, B1/B2)
- **Phonetics** (from B1+)
- **German cultural studies** (from B1+)
- **German for business and economics** (from B1+)
- **German for technical purposes** (from B1+)
- **German for academic purposes:**
Writing and presenting (from B1+)

Each: 1x 2 academic hours per week in the afternoon / evening
UdS students free of charge, others each 50 Euro / Semester

SUMMER SEMESTER 2021

Duration: 26 April to 23 July 2021
Registration period (online!):
24 February to 07 April 2021

WINTER SEMESTER 2021/22

Duration: 02 November 2021 to 11 February 2022
Registration period (online!):
02 September to 13 October 2021

Registration only online: www.uni-saarland.de/en/global/german-courses → Semester courses

Every applicant (except beginners) has to take a **placement test** at the beginning of the course; Dates online. Participants who have to pay course fees will receive a corresponding invoice after the first weeks of classes with the bank account information and indication of the payment deadline.

Note: Participants who are absent from the first session of a course without an excuse will automatically lose their place in the course! Please send all excuses by email to: deutschkurse@isz.uni-saarland.de

