

TANDEM® ZENTRUM FÜR DEUTSCHE SPRACHE UND KULTUR E.V. FRANKFURT

Learn languages - get to know cultures



German Courses in Frankfurt am Main

Programme 2010



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Frankfurt am Main

Frankfurt is one of the largest European financial centers, an open-minded, tolerant, and multi-cultural city full of life. Its renowned opera, theatre, and ballet companies are inviting, as are the numerous museums on the banks of the river Main. Discover the local charms and the traditional cuisine in tiny neighborhoods, such as Sachsenhausen, just a few minutes away from the glittering skyline of the Frankfurt financial district. Many other places to visit during the day or night are also to be found in the suburbs.

Alternatively relax in one of the parks in the inner city: the Palmengarten (botanical gardens) and public central parks are also inviting. The area around Frankfurt is well known for the Rhine valley with its picturesque vineyards, historical villages and castles. Nearby are the famous university towns of Mainz and Heidelberg. Cologne and Munich can also be easily reached from Frankfurt.

 **INFORMATION ABOUT FRANKFURT**

 **VIDEOS OF FRANKFURT:**  **WINDOWS MEDIA**  **QUICKTIME**

 **FRANKFURT 360° PANORAMA**



Our School

Founded in Frankfurt in 1981, the *Zentrum für deutsche Sprache und Kultur e.V.* offers German language tuition and assists in learning about different cultures. The school receives students from all over the world and its friendly and welcoming atmosphere is unique. Its curriculum is entertaining and its results excellent.


The *Zentrum für deutsche Sprache und Kultur e.V.* is located in a quiet, central but urban part of Frankfurt. Nice cafés, restaurants and shops are located around the school. Public transport will take you into the city centre in a few minutes.


The *Zentrum für deutsche Sprache und Kultur e.V.* cooperates with language schools throughout Germany and abroad, and offer full year programmes at reasonable rates. All our programmes are officially recognized and certified.

**ZENTRUM
FÜR DEUTSCHE SPRACHE
UND KULTUR E.V.**




Die Sprachschule.

 Free internet access in every classroom + 


 Cafeteria and study hall


 Library


 Opportunities to learn languages via an exchange programme with others.


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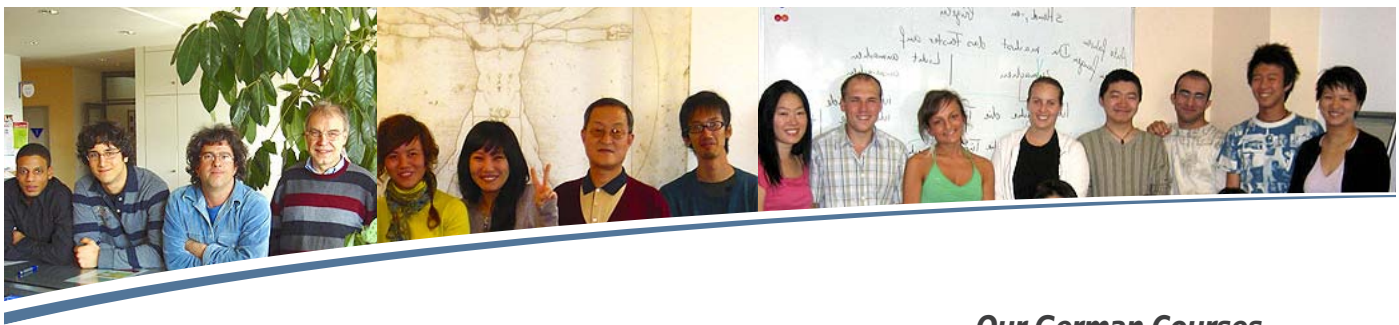
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Our German Courses

There are intensive programmes for all levels of instruction, with beginner courses starting every month. Starting to learn a new language may be difficult. Using a step by step approach, the school places students in groups of various levels, so that language skills are acquired. Our tuition is based on building vocabulary and grammar skills using practical situations in everyday life and topics of common interest. In the classroom, we use textbooks as well as audiovisual devices. Each course comprises a group of 10 to 16 students.

In certain cases we accept participants for periods of 2 or 3 weeks.
The fees in such cases are: 80% of the regular fee for 3 weeks, and 60% for 2 weeks.



:: Kompakt Plus 20 units per week

Classes are from Monday to Friday. We offer all levels: from beginner to advanced. These courses will systematically develop your linguistic comprehension in terms of reading and listening and will train your speaking and writing skills. *Kompakt Plus* courses prepare you for exams such as *Zertifikat Deutsch* and *Mittelstufendiplom*. These courses are designed for students who wish to study more intensively and/or aim to enter a German university.

Monday - Friday

09h00 - 12h30 or 13h30 - 17h00 (4x45 minutes)

If you wish to attend classes in July and/or August:
4 weeks: 360 € / 8 weeks: 640 € / 12 weeks:** 890 €

Course fee*

4 weeks	310 €
8 weeks	590 €
12 weeks**	840 €



:: Combined 40 40 units per week

If you intend to learn German very intensively, we recommend combining two *Kompakt Plus* courses: you may attend morning and afternoon classes of different levels. However, this option is not possible for complete beginners.

Monday - Friday

09h00 - 12h30 and 13h30 - 17h00 (8x45 minutes)

If you wish to attend classes in July and/or August:
4 weeks: 630 € / 8 weeks: 1.170 € / 12 weeks:** 1.750 €

Course fee*

4 weeks	580 €
8 weeks	1.120 €
12 weeks**	1.700 €



:: Summer Programme

In July and August we offer an interesting programme in addition to the *Kompakt Plus* or *Combined* courses, including cultural and leisure activities (e.g. sightseeing in Frankfurt, visiting various institutions, seminars and excursions 1-2 times a week). Depending on the interests of participants, we can arrange weekend trips, for instance to Heidelberg or Cologne (tickets, fare and admission to museums are not included in the fees that follow).

Course fee* 4 weeks

Kompakt Plus 360 €
Combined 40 630 €

* Registration fees are included in all fees. The fee do not include books. Mainly we use *Wolkenkratzer A1, A2, Delfin Band 3* and *Mittelpunkt B2, C1*. Books are about 20 to 25 €.

** If you wish to stay for longer than 12 weeks, you can extend your registration in Frankfurt.

Starting Dates 2010

There are intensive programmes for all instruction levels, with beginner courses starting every month.

Term no. 1	Jan. 11 - Jan. 5, 2010	January
Term no. 2	Feb. 8 - Mar. 5, 2010	February
Term no. 3*	Mar. 8 - Apr. 1, 2010	March
Term no. 4*	Apr. 6 - Apr. 30, 2010	April
Term no. 5*	May 3 - June 2, 2010	May
Term no. 6	June 7 - July 2, 2010	June
Term no. 7	July 5 - July 30, 2010	July
Term no. 8	Aug. 2 - Aug. 27, 2010	August
Term no. 9	Aug. 30 - Sep. 24, 2010	September
Term no. 10	Sep. 27 - Oct. 22, 2010	October
Term no. 11	Oct. 25 - Nov. 19, 2010	November
Term no. 12	Nov. 22 - Dec. 17, 2010	December



- * **Term no. 3:** No lessons on April 2
- Term no. 4:** No lessons on April 5
- Term no. 5:** Lasts 5 weeks, no lessons on May 13, 14, 24 and June 3, 4

In certain cases we accept participants for periods of 2 or 3 weeks. The fees in such cases are: 80% of the regular fee for 3 weeks, and 60% for 2 weeks.



Levels & Exams

Levels	Units*	Textbooks	Exams
A1 You will be able to understand and use easy phrases.	approx. 500	Wolkenkratzer	
A2 You will be able to communicate in situations of everyday life.		Delfin Band 2	
B1 You will be able to communicate about most topics using easy language.		Delfin Band 3	< Zertifikat Deutsch (ZD)
B2 You will be able to understand more complex texts and communicate about special interest topics.	approx. 500	em Hauptkurs	< TND 3/DSH 1
C1 You will be able to understand difficult texts and to communicate spontaneously and fluent.		em Abschlusskurs	< TND 4/DSH 2 < ZMP/Mittelstufendiplom
C2 Your language skills will be (almost) as good as those of native speakers.		DSH & Studienvorbereitung	< TND 5/DSH 3 < KDS

* units = 1 unit has 45 minutes

All German language classes take place in the rooms of our school, *Zentrum für deutsche Sprache und Kultur e.V.* The levels meet the Common European Framework of Reference (CEF) given by the European Council. A placement test will help you find the appropriate class level. We can provide you with a certificate of attendance.

Finishing levels A1, A2 and B1 will enable you to pass the basic level exam *Zertifikat Deutsch*. The basic level is followed by levels B2 (intermediate level 1) and C1 (intermediate level 2/advanced level) which will enable you to pass an intermediate level exam *Mittelstufenprüfung*. The final level C2 is for advanced and high level students. *Zentrum für deutsche Sprache und Kultur e.V.* does not offer classes for interpreters.

At the end of level B1 you will usually be able to pass an exam, which provides you with a certification of German *Zertifikat Deutsch des ZENTRUMS*. At the end of level C1/C2 you will be able to pass the intermediate level exam *Diplom des ZENTRUMS*. Skills of level C1/C2 will enable you to pass TestDaF, an exam that will allow you to enter university. *Deutschprüfung für den Hochschulzugang*.

TestDaF is under license of the TestDaF-Institute. 2010 exam dates for TestDaF:
February 10 / April 20 / June 8 / July 22 / September 25 / November 9

Exam fees for *Zertifikat Deutsch des ZENTRUMS* or *Diplom des ZENTRUMS*: 100 €, TestDaF: 175 €.





Accommodation

If requested, we will be able to provide private accommodation for you. Some hosts live near our school. Generally families live in „green“ boroughs. Downtown or near the university you will find mainly singles, or people looking to share an apartment. Some hosts also provide breakfast or half board (breakfast & dinner). We also offer an apartment that is shared with other students from our school: You share the apartment with 3 other students from our German courses.

Accommodation options are: living with a host family, flat sharing with a German, or sharing an apartment with other students from our school. All of our accommodation options will provide you with a single room, and you will share the kitchen and bathroom with your roommates. Accommodation is centrally located, and easily accessible from the school (less than 35 minutes by public transport).

Rooms will usually be reserved on the Sunday before the language course starts. Hosts also provide bedclothes and towels. The comfort of the rooms is variable.

Conditions

Private accommodation of course is not the same as living in a hotel. You will have to take care of your room yourself. On the first days of your stay you should discuss the terms with your host, i.e. talk about using the kitchen, the household, telephone, and about mealtimes if you have breakfast or half board. In the event of damages, please inform your host immediately. You will be charged for the costs of such damages.

Please be aware: Most hosts will request a deposit before giving you the keys. Deposits will be between 50 € and 100 €. Deposits will be refunded at the end of your stay.



:: Single Room

In a house/apartment living with a German family, a single German, or in shared accommodation with other students from our school.

**use of kitchen included
340 € / 4 weeks**

In a house/apartment living with a German family, or a single German.

**half board included
520 € / 4 weeks**

Term no. 5 last 5 weeks.

Accommodation will therefore cost: 425 € / 5 weeks or 650 € / 5 weeks including half board

Pick-up Service: If requested, we will organize transfers from the airport „Frankfurt/Main“ or main station. This service will cost 50 €.

There will be no refunding of fees if rooms are cancelled after the courses have started. If you wish to cancel accommodation, you must inform us at least 2 weeks before your course starts.

If you have to apply for a visa, you should contact the German Embassy or a German Consulate. There you will be informed about the requirements you have to meet. In some countries you will be asked to prove that you already have knowledge of German. It is requested that you pay your language course(s) in advance. If a visa is granted, you will have to attend classes regularly. Please note that you have to sign up for at least 20 hours of tuition per week.

If a visa is not granted, please send us a copy of the negative reply from the Embassy. In such cases we will refund the paid course fee minus administration fees of 30 €. Once a visa is granted it is not possible to cancel the course or claim any fees back.



EMBASSY AND CONSULATE ADDRESSES

Conditions of Enrolment

1. All German language courses are designed for adults. We will accept young people of 16 years of age in exceptional circumstances. Frankfurt students and residents not requiring accommodation to be arranged by our school will be offered special conditions when signing up at our office.
2. Please complete the application form and send it to our office online, by fax or post.
3. Please wait for our confirmation. (Do not hesitate to contact us if you do not receive any feedback).
4. After receiving our confirmation and invoice you should transfer the first payment of 150 €, or, if you apply for a visa, the fees applicable to the course(s) requested. Methods of payment are: Cash, EC-card an PayPal (but only for the first payment) or bank transfer. Your registration will be confirmed on receipt of the payment. The payment must be transferred within 14 days without charges to the receiver.
5. Outstanding fees are payable on the first day of the language course. We will accept cash, EC-card or money transfers to our bank account. We will not accept any credit cards.
6. If you have to cancel or amend a booked language course, the cancellation or amendment should reach our office 2 weeks before the scheduled start of the booked language course(s). In such cases, we charge an administration fee of 30 €. A refund is not possible, if a language course which is already running is cancelled.
7. If you have received a special visa to take a language course, attendance is mandatory and cancellation is not possible.
8. *Zentrum für deutsche Sprache und Kultur e.V.* reserves the right to change scheduled dates if necessary.
9. Students are expected to participate regularly and to cooperate in class.

TANDEM

TANDEM project

The *Zentrum für deutsche Sprache und Kultur e.V.* is a member of the worldwide TANDEM-Network. TANDEM is a specific method which helps students to learn a foreign language. A TANDEM-team consists of two people who meet in private on a regular basis in order to learn each other's native language. To participate, students are required to have basic skills of the language which they wish to learn.

TANDEM international, our TANDEM network partners in Germany: Berlin, Hamburg, Bremen, Gottingen, Bielefeld, Frankfurt, Munich, Cologne, Dresden **Italy:** Venice, Florence, Rome **Spain:** Barcelona, Madrid, Granada, San Sebastián, Cádiz, Valencia **U.K.:** Totnes, London **Ireland:** Dublin **France:** Paris, Toulouse, Montpellier **Chile:** Santiago de Chile **Canada:** Montreal



TANDEM INTERNATIONAL



INFORMATION ABOUT THE TANDEM FOUNDATION AND TANDEM TEACHER TRAINING



Cultural Activities

One of our main aims, besides German language tuition, is to make you and all of our students familiar with the interesting things about Germany, especially cultural and economic aspects. Once a week we provide activities centered around various topics. There will be visits to sightseeing highlights in Frankfurt city center such as the historical centre of Frankfurt, Goethehaus (where the famous poet Johann Wolfgang Goethe was born), Paulskirche (the first German parliament), museums, famous industries (Opelwerke, a GM production site; Frankfurter Allgemeine Zeitung), and leisure sports activities.

All students are welcome to take part in these activities.

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Application Form

by Fax ++49-69-77 40 26 or online: www.tandem-frankfurt.de

I wish to enroll for the following course term(s) at the Zentrum für deutsche Sprache und Kultur e.V. [X]:

Term no. 1: Jan. 11 - Feb. 5, 2010 [] Term no. 5: May 3 - June 2, 2010 [] Term no. 9: Aug. 30 - Sep. 24, 2010 []
Term no. 2: Feb. 8 - Mar. 5, 2010 [] Term no. 6: June 7 - July 2, 2010 [] Term no. 10: Sep. 27 - Oct. 22, 2010 []
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Kompakt Plus []

Combined 40 []

Summer Programme []

My level of German:

Elementary level A1 » Level A2 » Level B1 » Intermediate B2 » Intermediate C1 » Advanced C2
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Where did you learn German? _____

How long did you study German? Which book(s) have you used? _____

I need a special certificate to apply for a visa: []

Gender: Female [] Male []

Family Name: _____

First Name: _____

Full Address: _____

Postal Code: _____ City: _____

Country: _____

Phone: _____

Fax: _____

Email: _____

Nationality: _____

Occupation: _____

Date of birth: _____

I have read and I accept the terms of enrolment.

Place / Date / Signature

I need accommodation: Yes [] No []

- with half board []
- I am allergic to pets []
- I am a smoker []
- Pick-up from the airport *Frankfurt/Main* or main station []

Additional personal requests:

I have read and accept the terms of accommodation, including the paragraph referring to the deposit.

Place / Date / Signature