

German for Academic Studies, for Business and Pleasure

Ladies and Gentlemen,

Did you know that German is the most widely spoken language in Europe? It is spoken by about 80 million Germans, by about 8 million Austrians, by 4.6 million Swiss, roughly 480,000 inhabitants of Luxembourg, 300,000 people in "South-Tyrol", the autonomous province of Bolzano / Italy and by 30,000 inhabitants of Liechtenstein. Speaking and understanding German is an essential competitive advantage, in your job and also in your private life.

Why not learn German in one of the most beautiful cities in the world: in Salzburg. Benefit from highly qualified teachers, all of them being university graduates in German and foreign languages (OECD ISCED 5), holding a teacher's certificate for secondary general and vocational education plus an additional qualification in teaching German as a foreign language. Additionally we offer certification of your knowledge of German which is based on the CEFL (Common European Framework Languages). Certified knowledge of German is essential for academic studies and for carrying out academic professions in Austria and in Germany, for obtaining the Austrian citizenship et cetera.

Overview of our language courses:

- a) Learning German in July / August during our international summer courses with participants of many different nations
- b) Learning German at dates of your choice throughout the year (except July / August) in groups of people sharing the same mother tongue (for companies, universities and schools)
- c) Learning German individually in private lessons

Ad a) International Summer Courses

for juvenile students < 18: Monday 17 June till Friday 28 June 2019: 2 weeks: 40 lessons

for adult students > 16: Set date 1: Monday 01 July till Friday 19 July 2019

for adult students > 16: Set date 2: Monday 22 July till Friday 09 August 2019

3 weeks: 60 lessons (à 45 minutes), 6 weeks 120 lessons

09:00–10:30 Reading comprehension and writing / 11.00–12:30 Listening comprehension and speaking

Small groups: max. 15 students in one group

Careful assessment of your language level at the beginning of the course by a multi-phased assessment test – weekly evaluation of your learning progress

The courses take place in the rooms of the **Firmian-Salm-Haus (Kapitelgasse 5-7, University of Salzburg)**, in historic buildings in the heart of the world-famous old city of Salzburg.

Optimal price-performance ratio: 60 lessons = 3 weeks (15 x 4 units) € 660



Additional offers:

- Austrian language Diploma ÖSD

ÖSD-certificates are valid in Austria, Germany and Switzerland

Written exams Monday 15 July / Monday 05 August 2019

Oral exams Friday 19 July / Friday 09 August 2019

- Getting to know Salzburg and its surroundings by taking part in excursions offered three times a week (3 weeks = plus 40 lessons; 2 weeks = plus 24 lessons)
- Accommodation in host families – thus speaking German as a daily routine



Ad b) Business Courses

Four skills: Reading comprehension + situational writing, listening comprehension + situational speaking (also considering vocational priorities) min. 10 units, max. 40 units a week

including excursions to companies in your line of business and living with our host families on request

Ad c) Private lessons – benefit from a teacher of your own

You determine the objectives! You decide on the day, the time and the frequency of the lessons!

Private lessons in modules of 5 x 90 minutes for 5 x € 90 = € 450,00

Example: Monday to Friday, at 08:00 – 9.30 or 10:00 – 12:30, 14:00 – 15:30 or 18:00 – 19:30

Step 1: Detailed analysis of the learner's language level

Step 2: Systematic compilation of tailor-made language material taking your individual learning pace into account

Step 3: Building up your vocabulary, your structures, your syntax, your reading and listening comprehension, and eventually your writing and speaking abilities adequate to the respective situation and communication partner.

Private tuition is highly efficient whenever it is required to systematically turn weaknesses into strengths within a short time:

- If you want to acquire specific chapters of grammar
- If you want to prioritize vocational topics
- If you want to communicate with German speaking colleagues in your particular field
- If you want to prepare for an ÖSD-exam



ISK - International language courses

Exam centre for the Austrian Language Diploma German ÖSD

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