



## IN-SESSIONAL SEMESTER COURSES AND SHORT INTENSIVE COURSES

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## In-sessional German language courses for international students

### IN-SESSIONAL COURSES 2023

#### 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) and UKS Homburg, therefore these groups are favoured in the allocation of study places.

The offered German courses cover the **language levels A0 to C1 (CEFR)**. The language courses take place once or twice a week during the **lecture period** of the semester. 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, each 6 ECTS) SPECIAL SKILLS COURSES (once a week, each 3 ECTS)

→ **Beginners' 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 Euros / Semester

→ **General 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 Euros / 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 and postdocs free of charge

→ **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 B2)**

→ **German for academic purposes:**

**Writing and presenting (from B1+)**

Each: 1x 2 academic hours per week in the afternoon or evening

UdS students free of charge, others pay 50 Euros / Semester

for each special skills course

#### SUMMER SEMESTER 2023

Duration: 24 April 2023 to 21 July 2023

**Registration period:**

**Thu, 02 March 2023, 12 p.m. noon  
to Mon, 03 April 2023, 12 p.m. noon**

#### WINTER SEMESTER 2023/24

Duration: 06 November 2023 to 09 February 2024

**Registration period:**

**Mon, 18 September 2023, 12 p.m. noon  
to Tue, 17 October 2023, 12 p.m. noon**

**Registration only online: [www.uni-saarland.de/en/global/german-courses](http://www.uni-saarland.de/en/global/german-courses) → Semester courses**

Unless otherwise stated, classes are scheduled in **presence**. Please check the website for the current status!

All applicant (except beginners) must take a **placement test (online!)** before the courses start; dates s. website.

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 lose their course place! Please send all excuses by email to: deutschkurse@isz.uni-saarland.de

