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German as a Foreign Language - The Evening Courses

„Learning German made me a better engineer.“

(Cindy from Colombia, former DAAD fellow)



What are the Evening Courses?

- Extra-curricular German courses offered outside regular lecture hours
- Designed especially for students, PhD students, researchers and university employees who want to improve their German language skills alongside their studies or work.
- Taught by qualified university language teachers (native speakers or certified instructors).
- Courses run semester-wise (Winter / Summer) and can be repeated each semester.



Course Structure & Schedule

Hours	48 hours + 42 hours of self study units
Time	Mondays and Wednesdays OR Tuesdays and Thursdays 6:15 p.m.-7:45 p.m.
Duration	Mon+Wed: 22 April to 15 July Tue+Thu: 21 April to 16 July
Weekly contact time	4 hours (two 2-hour sessions)



Courses Offered in the Summer Semester 2026

Course No.	Level	Days	Format
Evening Course 1	A1.1	Mon+Wed	in Person
Evening Course 2	A1.1	Tue+Thu	online
Evening Course 3	A1.1	Tue+Thu	in Person
Evening Course 4	A1.2	Mon+Wed	in Person
Evening Course 5	A1.2	Tue+Thu	online
Evening Course 6	A2.1	Tue+Thu	in Person
Evening Course 7	A2.2	Tue+Thu	in Person
Evening Course 8	B1.1	Tue+Thu	in Person
Evening Course 9	B1.1	Mon+Wed	online
Evening Course 10	B1.2	Tue+Thu	in Person
Evening Course 11	B2.1	Tue+Thu	online
Evening Course 12	B2.2	Tue+Thu	in Person
Evening Course 13	C1.1	Mon+Wed	in Person

Course Structure & Schedule

	Online courses: Zoom Web room
Location	Presencial courses: Justus-Liebig-University, Bismarckstr. 16, among others
ECTS	3 credit points (all exams passed with min. 50% + attendance)
Attendance	minimum 80% attendance
Class format	Interactive lectures, focus on communication Training of speaking, listening, reading and writing skills
Materials	Course-book (see the syllabus), Stud.IP platform for supplemental exercises & announcements



Eligibility & Requirements

- Open to all JLU students (exchange students, degree seeking students, PhD students), researchers, university staff, guest researchers and family members
 - You will need your JLU ID or JLU email address
 - New users can activate their accounts from today (April 1st)
- For higher levels (A1.2 +) you need proof of language proficiency
- Participants must register via the booking system before the deadlines (see next slide) and pay the course fees before the first class



Registration deadlines

Phase	Date	Group
1	April 1-6	Exchange students
2	April 8-9	JLU degree seeking students & freemovers
3	April 10-12	PhD students, university staff, researchers
4	April 14-15	All groups



Course fees in the Summer Semester 2026

Group	SoSe= 48 TU
Exchange students, program students (Erasmus+ etc.)	77 €
JLU degree seeking students and freemovers	96 €
Doctoral candidates	144 €
Staff and guest researchers	216 €
Family members of employees and visiting scholars	216 €

- All fees are semester-based and include the final certificate.
- Payment via bank transfer on our booking system.
- You need a European bank account to pay the course fees.



Certification & Credits

- After completing the course (min. 80% attendance & passing all tests) participants receive a certificate stating the CEFR level, total teaching units and grades.
- Credit-recognition: 3 ECTS points can be awarded (please contact your Erasmus-advisor)

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PRÄSIDENTIN
Akademisches Auslandsamt
Sachgebiet Deutsch als Fremdsprache

Leistungsschein

Hat im Semester Wintersemester 2025/26 vom 28.10.2025 bis 12.02.2026

am studienbegleitenden Deutsch-Abendkurs erfolgreich teilgenommen.

Besucht wurde der Abendkurs S: A1.2 Präsenz

Erbrachte Leistungen:	
Zwischenklausur:	_____
Abschlussklausur:	_____
Mündliche Note:	_____
Gesamtnote:	_____
Anwesenheit:	_____

Die erfolgreiche Teilnahme berechtigt zum Erwerb von **3 ECTS-Punkten** und zur Teilnahme am nächsthöheren Niveau.

Lehrkraft
Gießen, den 24.02.2026

Für das Akademische Auslandsamt:

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Die Präsidentin
Ludwigstraße 21, 35390 Gießen

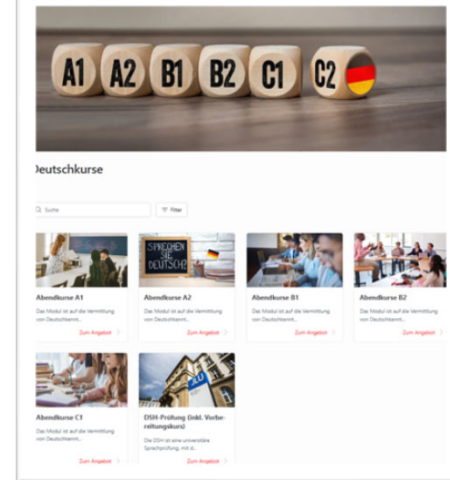
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Zwischenklausur 40%, Abschlussklausur 40%, mündlich 20%

How to Register – Step-by-step

Go to the booking system: <https://aaa-giessen.uninow.com/de>

1. Log in with your JLU account or your JLU email address
2. Select your course
3. Pay the course fee: Please provide us with a direct debit authorization (SEPA-Mandat)
4. Receive *provisional* confirmation email
5. Once your registration has been reviewed and approved, you will receive a *final* booking confirmation
6. The course fees will be charged as soon as you receive your *final* booking confirmation



Important information

- You may only register for and attend **one** evening course per semester.
- Double registrations will be deleted.
- Due to limited capacity, we are unable to offer all course formats at every level.
- **Course changes** are possible until the end of the first course week.
- **Cancellations** are possible up to 10 days before the course starts. A 20% administrative fee will be retained when refunding course fees. For cancellations after this period, the full course fee will be charged.
- A **European bank account** is required for the deduction of course fees. Cash payments are not accepted. If you do not yet have a suitable account, you may use the account of a friend or acquaintance.
- **Provisional** course registrations will be approved by the DaF Office after your language certificates have been reviewed. The approval process may take a few days.
- Once your registration has been successfully verified, you will receive a **binding confirmation** of registration at the email address you provided.
- We cannot guarantee that you will be able to secure a spot in your preferred course.
- In addition, our regulations for the German courses of the International Office, the fee schedule, and the participant fees apply.



Contact

daf-aaa@admin.uni-giessen.de

Office hours

Tuesday 1 pm – 3 pm

Thursday 10 am – 12 noon

FAQs

- **Do I have to do a placement test?**
 - No, if you are starting with a beginner's course (A1.1).
 - No, if you have already taken and passed an evening course with us. Please remember to upload the certificate of achievement in the booking system.
 - No, if you upload one of the following language certificates to the booking system: Goethe Certificate, Sprachdiplom der KMK, TestDaF, ÖSD, and telc Certificate with a grade of "satisfactory".
 - If this does not apply to you, you must take the placement test. We recommend the test from Klett-Verlag. Please save the result as a PDF and adhere to the **90-minute** time limit. You can find the test here: <https://einstufungstests.klett-sprachen.de/eks/DaF-A1-C1/>

FAQs

- **Can I still change the course and until when?**
 - Course changes are possible until **the end of the 1st week of the course**. For course changes, please **send an e-mail** to the DaF office.
- **How do I deregister from my course in time?**
 - Cancellations are possible up to 10 days before the course starts. Please inform the DaF Course Office at daf-aaa@admin.uni-giessen.de

FAQs

- **How many levels can you complete in a year?**
 - You can reach one level within a year. This means **half a language level during each semester** (e.g. A1.1 and A1.2, then continue with A2 the following year)
- **When will I be informed whether I can take part in a course and receive more information about it?**
 - After the end of the registration phase, we will start to finalize the courses. **Please be patient**, you will receive all important information via the booking confirmation and later via Stud.IP in good time.

FAQs

- **I took the placement test and guessed most of the answers. The result is far too high. Do I have to take the test again?**
 - **Please send us a new placement test result.** Please do not use any aids (e.g. internet, books, other people) and remember that the **time limit is 90 minutes** (if you exceed this, your result will be invalid). *This test is only to determine your level and will not be marked!*
- **If I can no longer attend the course, will I get a refund for my course fees?**
 - Requests for a later course change are not possible. In such cases, course fees cannot be refunded, as cancellations are accepted only up to 10 days before the course start date.

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Thank you for your attention! Any Questions?