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GERMAN AS A FOREIGN LANGUAGE DEUTSCH ALS FREMDSPRACHE (DAF)

GERMAN COURSE OFFERS



COURSE CONTENT

- Focus on communication
- Training of speaking, listening, reading and writing skills
- Grammar
- Vocabulary
- Language level checks (3 – 5 written and oral tests)
- Information on course book and course programme for every level on Stud.IP

INFORMATION ON GERMAN EVENING COURSES

All Levels: A1.1-C1.1

Fee	Free of charge for master, bachelor and state examination students of JLU as well as exchange students; for any other participant: 218,- EUR (WS 2025/26)
Hours	52 hours + 42 hours of self study units
Duration	from 27/28 October 2025 to 11/12 February 2026
Time	Mondays and Wednesdays OR Tuesdays and Thursdays 6:15 p.m.-7:45 p.m.
Location	Online courses: Zoom Web room Presencial courses: Justus-Liebig-University, Bismarckstr. 16; Alter Steinbacher Weg
ECTS	3 credit points (80% attendance/21 teaching sessions and exams passed with min. 50%)

INFORMATION ON GERMAN EVENING COURSES

Important dates and information

Application deadline,
information and FAQs

October 17

https://www.uni-giessen.de/international-pages/language-courses/in/eveningclasses?set_language=en

APPLICATION AND PLACEMENT TEST

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- A registration for the German evening course is possible till **October 17**
- **Website:** https://www.uni-giessen.de/international-pages/language-courses/in/eveningclasses?set_language=en
- Part of the application is an **online placement test**. The test result has to be uploaded in the booking system as a pdf file (**name, result and time visible**). Please note that you have to keep an eye on the time limit (90 min.) by yourself!
- The placement test consists of listening and reading comprehension tasks. (Multiple-Choice and similar)

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- You **don't** need to take the placement test if...
 - you successfully took part in a German evening course last semester; in this case, upload the course certificate of achievement (Leistungsschein)
 - you successfully took part in the International Spring Course, international Summer Course or Intensive Courses; in this case, upload the course certificate
 - You have a language certificate from a recognised language institute (point 15 in the [FAQs document](#)) that is no more than two years old and has been marked as 'passed'
 - if you have no knowledge of German and are starting from A1.1-level

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- Registration in the new booking system: <https://aaa-giessen.uninow.com/de>
 - University Members log in with their university account (ID s-...; g-...; J-... and network password)
 - Enter your personal data and state your status (important!) “Student” or “freemover”
 - Redirection to the Onboarding page (upload your language certificate or the result of the placement test as a pdf file)
 - Enter additional data under your booking system profile page
- Once registration and onboarding has been completed...

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- ...You are now on the waiting list for the course you have selected
- After your registration and language requirements are confirmed and the course still has open spots, we will send you an invitation to your German course (the invitation link is valid for 24 hours!)
- After following the link, accepting terms and conditions and confirming the payment (for students, €0 is deposited here) you get a booking confirmation with further information on the course (such as room, StudIP-Link and password e.g.)

YOU CAN FIND THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION ON OUR WEBSITE:

- General information about the evening courses
- Deadlines and dates
- Who can participate?
- Do I have to take a placement test?
- Information on the registration process and guides on how to register on our new booking system, get on the waiting list and book a course with the invitation link
- Contact information and office hours
- FAQs

CONTACT

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Office hours

Tuesday 1 pm – 3 pm

Thursday 10 am – 12 noon

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 cancel your course via the booking system (and it would be nice to send us this as an e-mail, stating the canceled course, “Abendkurs 1” for example).
- **Do I have to pay for the course?**
 - You **have to pay** the course fee if you are a **doctoral student, visiting scholar, staff member and their relative or a freemover**. Via the invitation link you get to the corresponding SEPA procedure in the booking system.

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 StudIP in good time
- **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!*

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Thank you for your attention! Any Questions?