

German for Teachers

Erasmus+ Course Ref.: EPG2 – Methodology for Teachers of German as a Foreign Language

General information:

This course is recommended for non-native speakers of German teaching students aged 10 upwards. The course is also suitable for teachers of CLIL, Business German and German for Specific Purposes. Primary teachers may attend the course with reference to older primary pupils preparing for secondary education.

Entry Levels: Minimum Level CEF B2

Daily Teaching Sessions:

Methodology and Teaching Strategies

- Morning: Monday to Friday 9:00 – 12:30
- Afternoon: Mon & Wed 13:30 – 15:25

Total course contact hours:

- 1 week: 18.75 hours
- 2 weeks: 37.5 hours



Objectives:

This practical course is designed to develop and improve language teaching practice, presenting various techniques and methodological approaches of teaching German as a Foreign Language. Lessons occur in a group of fellow professionals and are designed to give an insight into current language teaching methodology and techniques as well as looking at changes and trends in the language itself.

Sample program week 1:

Time	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
9:00 – 12:30	Role-play and Drama	Computer Resources – Using the Internet as a Resource	Teaching Pronunciation and Intonation	Modern Language & Slang – The Influence of Modern Technology	The State Education System in Germany
13:30 – 15:25	Tests and exams	Free afternoon for self-studies	Using Dialogues in the classroom	Free afternoon for self-studies	Free afternoon for self-studies

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Outcomes:

- Strategies, skills, activities & language necessary to teach GFL, meeting the challenges of education in 21st century Europe.
- Insights into current practice and developments in the teaching of German as a Foreign Language as well as into the current state of the language.
- Range of methodological approaches to enhance classroom practice.
- How to access, from abroad, changes and developments in GFL as well as useful websites.
- Improving confidence in lesson delivery
- Use of classroom vocabulary
- Increase in personal fluency.

Accommodation: Host family

Starting dates: 19.02., 14.05., 27.08., 05.11.2018 & on special request (minimum of 3 participants)

Prices:

Weeks	Program *	Accommodation	TOTAL
1	650,00 €	250,00 €	900,00 €
2	1.110,00 €	500,00 €	1.610,00 €

* Including leisure program (min. 2 weeks booking): 1 weekend activity per booking, school sports, movie night and the Lindau bus pass

