GERMAN LANGUAGE COURSES AND EXAMINATIONS Sri Lanka 2021
**REASONS TO LEARN GERMAN**

Whatever plans you may have for the future, knowledge of German will increase your options. When you learn German you acquire a range of skills which can improve the quality of both your work and private life:

**Business:** Knowing the language of your German business partners improves your relations and therefore your chances for effective communication and success.

**The global career:** Knowledge of German increases your job opportunities with German and foreign companies in your own country and abroad. Proficiency in German helps you to function productively for an employer with global business connections.

**Tourism and hospitality industry:** Tourists from German-speaking countries travel wide and far, and are the world’s biggest spenders when on holiday. They appreciate to be looked after by German-speaking staff and tour guides.

**Science and Research:** German is the second most commonly used scientific language. Germany is the third largest contributor to research and development and offers research fellowships to scientists from abroad.

**Cultural understanding:** Learning German provides you with an insight into the way of life, and the hopes and dreams of people in German speaking countries, broadening your horizon.

**Opportunities to study/work in Germany:** Germany awards a generous number of scholarships and other support to study in Germany. Working holiday visas are available for young foreigners from a range of countries, and special visas are offered to skilled workers and professionals.

**Exchange programs:** There are agreements for student exchange between Germany and many countries of the world.

**MAN KANN DEUTSCHLAND BESCHREIBEN ODER ES AM BESTEN GLEICH SELBST ERLEBEN.**

You can describe Germany or even better, come and experience it for yourself.
Are you interested in learning the German language with professionals, whether on weekdays or weekends, morning or afternoons, online or face-to-face: the Goethe-Institut Sri Lanka offers you extensive, intensive and superintensive courses at all levels, taught by highly qualified teachers. Our courses use a communicative approach and emphasize intercultural understanding. The classes are taught in German right from the very first lesson and reflect the latest development in modern methodology and didactics.

Our courses and internationally-recognized examinations correspond to the levels of the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages and range from A1 for beginners to C2 for language skills at the highest level.

**Superintensive courses**
- Length of course: 40 days (8 weeks)
- Frequency: five times per week 4 UE (teaching units) from Monday to Friday
- 160 units
- Course fee: 46,000 LKR

**Course fee for B1: 58,000 LKR (5 UE per day) and 200 units in total**

**Intensive courses**
- Length of course: 30 days (15 weeks)
- Frequency: twice per week 5.3 UE (teaching units) on Saturdays and Sundays
- 160 units
- Course fee: 46,000 LKR

**Course fee for B1: 58,000 LKR 38 days and 200 units in total**

**Extensive courses**
- Length of course: 12 days (3 months)
- Frequency: Once per week 6.7 UE (teaching units) on Saturdays or Sundays
- 80 units
- Course fee: 23,000 LKR
Choose From The Range Of Courses We Offer:

**Superintensive Courses** A1 A2 B1 B2.1 B2.2 C1

Learn German the fastest way with us! We have superintensive courses that enable you to complete one level of language learning within eight weeks’ time! This way you can progress from zero to B2 level within less than one year.

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**Please note that the dates mentioned are subject to changes according to Government regulations, implemented due to the pandemic.**

**Intensive Courses on Weekends** A1 A2 B1 B2.1 B2.2

You can learn German with a more competitive pace through our intensive courses on weekends -ideal for those who are employed.

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Choose From The Range Of Courses We Offer:

**Extensive Courses**

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B1.1 B1.2 B1.3 B2.1 B2.2 B2.3 B2.4  

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Contact the language course office for following courses:

**Teen and children classes A1 A2 B1 B2**

*Learn German in a playful way with teens /children of your age once a week for three hours - in one year per level.*

*Saturday or Sunday* 3.00 pm - 6.00 pm

**Exam Preparation Classes**

Prepare yourself for the examination in an intensive specific way.

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**German for Companies and Tourism**

*We offer German language courses for corporate companies and create tailor-made classes for you.*

**Individual Classes**

*Learn intensively with a teacher to your special needs and time for 3,500 LKR per hour.*
Online Courses at Goethe-Institut Sri Lanka

LEARN GERMAN FROM HOME

Now available:
17 WEEK A1 ONLINE GROUP COURSE with 8 LIVE TEACHING SESSIONS.
Course Fee: 41,000 LKR

Basic Requirements:
Computer /Laptop, Headset/Earphone, Stable internet connection.

*Terms and conditions apply

TestDaF Test Deutsch als Fremdsprache
www.testdaf.de

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** Please register online on the TestDaF Portal.
Our Services Free Of Charge:

AMIF (Asylum, Migration and Integration Fund) Project

This project is designed for those who are going to live in Germany for marriage and work. The program offers tuition for A1, counseling on visa procedure and seminars on “way of life in Germany” on regular basis free of charge.

Please contact for further information.
Mrs. Kavitha Nagananthan
under Kavitha.Nagananthan.extern@goethe.de or +94 112 694562 or +94 762735233

Learning guidance / tuition
Get once a week information on learning strategies and guidance for your homework in the library or online. Find more information on the notice board.

Online Exercises
Go to our website www.goethe.de and find our diverse selection.

Exam Dates

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Exam Fee for external students:
22,000 LKR (5,500 LKR per module)

Exam fee for internal students: Please refer last page.

Please register one week before the Examination.

** For C1 and C2 exam dates, please contact the Language course office.**
1. General Requirements
   All standard courses are designed for adult learners who should be at least 16 years of age. For Children courses, the participants must be between 8 - 12 years of age and for Youth Courses, participants must be between 12 - 16 years of age.

2. Placement Test
   Students having prior knowledge of German and desiring to join a higher-level course or students with a gap of more than six months from their last Goethe-Examination have to take the placement test prior to the registration. Placement in higher course levels is based on the result of the level test conducted.

3. Terms of Payment
   The course fee shall be paid in cash or by bank transfer and the contractually binding fee is the fee stated in the price list and the website at the time of application. The cost of the course material, such as books/CDs and exam fees, is not included in the course fee unless otherwise stated.

Cancellation and Refunds (Courses)
   Latest possibility of cancellation is one working day prior to the commencement of the course. In case of cancellation prior to the commencement of the course, the course fee shall be refunded after deducting an administrative charge equivalent to 3,000 LKR. No refunds shall be made after the commencement of the course. Cancellations must be submitted in writing via email. Should the Goethe-Institut cancel a course, the full course fee shall be reimbursed in full amount.

4. Examination Fee
   The contractually binding examination fee is the fee stated in the price list at the time of application.

Cancellation and Refunds (Examinations)
   If an exam is not taken for reasons of illness, the participant may take the exam in the next/ following examination date, provided a medical certificate has been furnished prior to the commencement of the examination originally registered for. The exam fee will not be refunded if the candidate has not taken the exam for reasons other than illness.

6. Course Participation Certificate
   Participants with minimum attendance of 70% are entitled to an “Attendance Certificate” free of charge, however, for intermediate confirmations a fee of 1,000 LKR will be charged.
7. Class Size
Our courses have a minimum of 10 and maximum of up to 22 participants in a class for levels A1 to C1. If enrolments are insufficient on the starting date, the Goethe-Institut reserves the right to cancel or postpone the course. In this case we will offer the participants the opportunity to move to another course or to receive a full refund of the course fee.
The choice of class and the chosen time slot are binding. Changes are allowed only in exceptional cases for a fee of 1,000 LKR, and the Goethe-Institut reserves the right to make the exception based on availability of seats or otherwise. After the class registration, a library card is issued to the student entitling him / her to a free membership for the duration of the course.

8. Obligations of the course participant
The course participant is obliged to refrain from any activities that could harm the legally protected goods and rights of third parties (teachers, employees, co-students and visitors of the Goethe-Institut as well as the property of the Goethe-Institut) or disturb the proper course of lessons. It is prohibited to use mobile phones during lessons.

9. Complaints
For questions regarding lessons, problems or complaints, please contact first your teacher. If the problem still exists, please contact the Head of the Language Department.

10. Liability of the Goethe-Institut
The liability of the Goethe-Institut and its staff shall be limited to intent and gross negligence. The Goethe-Institut will have no liability for cancellation of its services due to force majeure (e.g. unrest, act of war or terrorism, natural calamities, epidemics, pandemics and all other circumstances beyond the control of the contractual parties). Should such cases of extraordinary circumstances or events occur or should there be a change in the existing circumstances or events, caused by factors that are beyond the sphere of influence of the Goethe-Institut, the Institute shall reserve the right to make changes in the ongoing course structure (e.g. in terms of time, methodology or format). Should the circumstances not allow the above-mentioned changes, in that case the Goethe-Institut shall cancel the course without any alternative offer and financial compensation.
OUR LIBRARY

The library in the Goethe-Institut provides a wide range of books, periodicals, CDs and DVDs - in German as well as in English - covering German literature, films, geography, history, society, fine arts and philosophy. Language students find varied language and teaching material on German as a foreign language.

Goethe-Institut language students are granted free membership of the library for the duration of their course.

Opening Hours

Monday – Friday : 09.30 am – 6.00 pm

DAAD Information Centre Sri Lanka

The DAAD Information Centre in Sri Lanka provides information on study and research in Germany through information sessions, advises students and academicians on funding opportunities, and assists in building ties between German and Sri Lankan institutions of higher education in cooperation with Goethe-Institut.

General Information Sessions:

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| C2            | Goethe - Zertifikat C2
Großes Deutsches Sprachdiplom | 240         | 13,000 LKR | Can understand with ease virtually everything heard or read. Can express him/herself spontaneously, very fluently and precisely, differentiating finer shades of meaning even in more complex situations |
| C1            | Goethe - Zertifikat C1 | 240         | 13,000 LKR | Can understand a wide range of demanding, longer texts and recognize implicit meaning. Can use language flexibly and effectively for social, academic and professional purposes. Can produce clear, well structured detailed text on complex subjects |
| B2            | Goethe - Zertifikat B2 | 320         | 12,000 LKR | Can understand the main ideas of complex texts on both concrete and abstract topics, including technical discussions in his/her field of specialization. Can interact with a degree of fluency and spontaneity that makes regular interaction with native speakers possible without strain for either party. Can produce clear, detailed texts on a wide range of subjects |
| B1            | Goethe - Zertifikat B1 | 200         | 11,500 LKR | Can understand the main points of clear standard input on familiar matters regularly encountered in work, school, leisure etc. Can deal with more situations likely to arise while traveling in an area where the language is spoken. Can produce simple connected texts on topics which are familiar or of professional interest |
| A2            | Goethe - Zertifikat A2 | 160         | 10,500 LKR | Can understand the main points of clear standard input on familiar matters regularly encountered in work, school, leisure etc. Can deal with more situations likely to arise while traveling in an area where the language is spoken. Can produce simple connected texts on topics which are familiar or of personal interest |
| A1            | Goethe - Zertifikat A1
Start Deutsch 1 (SD1)
Goethe - Zertifikat A1
Fit in Deutsch 1 (for teens and young adults) | 160         | 10,500 LKR | 3,000 LKR | Can understand and use familiar everyday expressions and very basic phrases. Can introduce him/herself and others can ask and answer questions about personal details. |

** B1 / B2 3000 LKR per Module
DIRECTIONS
Getting there by public transportation-
From Bambalapititia - Bus 154
Stop - Bauddhaloka Mawatha / Wijerama Mawatha
From Kollupitiya - Bus 177
Stop - Horton place / Wijerama Mawatha
From Fort - Bus 120, 122, 125 and 138
Stop - St.Bridget / Cinnamon Garden

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OPERNING HOURS
Monday to Friday :
08.30 am- 05.00 pm

 Registrations :
08.30 am – 04.00 pm

Closing Dates
12.04 – 16.04.2021
Sinhala / Hindu New Year
24.12 – 01.01.2022
Christmas
Closed on Poya Days and Mercantile Holidays.