

German as a Second Language

Contact

By telephone 0842 843 844: we help you find the right course.

Enrolment consultation: This is a 1 on 1 counselling in a friendly setting in which, together with an experienced course instructor, you clarify which course suits you best. Please find the dates on our [Website](#).

Personal counselling: please stop by at our information desk, for enrolment details and for the placement test.

Opening hours: Monday to Friday 8:00–18:00

Address: Riesbachstrasse 11, 8008 Zürich (7 Minutes from Stadelhofen railway station)

Tram 2 and 4 to the stop «Feldeggstrasse»

Map: [g.co/maps/4e46y](https://www.google.com/maps/4e46y)

Overview Course types

Course type	Level	Price CHF
Alphabetization & Basis Courses		590.– to 1790.–
Standard & Diploma Courses	A1 – C2	650.– to 2300.–
German for the profession	A2 – B2	420.– to 600.–
Apprenticeship reinforcing Course	A2 – B1/B2	520.–
Writing & Grammar	A2 – C1/C2	320.– to 480.–
Conversation & Pronunciation	A2 – C2	120.– to 640.–

FAQ – Frequently Asked Questions

Which courses are available?

Next to the courses listed above the EB Zurich offers a range of special courses such as courses in alphabetization, writing or conversation courses, grammar courses, pronunciation courses, German for health professions, German for facility management professions

What course levels are there?

The levels of our language courses correspond to the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages (CEFR). Once you'll have completed one level, you'll have acquired the skills described in this framework. Example: At the end of the course «Deutsch A2 Tages-Intensiv 3/3» (level 3 of 3) or at the end of the course «Deutsch B1 Kurskurs 3/3» (level 3 of 3) you'll have finished level B1.

– [Language level A1 to C2](#) (PDF)

How can I find out which course level is adequate for me?

The EB placement test (Einstufungstest), which is a self-assessment, helps you identify your present level of knowledge. You can take the test comfortably online via our website or in person at EB Zürich at Riesbachstrasse 11, 8008 Zürich.

- [Placement Test German A1](#) (PDF)
- [Placement Test German A2](#) (PDF)
- [Placement Test German B1](#) (PDF)
- [Placement Test German B2](#) (PDF)
- [Placement Test German C1/C2](#) (PDF)

Which official degrees can I prepare at the EB Zurich for?

Courses at EB Zürich prepare you for all the official German language degrees:

- ÖSD Zertifikat A1
- ÖSD Zertifikat A2
- ÖSD Zertifikat B1
- ÖSD Zertifikat B2
- Goethe-Zertifikat C1
- Goethe-Zertifikat C2

When and where do German language Diploma Examinations take place?

EB Zürich is an official ÖSD examination center and hosts examinations for levels A1 to and including B2. Examinations for the Goethe-Zertifikat C1 and C2 are held externally.

How can I enrol for a course

You can enrol online on our website www.eb-zuerich.ch or in person at our administrations desk at the BiZE headquarters Riesbachstrasse 11, 8008 Zürich.

How long does a lesson last?

A lesson lasts 45 minutes.

Are the course books included in the course fee?

No, the course books are not included in the course fee.

Where do the courses take place?

The German language courses of the EB Zurich take place at various locations in the city of Zurich:
[Bildungszentrum für Erwachsene BiZE](#): Riesbachstrasse 11, 8008 (near Stadelhofen railway station)
[Altstetten](#): Max-Högger-Strasse 2, 8048 Zürich (close to Altstetten railway station)
[Schulhaus Lagerstrasse](#): Lagerstrasse 55, 8004 Zürich (near main railway station HB Zürich)

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