

German Language A1.2

Module Code: CSEBBAGLB

Module Type	Admission Requirements	Study Level	ECTS Credits	Student Workload
see curriculum	none	BA	0	150 h

Semester / Term	Duration	Regularly offered in	Language of Instruction and Examination
see curriculum	Minimum 1 semester	WiSe/SoSe	English

Module Coordinator

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Information about the Module Coordinator without guarantee

Contributing Courses to Module

- German Language A1.2 (CSEBBAGLB01)

Module Exam Type

Module Exam

Study Format: Campus Studies
Exam, 90 Minutes

Split Exam

Module Contents

German Language A1.2

- Everyday Communication
- Grammar Foundations
- Health and Well-being
- Housing and Living
- Study and Work
- Travel and Leisure

Learning Outcomes

German Language A1.2

On successful completion, students will be able to

- communicate in simple German about familiar topics such as housing, daily routines, shopping, health, and travel.
- understand and use essential grammatical structures at the A1.2 level, including the dative case, modal verbs, separable verbs, and the present perfect tense.
- apply vocabulary related to places in town, household activities, clothing, weather, and personal health in everyday situations.
- interact appropriately in common practical contexts, such as making appointments, describing symptoms, asking for and giving directions, and shopping for clothes or groceries.
- use basic prepositions with dative and accusative cases to describe location, movement, and time and describe past events and personal experiences using the present perfect tense with common regular and irregular verbs.
- demonstrate improved listening, speaking, reading, and writing skills in preparation for elementary German proficiency assessments.

Links to other Modules within the Study Program

Links to other Study Programs of the University

German Language A1.2

Course Code: CSEBBAGLB01

Study Level	Language of Instruction and Examination	Contact Hours	ECTS Credits	Admission Requirements
BA	English		0	none

Course Description

This course is intended for students who have completed German Course 1 (A1.1) or who have A1.1-level knowledge and aim to further develop their German language skills toward the A1.2 level of the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages. Building on the grammar and vocabulary acquired previously, the course expands students' ability to communicate in everyday situations, including university and workplace contexts, health, housing, and leisure activities. Through integrated practice in speaking, listening, reading, and writing, students strengthen their communicative competence and grammatical accuracy, preparing them for the next stage of German language study.

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Contents

1. Arbeitsalltag
 - 1.1 Talking About Everyday Work Activities
 - 1.2 Describing Workplace Tasks and Routines
 - 1.3 Communicating with Colleagues
 - 1.4 Writing Simple Workplace Messages and Time Expressions

- 1.5 Local Prepositions with the Dative Case
- 2. Gesundheit
 - 2.1 Naming Parts of the Body
 - 2.2 Describing Symptoms and Illnesses
 - 2.3 Visiting the Doctor and Understanding Advice
 - 2.4 Talking About Health Problems (using Imperative)
 - 2.5 Modal Verbs sollen, müssen, dürfen
- 3. Wohnen
 - 3.1 Describing Rooms and Furniture
 - 3.2 Talking About Housing Preferences
 - 3.3 Understanding Apartment Advertisements
 - 3.4 Describing the Location of Objects
 - 3.5 Two-way Prepositions with Dative and Accusative
- 4. Studium und Beruf
 - 4.1 Talking About Studies and Academic Subjects
 - 4.2 Describing Jobs and Professional Activities
 - 4.3 Talking About Future Career Plans
 - 4.4 Understanding Everyday Situations at University and Work
 - 4.5 Modal Verbs in Academic and Professional Contexts
- 5. Die Jacke gefällt mir
 - 5.1 Talking About Clothes and Personal Style
 - 5.2 Expressing Likes and Dislikes
 - 5.3 Shopping for Clothes and Asking for Advice
 - 5.4 Describing Colours, Sizes, and Preferences
 - 5.5 The Verb gefallen and personal Pronouns in the Dative Case
- 6. Ab in den Urlaub
 - 6.1 Talking About Holiday Plans
 - 6.2 Booking Accommodation and Travel Arrangements
 - 6.3 Discussing Weather and Holiday Activities
 - 6.4 Talking About Transportation and Travel Experiences
 - 6.5 Pronoun: man, Interrogative words

Literature

Compulsory Reading**Further Reading**

- Dengler, S., Mayr-Sieber, T., Rusch, P., & Schmitz, H. (2019). Netzwerk neu A1.2: Kurs- und Übungsbuch mit Audios und Videos (ISBN 978-3-12-607155-0). Klett Sprachen
- Jin, F., & Voß, U. (2023). Grammar active: German as a foreign language, A1-B2. Cornelsen.
- Lingo Mastery. (2022). German made easy level 1: an easy step-by-step approach to learn German for beginners.
- Zwolinksa-Simon, A. (2022). Learn German with stories for beginners (A1/A2): improve your German quickly and naturally by reading at your level. Partnach Verlag.

Study Format Campus Studies

Study Format Campus Studies	Course Type Campus Lecture
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Information about the examination	
Examination Admission Requirements	
Type of Exam	Exam, 90 Minutes

Student Workload					
Self Study 84 h	Contact Hours 36 h	Tutorial/Tutorial Support 0 h	Self Test 30 h	Independent Study 0 h	Hours Total 150 h