



2024 International Summer Schools in Germany

Advanced Intensive German
July 1–31, 2024





International Summer School »Advanced Intensive German« (AIG) July 1–31, 2024

In this project-based language course on CEFR level A2/B1, you will hone your German language and intercultural communication skills by delving into selected topics of German history, culture, as well as the issues and challenges facing young adults in Germany today. Experienced language trainers will supervise and support you in completing your projects and they will provide customised language support throughout the program. In addition, you will have the chance to design and conduct remedial and tutorial sessions for an international group of German language learners at CEFR level A1.1. This will provide participants with a chance to practice their teaching skills and to explore techniques and strategies for developing effective teaching materials.

We offer

- a project-based course, i.e. there is not course book or curriculum based on grammar topics, but students will choose topic and form of presentation (e.g. video, podcast, website, insta stories, etc.) at the start of the course.
- Projects should be selected based on UOS research foci such as »peace and conviviality«, »sustainability«, »migration« and »Artificial Intelligence«.
- Resources and technical equipment of UOS's DigiLab can be used to complete projects; DigiLab staff will introduce all resources available to students.
- Besides assisting students with their projects, lecturers will introduce students to relevant research skills and language competences in German to prepare and present their projects in the daily lessons.
- In addition, preparation and teaching of tutorials for international students on level A1.1.
- a rich cultural and recreational program including a 4-day trip to Berlin.
- certification of up to 9 ECTS credits points (6 US credits) at proficiency level B1/B2 CEFR upon successful completion of the language course.

Program

This Summer School offers participants with prior knowledge of the German language at level A2/B1 (CEFR) the opportunity to deepen their knowledge of the language and to experience more than 1000 years of German culture and civilization in and around the city of Osnabrück, the City of Peace. By the end of the program, students will have mastered advanced language skills in German equivalent to level B1/B2 of the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages (CEFR).

Throughout the month of July, the language course will train all four language skills (speaking, listening, reading and writing).

The program is a cooperation between the Language Center (Sprachenzentrum) and the International Office at Osnabrück University



Apply now!

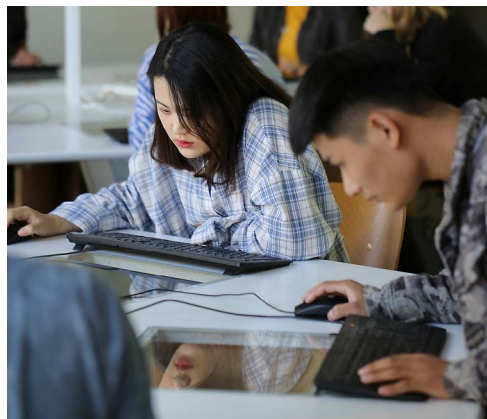
Be part of Osnabrück University's Summer School program and take classes while experiencing Germany! We look forward to receiving your application until **April 14, 2024**.

Eligibility

Undergraduate and graduate students from all over the world interested in deepening their knowledge of German are welcome to apply. You are required to proof your language skills on A2 CEFR level. Participants must be over the age of 18.

Where can I find more information?

For further information, including the application form, please visit our website at: www.uos.de/summerschools. We look forward to hearing from you soon!





Program Fee

We aim to offer you a hassle-free experience. Except for your personal living expenses and travel costs, all essentials are included in the program fee. Specifically, the fee of 2,500 € includes.

- All language classes, tutorial sessions and learning materials
- Accommodation,
- All cultural activities and excursions, including a 4-day trip to Berlin,
- Summer School ID enabling you to eat at Osnabrück University's canteens for reduced prices,
- Bus pass valid for public transportation in Osnabrück,
- Free internet access through Osnabrück University's networks,
- Welcome package with information brochures, emergency information and a few extra goodies,
- Pick-up service from the train station,
- 24/7 assistance via cellphone.

Students from Osnabrück University's partner universities are eligible for a **EUR 250** discount for a total course fee of **EUR 2,250!**

Accommodation

Osnabrück University's International Office will arrange for your accommodation or support you finding one. You will stay in a single room in either a dormitory or a carefully selected homestay or a hotel room.

Cultural Program Highlights

As part of this summer school, you will

- be invited to welcome and farewell dinners as well as other social outings,
- get the opportunity to experience German customs and cuisine first-hand through our buddy program,
- dive into Osnabrück's medieval history during a guided tour by a night watchman,
- explore Bremen's maritime flair,
- learn the history of art and resistance during the Third Reich by visiting an exhibition in the Felix-Nussbaum-Haus,
- trace the origins of Erich-Maria-Remarque's All Quiet on the Western Front,
- walk to Baltrum Island through the UNESCO world heritage site »Mudflats of the North Sea« with its unique flora and fauna if weather conditions allow,
- gain first-hand experience about the nations's history and current politics during a 4-day excursion to Berlin at no extra costs: travel, public transportation, accommodation & breakfast, cultural program all included!



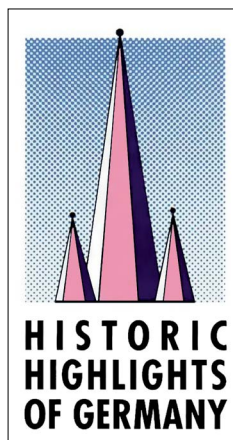
Welcome to Osnabrück University!

Founded in 1974, Osnabrück University offers its 14.000 students an ideally-sized educational experience through numerous accredited undergraduate and graduate degree programs in the Humanities, Social Sciences, Natural Sciences, Business and Law. The university is committed to offering its students small study groups and lively interactions between professors and students – our International Summer Schools, for instance, seldom feature more than 20 students in class. Award-winning student services, a diverse sports program, and an international atmosphere further enhance the academic experience at Osnabrück University.

Each July, Osnabrück University hosts students and professionals for its International Summer Schools. With a mixture of well-established programs and innovative courses, they represent a unique opportunity to experience student life at a renowned German university. As a participant, you will get to enjoy captivating German lessons taught by highly qualified and motivated teachers, an exciting cultural program as well as an innovative partner program.

Your Experience in Osnabrück

- Engage in cutting-edge research
- Discover 800 years of German history
- Experience well-established programs
- Appreciate bustling student life
- Enjoy a safe, manageable and affordable city
- Acquire a unique perspective through local buddies



Osnabrück is one of the 14 members of the »Historic Highlights of Germany« association



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