



University Preparatory German Courses Winter semester 2024/25

The preparatory German courses at the University of Regensburg provide university-specific foreign language training at various levels. The aim of the language courses is to help the applicant attain the level of proficiency needed to study in German, proven by passing the German language university entrance exam for international students, the *Deutsche Sprachprüfung für den Hochschulzugang* (DSH), for which we prepare you. Our courses are set up as intensive courses and based on the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages (CEFR).

1. Course levels

Depending on the number of participants and the capacity of the German as a Foreign Language department, we offer the following course levels:

Course level	CEFR level
Intermediate course (Aufbaukurs)	B2
Advanced course (Hauptkurs)	B2+/C1

2. Prerequisites and placement

The prerequisite for participation in the preparatory German courses is completion of **level B1 with at least a good grade**. The available course places will be assigned depending on the applicants' proven language skills.

You have already submitted proof of your language skills with your application. If you improve your German language skills by the start of the course, you can either submit a new certificate or you can take a placement test to document your improved language knowledge.

Please note that certificates and placement results can only be considered for the courses of the winter semester 2024/25 if you submit the documents to the German as a Foreign Language department **by October 9, 2024** (email to studienvorbereitung.daf@ur.de).

3. Course dates

The preparatory courses in winter semester 2024/25 begin on **October 16, 2024** and end on **January 28, 2025**. The time between December 18, 2024 and January 6, 2025 is free of lessons.

Information about placement, schedule and course rooms will be announced by e-mail no later than October 14, 2024.

4. Further information

Further information about the German language preparatory courses, about placement and recognized certificates can be found on the German as a Foreign Language website at:

<https://go.ur.de/studienvorbereitung-daf>

