



Integration and Learning German

Your career starts today.

Orientation



... by the Federal Office for Migration and Refugees

<https://www.bamf.de/EN/Themen/Integration/ZugewanderteTeilnehmende/zugewanderteteilnehmende-node.html>

... to find offers to learn German

<https://www.bildungserver.de/erwachsenenbildung/portale-zum-deutsch-lernen-1682-de.html>



Homepage to search for language courses

<https://web.arbeitsagentur.de/sprachfoerderung/suche/berufssprachkurse>

Welcome Mittelsachsen with a lot of information of every kind for internationals

<https://welcome-mittelsachsen.de/>



Funded courses



By TUBAF

<https://tu-freiberg.de/iuz/sprachen/sprachenangebot/deutsch-als-fremdsprache>



By the Federal State for employees – available when already holding a work position

https://www.bamf.de/SharedDocs/Anlagen/DE/Integration/Berufsbezsprachf-ESF-BAMF/BSK-Vordrucke-Formulare/job-bsk-infoblatt-arbeitgebende.pdf?__blob=publicationFile&v=6

Institutes that offer German courses



Goethe Institut (internationally accepted certificates)
<https://www.goethe.de/de/spr/kur.html>



Kästner Kolleg (intensive courses available)
<https://www.sprachmobil.com/>

German self-learn-courses



Nicos Weg (Deutsche Welle)
<https://learngerman.dw.com/de/c-36519687>



Deutschtrainer (Deutsche Welle)
<https://learngerman.dw.com/en/deutschtrainer/c-56705009>

German video and news productions



Tagesschau (a German news format) in easy language
https://www.handwerk-magazin.de/produkt/handwerkliche-vokabeln-fuer-fluechtlinge-227016/?do_download=1&file_id=227018



ARD (a German public-service broadcaster)
<https://www.ardmediathek.de/>



ZDF (a German public-service broadcaster)
<https://www.zdf.de/>



ARTE (a German-French public-service broadcaster)
<https://www.arte.tv/de/>

News in German



Deutsche Welle
(international News in 32
languages)



Slowly spoken news +
vocabulary lists down
below

Sources for vocabulary



Technical vocabulary

https://www.handwerk-magazin.de/produkt/handwerkliche-vokabeln-fuer-fluechtlinge-227016/?do_download=1&file_id=227018



PDFs in different languages for different professions

<https://learngerman.dw.com/en/deutschtrainer/c-56705009>

Technical vocabulary at the university

Unlike in other countries, in Germany you can visit every lecture offered at the university – even if it is not part of your curriculum or even another level of education (excluded are lab works that need specific knowledge)

- No fees
- No application or registration
- Just go and listen

This gives you the opportunity to visit bachelor lectures of your own field or the basics (maths, physics, chemistry). When you do a Master study you will know the content already – but you are not here to learn the subject, but the basic vocabulary of your field. Knowing the content just makes it easier to concentrate on the words and expressions. Lectures of your university also offer oftentimes additional material with vocabulary, like skripts.



Reading in German

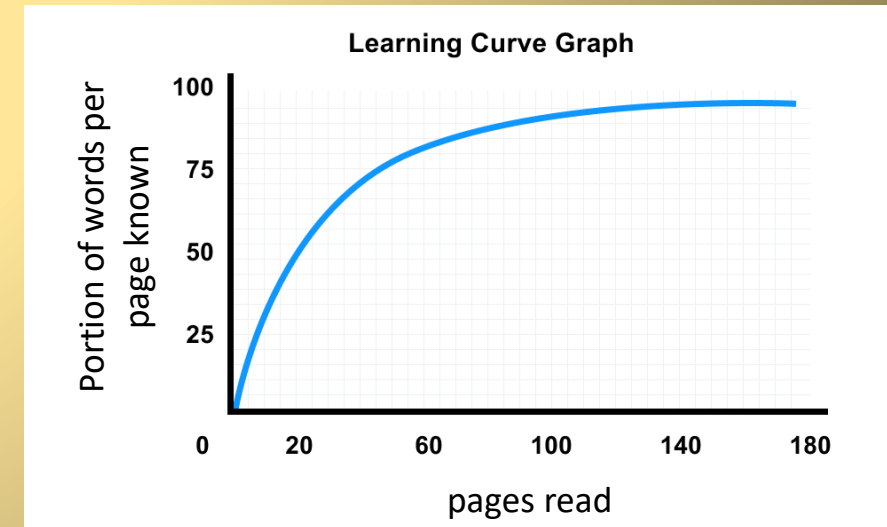
Use the city library to get German novels and non-fiction books. With just a few Euro you will get a card and access for a whole year. You can take books home and read them. I'd recommend books for young adults at first.

An author has a specific style and the topic / story uses specific words over and over. The beginning will be difficult, but the more words you learnt from the pages the easier it will get. The second book of a series might be already not a problem anymore.

Kid's books seem easy at first, but they can be frustrating, because they are so short, that a big portion of words will be new – even on the last page. And the vocabulary is not A1 or A2, because kids learn language directly from their family and not in a structures class.



<https://www.bibliothek-freiberg.de/index>



Meet Germans to apply your German



Sports courses at TUBAF
<https://www.tubaf.plus/>



Language builds bridges
<https://tu-freiberg.de/en/iuz/languages/language-builds-bridges>

Voluntary work to meet people

Helping older people

<https://www.awo-freiberg.de/ehrenamt/>

Helping out at the path finders

<https://pfadfinden-freiberg.de/>

Group of runners

https://www.facebook.com/groups/Mitlaufgelegenheit.Freiberg/?locale=de_DE

Meet other learners to practice your German

Sprachcafés (language cafes)

(1) Begegnungsraum (Mensa)

- Tuesday in odd weeks within lecture periods



(2) Café Momo

- 3rd Wednesday in each month

<https://shop.roesterei-momo.de/blogs/news/wir-mussen-reden>

