

WORKIUM

German Language Visa

4-month intensive course curriculum

Programme code

GLV-4MO

Total duration

16 weeks · 2 CEFR levels (A1 → A2)

Schedule

Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday · 18:30 – 20:30 CET

Learning pace

One CEFR level every 8 weeks (intensive pace)

Course start

Tuesdays. Please inquire about the next available start date for your level.

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Programme overview

A focused 16-week sprint covering two CEFR levels (A1 and A2). Built for applicants who already have some exposure to German or who want to lay a strong everyday-life foundation before moving on to a longer study or work programme.

What is included

- Live German classes with experienced, university-trained teachers
- Structured curriculum aligned with the Common European Framework of Reference (A1 to C2)
- Exam preparation for CEFR exams, DSH and TestDaF
- Student-centred, interactive lessons in small international groups
- Morning or evening schedules
- On-site courses in Berlin (two locations), Munich and Frankfurt, or fully online
- Online learning via Google Classroom
- Official course confirmation available for visa purposes
- All course materials (digital and print workbooks)
- Mid-block tutor one-to-one progress reviews

Programme at a glance

Level	Focus	Weeks	Taught hours
CEFR A1	Breakthrough — first words, first conversations	8	~80
CEFR A2	Waystage — everyday life with confidence	8	~90

Exam pillars

- Goethe-Zertifikat A1 and A2
- telc Deutsch A1 / A2
- ÖSD Zertifikat A1 / A2

CEFR A1 — Breakthrough — first words, first conversations

~8 weeks · ~80 taught hours

Vocabulary and topics

- Greetings, introductions, country and city names
- Numbers 0–1,000, telling time, days, months, seasons
- Family, professions, nationalities, languages
- Food, drinks, shopping for everyday items
- Daily routine, hobbies and free-time activities
- Travel: train station, airport, hotel, directions

Grammar focus

- Personal pronouns (ich, du, er/sie/es, wir, ihr, sie/Sie)
- Present tense regular and irregular verbs (sein, haben, gehen, kommen)
- Articles in Nominativ and Akkusativ (definite, indefinite, negative)
- Word order: statements, W-questions and yes/no questions
- Modal verbs: können, müssen, möchten, wollen
- Possessive articles; separable verbs; perfect tense (introduction)
- Prepositions of place and time (in, an, auf, mit, um, am)

Four-skill targets

Reading Short notes, simple e-mails, menus, signs, announcements.

Listening Slow, clearly articulated speech on familiar topics.

Speaking Self-introductions, ordering in a café, asking for directions.

Writing A 40–60-word note, postcard or social-media post.

Assessment and exam preparation

- Goethe-Zertifikat A1 (Start Deutsch 1)
- telc Deutsch A1
- ÖSD Zertifikat A1

CEFR A1 can-do statement

Introduce yourself and others. Ask and answer questions about personal details. Interact in a simple way provided the other person speaks slowly and clearly.

CEFR A2 — Waystage — everyday life with confidence

~8 weeks · ~90 taught hours

Vocabulary and topics

- Health, body, medical appointments and pharmacy vocabulary
- Housing: renting, furnishing, neighbours, utilities and bills
- Work and study environment; basic CV vocabulary
- Travel planning: bookings, tickets, complaints, lost-and-found
- Weather, climate, holidays and cultural events

Grammar focus

- Past tenses: Perfekt with haben/sein; Präteritum of common verbs
- Dative case: indirect objects and dative prepositions
- Comparative and superlative adjectives
- Subordinate clauses with weil, dass and wenn
- Reflexive verbs and pronouns
- Imperative for instructions and polite requests

Four-skill targets

Reading Short personal letters, newspaper headlines and instructions.

Listening Main points of short announcements, voicemails and news clips.

Speaking Everyday transactions; describing past experiences and plans.

Writing A 60–100-word e-mail, complaint or short report.

Assessment and exam preparation

- Goethe-Zertifikat A2
- telc Deutsch A2
- ÖSD A2 Grundstufe Deutsch

CEFR A2 can-do statement

Describe your background and immediate needs. Handle short social exchanges in shops, banks and offices.
Write short e-mails about routine matters.

Methodology and assessment

How Workium and our German partner schools deliver the programme.

Lesson rhythm — every session

- **Warm-up and review (10 min)** — spaced-repetition of prior vocabulary and grammar.
- **Input phase (40 min)** — teacher-led presentation of new material using authentic German media.
- **Practice (45 min)** — small-group tasks, role-play and corrective feedback.
- **Production (25 min)** — short written or spoken output, peer review.

Assessment cadence

- **Placement test** before the first lesson — determines your start level.
- **Weekly micro-quizzes** on vocabulary and grammar (Google Classroom).
- **Mid-block productive-skills assessment** (writing and speaking).
- **End-of-level CEFR mock exam** mirroring Goethe / telc paper layout.
- **Final certificate** issued after end-of-level pass.

Visa and compliance documentation

Documentation issued by Workium for your embassy application.

- **Official enrolment confirmation** — issued on payment.
- **Hours-of-study attestation** — minimum 18 hours per week verified for the consulate.
- **CEFR-level certificate** — awarded by Workium and our partner language school after each end-of-level pass.
- **Tuition receipt** — covers the full programme duration.

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