

COURSE DETAIL

DUTCH FOR BEGINNERS 2

Country

Netherlands

Host Institution

Maastricht University - Center for European Studies

Program(s)

Biological and Life Sciences, Maastricht, Psychology and Neuroscience, Maastricht

UCEAP Course Level

Lower Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Dutch

UCEAP Course Number

14

UCEAP Course Suffix**UCEAP Official Title**

DUTCH FOR BEGINNERS 2

UCEAP Transcript Title

DUTCH FOR BEGINRS 2

UCEAP Quarter Units

3.00

UCEAP Semester Units

Course Description

This course consists of fourteen meetings of two hours each over block 1 and block 2. The main focus of this course is communication, students learn the basic words and grammar needed to interact with Dutch people. Course participants learn to use common greetings and useful expressions; how to introduce themselves; simple grammatical constructions and words; tell the time in Dutch; understand train announcements, and train timetables, and how to navigate the public transportation system; order meals and drinks in restaurants and cafés; make payments and request the bill; and become more familiar with the Dutch culture. The class uses the book “Start.nl” as the main material, however, homework relies on the digital learning environment in Canvas. During class meetings, students have the opportunity to ask questions of the teacher and to practice communication with fellow students. After class, students are expected to dedicate about 1 hour per session for homework. The class includes a field trip to experience Dutch specialties and practice language skills. Assessment includes a mid-term and final exam, two assessments in order to assess your communicative skills. The final score consists of 3 notes: in-class participation, the mid-term assessment, and the final exam.

Language(s) of Instruction**Host Institution Course Number**

DUT1003

Host Institution Course Title

DUTCH FOR BEGINNERS 2

Host Institution Campus

Maastricht University

Host Institution Faculty**Host Institution Degree**

Host Institution Department

Language Center

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