# COURSE DETAIL

## DUTCH FOR BEGINNERS 1

**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**
13

**UCEAP Course Suffix**

**UCEAP Official Title**
DUTCH FOR BEGINNERS 1

**UCEAP Transcript Title**
DUTCH FOR BEGINRS 1

**UCEAP Quarter Units**
1.50

**UCEAP Semester Units**

1.00

**Course Description**

This course consists of seven meetings of two hours each during block 1. 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; 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. 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**
DUT1004

**Host Institution Course Title**
DUTCH FOR BEGINNERS 1

**Host Institution Course Details**
https://curriculum.maastrichtuniversity.nl/meta/487738/dutch-beginners-1

**Host Institution Campus**
Maastricht University

**Host Institution Faculty**

**Host Institution Degree**

**Host Institution Department**

Language Center

**Course Last Reviewed**

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