

Terms and Conditions

Babylonia e.V., Berlin

for German language courses A1.1 to B1.2 and the Orientation Course

1. Registration and Payment

1. Registration normally takes place in person during the weekly German course consultation. Registration must be completed at least one week before the start of the course.
 2. To reserve a place on a course, a deposit must be paid before the course begins.
 - The deposit amounts to half of the fee for one module.
 - The remaining course fees are due at the start of the course.
 - For subsequent modules, payment is due at the beginning of each new module.
 3. Payment must be made in cash during the German course consultation.
 4. Any person registering another individual is fully liable for compliance with all contractual obligations.
 5. The language courses are exempt from value added tax (VAT).
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2. Courses, Schedule and Course Materials

1. Placement in a course level is determined on the basis of the information provided during the consultation and a placement test.
2. A German language course generally consists of six modules, each comprising 100 teaching units.
3. Classes are usually held on four days per week.
Four teaching units are held per day.
One teaching unit lasts 45 minutes.
4. Participants are required to attend classes regularly and punctually.
No refund of course fees is granted in the event of absence.
Missed classes are not made up.
5. Progression to the next module takes place automatically unless the participant gives notice of termination.
6. Babylonia e.V. reserves the right to cancel, merge or discontinue courses if the minimum number of participants is not reached.

7. Course books and workbooks are not provided.
Participants are responsible for obtaining the required materials in good time.
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3. Certificates of Attendance and Examinations

1. Upon request, Babylonia e.V. will issue a certificate of attendance.
 2. For eligible participants in integration courses, the B1 examination approved by the Federal Office for Migration and Refugees is conducted or arranged after completion of the six modules.
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4. Termination

1. The contract may be terminated in writing or orally up to the start of the course.
Any course fees already paid will be refunded in full.
 2. After the course has begun, no refund is possible.
 3. The right to extraordinary termination for good cause remains unaffected (for example in the case of serious circumstances in accordance with section 626 of the German Civil Code).
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5. Obligations of Babylonia e.V.

Babylonia e.V. undertakes to:

1. prepare the courses with due care
2. select qualified teaching staff
3. conduct the courses properly as scheduled

If a teacher is unavailable, a substitute teacher may be appointed. If classes cannot take place at short notice, they will be rescheduled. No additional costs will arise for participants as a result.

6. Liability

1. Claims for damages are excluded, except in cases of:
 - injury to life, body or health
 - breach of essential contractual obligations
 - intent or gross negligence

Essential contractual obligations are obligations whose fulfilment is necessary to achieve the purpose of the contract.

2. In cases of slight negligence, Babylonia e.V. shall only be liable for foreseeable damage typical of the contract.
 3. These limitations of liability also apply in favour of the legal representatives and vicarious agents of Babylonia e.V.
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7. Amendments to the Terms and Conditions

Any amendments or supplements to these Terms and Conditions must be made in writing. No verbal side agreements exist.

The Terms and Conditions are made available to all contracting parties. Their acceptance forms an integral part of the contractual relationship.

8. Place of Instruction

Classes are generally held on the premises of Babylonia e.V.:
Cuvrystraße 23, 10997 Berlin, Germany.

9. Severability Clause

Should individual provisions of these Terms and Conditions be or become invalid, the validity of the remaining provisions shall remain unaffected. The statutory provision that most closely reflects the economic purpose of the invalid provision shall apply in its place.

Berlin, 20 December 2025
Babylonia e.V., Berlin