

Russian & Russian for Business for Teachers and Educators using Russian as a Foreign Language

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Course ref: EPR6

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EPR 6.1: 1 week

EPR 6.2: 2 weeks

Entry level:

Level of Russian CEFR A2/ A2+

Language of Tuition:

Russian

Course Intensity

25 lessons per week

Total Course Contact Hours:

1 week: 20.8 hours

2 weeks: 41.6 hours

Maximum class size:

12

Course Provider:

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Development

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This course is recommended for non-native speakers of Russian teaching General Russian to students aged 12 upwards in any kind of educational institution. The course is also suitable for teachers teaching Business Russian and/or any custom-tailored Russian course.

Objectives

This **intensive course** is designed to improve language-teaching competence, enhancing both methodology skills and classroom management confidence and refining participants' own language skills. The outcomes are a new perspective of the aims and objectives of teaching languages in a modern world; a greater range of methodological approaches; interaction-driven versus theory-driven approaches and practical skills.

Preparation: Pre-Course

- Needs Analysis
- Online resources for pre-course, arrival and cultural information
- Online language level assessment
- Pre-Course Practical Arrangements

Practical Arrangements: Intra-Course Modalities offered by the Course Provider

- Course Tutor
- Pedagogic Learning Materials Included
- Exchange of best practices
- Ongoing assessment and evaluation including feedback on progress. Each student's progress is being monitored through weekly progress tests; end of course tests, and self-evaluation/tutorial sessions with the Head teacher (on demand)
- Optional additional language workshops
- Pastoral Care, 24 hr Emergency Number
- Accommodation Service
- City orientation tour and welcome activity
- Optional Cultural Activities and Visits

Follow up provided: Post-Course Modalities

- End of course test and programme evaluation
- Linguistic Profile based on Common European Framework of Reference
- A Certificate of Attendance
- Europass Mobility
- Opportunities for continued on-line learning and consolidation

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Outcomes

Improved personal Russian language skills: fluency, accuracy and authenticity

Improved business Russian language skills

More confidence in using the language

Enhanced communicative skills

Improved language skills for teaching Russian as a Foreign Language

Insights into current business situation/trends/ethics

Deeper sensitivity to cultural diversity

Erasmus+ potential for your own and others' professional development

Access to online sources, websites, textbooks/teaching material

Course Content and Strategies

This program concentrates on general and business Russian through communication. It aims to equip participants with a deep understanding of grammar as well as to give them a chance to exercise and refine their own command of the language.

The course elicits vocabulary, syntax, and grammar essential for the business communication and provides participants with practical examples of appropriate application.

Only Russian is spoken in a classroom. Class dynamics include individual, pair and group work, discussions, debates, role-plays, presentations, written tasks and listening exercises. Real case-studies broaden the specific vocabulary and give insight into Russian-speaking business ethics. The smaller size of the afternoon group gives participants the opportunity to be fully engaged in conversations, practicing and consolidating new material. Possible timetable (exact timings tbc):

Week 1	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
7:40 or 11:40	Welcome, Testing and class assignment				
8:00-11:40 or 12:30-16:10	General Russian Group Lessons	General Russian Group Lessons	General Russian Group Lessons	General Russian Group Lessons	General Russian Group Lessons
Lunch break					
12:30-14:35 or 17:00-19:05		Business Russian (according to level)		Business Russian (according to level)	
Saturday	Culture Day: Full day visit (included for two-week programmes, extra charge for one-week programmes)				
Sunday	Informal Learning: Personal research, cultural activity, practicing language skills				
Week 2	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
8:00-11:40 or 12:30-16:10	General Russian Group Lessons	General Russian Group Lessons	General Russian Group Lessons	General Russian Group Lessons	General Russian Group Lessons
Lunch break					
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