

| Language | Polish |
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| Level | A1.1 - Lower Intermediate |
| Teacher | Anna Kostecka |
| Who the course is intended for (prior knowledge express using Common European Framework Reference for Languages (CEFR) levels) | <p>Course is intended for students who have completed Beginners level or a similar course having gained limited experience of dealing with Polish and would like to continue learning the language on the level corresponding with their knowledge. There will be a placement test offered before the beginning of the course.</p> <p>Students should understand and use familiar everyday expressions and very basic phrases aimed at the satisfaction of needs of a concrete type, can introduce him/herself and others and can ask and answer questions about personal details such as where he/she lives, people he/she knows and things he/she has, can interact in a simple way provided the other person talks slowly and clearly.</p> |
| Course content | |
| Language awareness | Every class work includes practicing new vocabulary and grammar as well as applying these studies to practical, real-life situations. The course will give students an opportunity to revise, consolidate, and build on acquired skills. The new grammar material will cover as follows: the past tense, the future tense, aspect of verbs, cases (revision of covered cases and Locative), static and dynamic verbs followed by prepositions and cases, adjectives and adverbs, verbal nouns. |
| Cultural awareness/ Topics and Themes | On completion of the course students will be able to communicate in Polish on a variety of practical everyday matters. The course will cover the following: discussing past activities (weekend, holidays, childhood etc.), discussing future activities (plans, resolutions, wishes), habits, favourite activities, preferences and abilities in past, present and future, describing location, asking for and giving directions, places to visit in Poland, organising holidays, making reservations and travel arrangements, renting or buying a flat /a house in Poland, discussing the weather, health related issues, making appointments with doctors, talking about sport, festivities around the year and in the family, discussing work related issues. |
| Textbook | “Hurra! Po polsku 1. Podręcznik studenta” (lessons 10-20) by A. Burkat, A. Jasińska, M. Małolepsza, A. Szymkiewicz (plus additional materials) |

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| Level reached at the end of the course (CEFR) | A2 |
| Assessment [optional test in TCD Y/N] — with information on dates if available | Test at the end of each term |
| Course details | |
| Number of hours per week | 3 (total number of hours: 63) |
| Number of days per week (days if known) | 2- Tuesday – Thursday |
| Times | 7:00 – 8.30 pm |
| Cost | €690 |