



'In 2024, we are solidifying our strengths: using the expertise of our staff in high quality language education for all our partners. We are preparing for the increasing demand in Dutch training courses. This year, we have started our NT2 teacher-training programme to be able to respond to that demand in the future as well. Besides Dutch, we are working on expanding the array of languages we have on offer, already no less than 14 languages at the moment, and we see a growing interest in our official TOEFL test centre. We are looking forward to further developing collaborations with our partners, and we would like to continue discussions about how we can strengthen each other.'

Niels Rambags, Director

FACTS & FIGURES

In 2023, we offered:



570 **COURSES AND WORKSHOPS** in 12 languages for 4,873 participants.



200 **TAILOR-MADE TRAINING COURSES**, individually or in groups, for clients such as: Gasunie, IKEA Groningen, Martini Hospital, Ministry of Justice and Security, UG, UMCG, and more.



890 **TRANSLATIONS**, 228 **CORRECTIONS** and 85 **SUBTITLING PROJECTS**, for clients such as: Groningen Safety Region, Municipality of Groningen, Royal Netherlands Institute in Rome, UG, UMCG, and more.

GOOGLE REVIEWS

'Very well designed Dutch courses, I enjoyed them! The teachers are very professional, the groups are rather small. Be aware that the courses are designed to have many hours of self-study; if you do your part, you can learn Dutch rather quickly!'



Dulces de Avellana, participant intensive Dutch course

'Excellent environment for learning different languages, very recommended.'



Bei Chen, participant Dutch course

'Good training course with an excellent teacher. Besides having a lot of laughs, I learnt a lot.'



Roel Petter, participant English tailor-made training course

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Language Centre



OUR RANGE OF COURSES AND SERVICES

- ✓ Language courses
- ✓ Intercultural competence training
- ✓ Academic communication skills
- ✓ Professional communication skills
- ✓ Language tests and assessments
- ✓ Translation and editing



MISSION

We want to make it possible for everyone to develop themselves and connect with others, regardless of linguistic and cultural background.



WHAT WE STAND FOR

- ✓ We are the provider of language and culture for everyone, from students to professionals, individuals, institutions, and businesses.
- ✓ As the UG's official language partner, we provide numerous lectures, translations, training courses, and workshops for students and staff members.
- ✓ With our knowledge and passion, we contribute to an international, inclusive, and diverse society.



By initiating and participating in projects, we strive to create better connections in society. On top of that, we are constantly innovating our range to continue to satisfy our clients' needs.

INNOVATIONS & PROJECTS



NT2 teacher-training programme

In 2024, after four years of absence, we will restart our teacher training course that prepares participants for a career in NT2 education. Due to high demand, we are even organizing two cohorts this year!



Osaka Winter School

In collaboration with Osaka University, we are organizing a language and culture programme in Groningen for Bachelor's students from Osaka.



한국어, Português, Svenska and Українська мова

With the addition of Korean, Portuguese, Swedish, and Ukrainian, our offer has expanded to 14 languages!



First official TOEFL test centre in the Northern Netherlands

As from September 2023, we are certified to administer the official TOEFL iBT test.

OUR LANGUAGES

- ✓ Arabic
- ✓ Chinese
- ✓ Dutch
- ✓ English
- ✓ French
- ✓ German
- ✓ Italian
- ✓ Japanese
- ✓ Korean
- ✓ Portuguese
- ✓ Russian
- ✓ Spanish
- ✓ Swedish
- ✓ Ukrainian

SPECIFIC COURSES, e.g.:

- ✓ Conversational courses
- ✓ Pronunciation courses
- ✓ Dutch for civic integration candidates
- ✓ Training courses for professionals
- ✓ Voice coaching
- ✓ Academic writing
- ✓ Business writing
- ✓ TOEFL exam preparation
- ✓ English for healthy ageing
- ✓ And tailor-made training courses, designed according to your personal wishes and your precise objectives!