



GERMAN - III

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TYPE OF COURSE : New | Elective | UG/PG**COURSE DURATION** : 12 weeks (24 Jan' 22 - 15 Apr' 22)**EXAM DATE** : April 23, 2022**PRE-REQUISITES** : Successful completion of German 2 OR equivalent knowledge of German language**INTENDED AUDIENCE** : Learners with basic knowledge of German wanting to acquire the competence to be able to study or work in German speaking countries**INDUSTRIES APPLICABLE TO** : Companies / Organisations / Individuals having business / work with Germany, Austria and/or Switzerland**COURSE OUTLINE :**

German 3 will build upon the courses German 1 and German 2, which are already being offered on the NPTEL platform since two years.

The overall objective of this course is to acquire good knowledge of the German language, corresponding to the B1 proficiency level of the European Common Framework of Reference for Languages.

https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Common_European_Framework_of_Reference_for_Languages

B1 is the proficiency level required to be eligible to study in Germany, Austria and at several important universities in Switzerland, and to be able to work in these countries. Through this course we hope to bring your German language competence to a level where you would be able to qualify B1 level exams conducted by certifying institutions, and thus acquire the language eligibility to study / work in Germany (as required as of today by most institutions and organizations).

ABOUT INSTRUCTOR :

Dr Milind Brahme has an MA, M Phil and a PhD in German language and literature from the Centre of German Studies, JNU. He has been on the faculty of IIT Madras since 2003, and has more than 25 years of experience of teaching German language and literature in diverse situations and contexts.

COURSE PLAN :**Week 1:** Travel.**Week 2:** Tech and gadgets.**Week 3:** Milestones.**Week 4:** All about Work .**Week 5:** Environment.**Week 6:** Looking ahead.**Week 7:** Relationships.**Week 8:** Body and Health.**Week 9:** Art and Culture.**Week 10:** Community / Living Together.**Week 11:** Community / Living Together.**Week 12:** All about Money.