

A large, stylized graphic of an open doorway or entrance. The top half is composed of a large orange rectangle on the left and a red rectangle on the right. Below this, a red archway or base is visible. The entire graphic is set against a white background and is partially overlaid by a teal-colored shape at the bottom.

**German opens
doors**
We support you.

The canton supports attending a German or literacy course up to level B2 with CHF 10 per lesson.

When do you receive a discount?

If you live in the canton of St. Gallen.

If your taxable income is less than CHF 60,000 (for a single person) or CHF 80,000 (for married couples and families). If you are required to pay withholding tax, your taxable income is calculated as 75% of your gross income.

If your taxable assets are less than CHF 50,000.

If you have an L, B (both without the “residence for education” remark) or C residence permit or Swiss citizenship.

If the course costs are not covered by any other office (e.g. social welfare office, RAV, IV, SUVA, employer; exception: Migration Office).

If you attend at least 60% of the course.

If you submit the application before the end of the course. Retroactive reimbursement of benefits is not possible.

How do you register?

Select the language school at www.deutschkurse-sg.ch

Request a course discount application from the school and fill out the form (together with the school if necessary)

Submit the application to the school –
The school forwards the application to the canton

Examination by the canton

Feedback about the application from the school (approved or rejected)

If the application is approved, the language school will invoice the course costs at a reduced rate.



Further information is available on our website

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