# **Learning Coaching German**



## **Arriving in training in Germany**

## for trainees with a migration background

Status: 07/2023

To support trainees during training or before they start training in Schleswig-Holstein.

<u>Target group</u>: Trainees or prospective trainees

<u>Language level:</u> B1-C1

Number of participants: Individual training or, in exceptional cases, small groups (max. 4

participants)

<u>Duration:</u> 5-10 dates by arrangement - 45 minutes each (1 unit)

<u>Time frame:</u> Start summer 1 September 2023

<u>Training locations</u>: usually online / vhs Cloud optionally also in attendance

The aim of these learning coaching sessions is to expand and train personal vocabulary and to transfer to the DVV learning portal, which can be used free of charge.

### **Learning Coaching German for Trainees with a Migrant Background**

With this model project, we would like to offer learning coaching units of 45 minutes each for your trainees in close cooperation with the companies. Our instructors from the German course formats have the relevant skills and experience to organise these coaching units. The aim is to identify these language deficits in approx. 5 to 10 online appointments, which can be arranged individually, usually in one-to-one coaching, and to develop appropriate concepts to consolidate the learning success. In addition, the coaching should serve to make use of the German vocabulary not otherwise used and should serve as preparation even before the start of the training. Ideally, 5 appointments in advance and 5 appointments for the transition to the training in Germany. In individual cases, more appointments can be booked for good reason.

The main aim of the coaching units is to transfer the participants to the free and tutor-assisted programme of the German Adult Education Association (DVV) www.vhs-lernportal.de.

### **Procedure**

Before the start of the training or in the course of the training, the eligible trainees receive a link from the cooperating company (e.g. the school management of Segeberger Kliniken) where vhs DAZ lecturers briefly introduce themselves for this project with contact details.

After a previously agreed quota (usually 5 appointments), the trainees can now arrange online meetings (or later in person if they wish) for language coaching. Afterwards, the lecturer will make an assessment/recommendation.

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### Goals:

- Consolidation of the existing German language level among trainees.
- Minimise company-related difficulties by improving German language skills.
- As a result, drop-outs from training and barriers to learning at school are prevented.
- Facilitate entry (arrival) into training in Germany avoid learning blockades.
- If necessary, acquire additional participants for the training through training preparation offers.

The Adult Education Centre Bad Segeberg has extensive experience with this target group. Especially in the area of language acquisition, the vhs has had accreditations (integration courses and vocational language courses) from the Federal Office for Migration and Refugees (BAMF) since 2016. Since 2022, we have also been preparing around 20 people for training in the field of nursing in cooperation with the nursing school of the Inner Mission in Rickling. This measure (SKIFAP) is also financed by the state of SH. In this context, we are in close contact with the representatives of the Job Centre, the Employment Agency, the BAMF, the BBZ Bad Segeberg, the entrepreneurial network "Wir für Segeberg", the City of Bad Segeberg and the district.

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