

COURSE CONTENT – DUTCH LEVEL 1

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| TOPIC | LANGUAGE FUNCTIONS | LANGUAGE STRUCTURES |
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| Introductions, Nationalities, Languages | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Greeting and leave taking Introducing self and others Expressing thanks Initiating a conversation Using classroom language | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Alphabet and pronunciation Personal pronouns: subject forms Verbs: Simple present tense Word order: main clauses and questions |
| Personal Information | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Asking for personal data Providing personal data Expressing intentions Spelling Counting | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Questions and interrogative pronouns Word order: inversion of subject/verb Cardinal numbers Possessive and personal pronouns |
| Family and Friends | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Asking about and describing friends and family Asking and telling time | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Nouns: singular and plural Articles: <i>de, het, een</i> Negation: <i>niet, geen</i> |
| Socialising | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Making arrangements and responding to invitations Expressing wishes and responding Asking about and describing routines and habits | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Modal auxiliary verbs: <i>kunnen, willen, moeten, mogen, zullen</i> Adverbs and adverbial phrases: parts of the day, days of the week, months, seasons |

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| Shopping | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Requesting and offering goods and services Asking about and expressing quality and quantity Asking about and providing prices | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Adjectives and adjectival forms Currencies and quantities Verbs: Imperatives (I) |
| Directions | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Asking about and describing landmarks and institutions Asking for and providing location and direction | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Adverbs of location: <i>er, hier, daar</i> Verbs: Imperatives (II) Ordinal numbers Sequencing words: <i>eerst, dan, daarna</i> |
| Dining out, Keeping in Touch | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Offering and responding to invitations and suggestions Requesting and offering goods and services Using the phone and social media Expressing likes and dislikes | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Sentence structures: co-ordinated and subordinated sentences Co-ordinating: <i>en, of, maar, dus, want</i> Subordinating: <i>omdat, als, dat</i> Time and frequency structures Indirect speech |