Summer online school of Polish language and culture

Summer is a great time for learning Polish so we invite you to take part in a holiday course at the School of Polish Language for Foreigners at the University of Lodz organized and financed under NAWA summer courses programme!


The course takes place online from 2 to 23 August 2021. The aim of the course is not only to learn Polish, but also to get to know Polish culture, literature and traditions better.

What criteria must be met by the candidates?

- they must study abroad
- they cannot live in Poland
- Polish cannot be their first language
- they did not study in Poland during the 2020/2021 academic year

The duties of course participants will include:

- not less than 75% attendance at compulsory classes within the course,
- participation in evaluation activities during the course and after its completion, including completing an on-line questionnaire, access to which will be given before the end of the course,
- participation in evaluation studies conducted by the Ministry of Education and Science on the terms specified by the Ministry of Education and Science,
- cooperation with the course organizer and the teachers conducting the classes in order to achieve the best possible results of the course,
- having appropriate equipment and an Internet connection enabling a good quality connection - including video - and access to a quiet room - so that all participants of the classes have appropriate conditions for learning.

What is worth knowing?

- the course is free of charge
• classes are held at all levels (from A1 to C2)
• the level test will determine which group you should join
• classes are conducted by experienced academic teachers
• the course includes 45 hours of Polish language lessons and over 30 hours of workshops and culture classes; the classes take place from Monday to Friday and start at 9 am CEST (UTC+2)
5-6 hours of lessons a day are planned
• at the end of the course all participants will receive a certificate of completion (the basis for issuing the certificate will be the sufficiently high attendance)

What is the course outline?

• **Polish language course** - improving language competence of the course participants
• **language consultations** – guaranteeing individual approach to each course participant
• **workshops on Polish literature and politeness in language** – getting to know interesting literary and culture texts, discussions, workshops and language games
• **lectures on Polish history** – presenting selected issues from Polish history
• **cultural and anthropological classes about Polish traditions** – presentation of Polish holidays, rituals, traditions and folklore
• **meetings presenting the opportunities of studying in Poland** – offer of studies in Poland, presentation of Polish universities and their programmes, fields of study, and information on recruitment and necessary documents
• **language games and activities** – getting to know each other, breaking cultural and linguistic barriers, creating a friendly atmosphere, combining learning with entertainment, and encouraging participants to speak about themselves in Polish
• **virtual tours around Lodz** – exploring of Lodz as an intensively developing city that offers rich opportunities of studies and attractive jobs

*A detailed course programme will be presented after the recruitment process is closed.

Why is it worth taking part in the course?

• You will learn a language without leaving your home!
• You will meet interesting people and make international contacts!
• You will learn more about studying in Poland!
• You will improve your language skills!
• You will get to know Polish history, tradition, literature and culture better!
• You can visit Lodz virtually and learn its secrets!
• You will spend your holidays learning and having fun!

How to sign up?

The application form is available at: [www.sjpdc.uni.lodz.pl](http://www.sjpdc.uni.lodz.pl)