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German Test for the naturalisation process for the canton of Zurich – 2018



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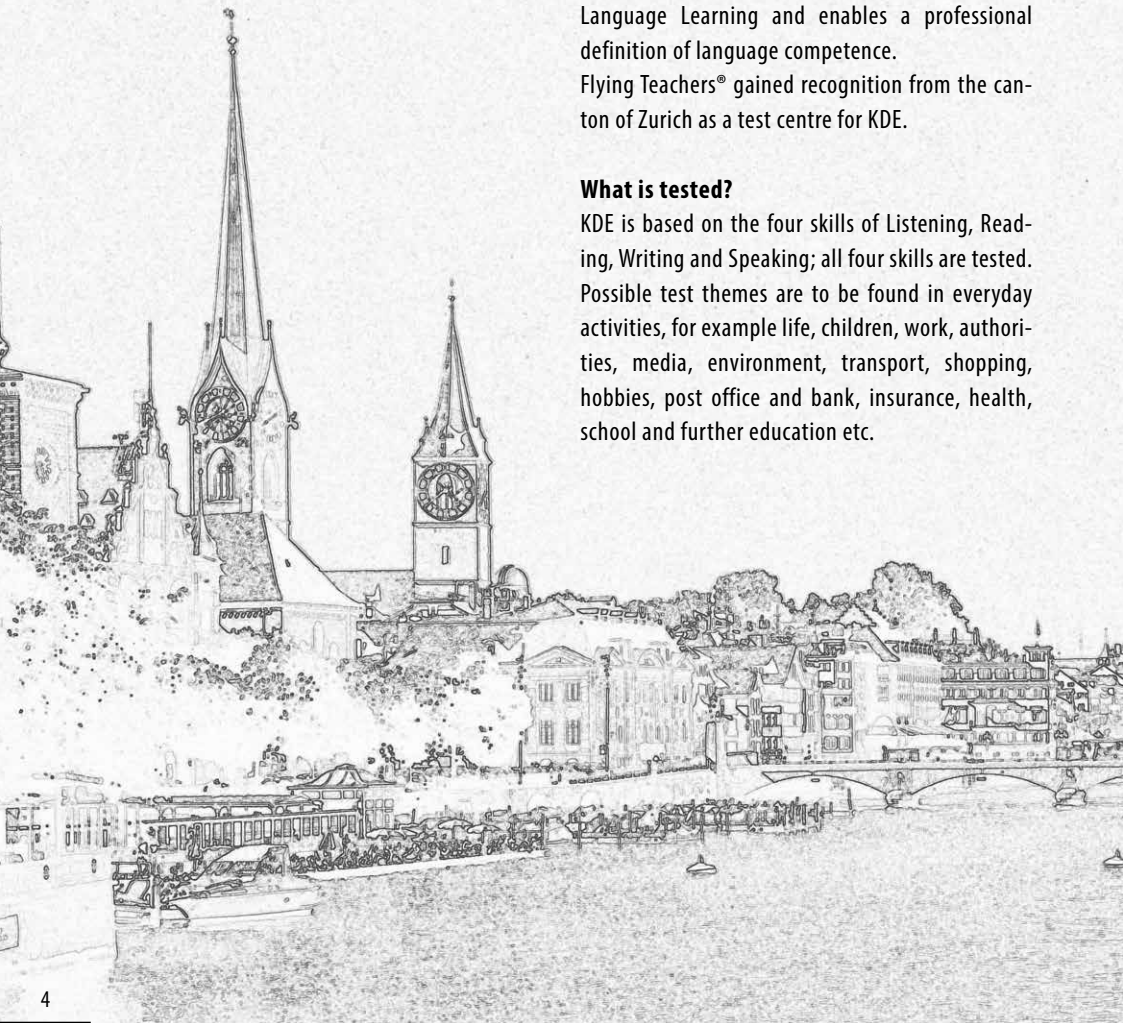
KDE – German test for the naturalisation process for the canton of Zurich

You wish to become a naturalised Swiss and have applied in the canton of Zurich. Now you are required to prove your German knowledge.

For this purpose, the canton of Zurich has developed the KDE (German Test for the process of naturalisation for the canton of Zurich). KDE is aligned in accordance with the European Commission for Language Learning and enables a professional definition of language competence. Flying Teachers® gained recognition from the canton of Zurich as a test centre for KDE.

What is tested?

KDE is based on the four skills of Listening, Reading, Writing and Speaking; all four skills are tested. Possible test themes are to be found in everyday activities, for example life, children, work, authorities, media, environment, transport, shopping, hobbies, post office and bank, insurance, health, school and further education etc.





What language level is the KDE?

To pass KDE, the following language levels need to be reached:

Listening and Speaking: B1

Reading and Writing: A2

A special aspect of KDE is that candidates can also understand Swiss German dialect.

How long does the test take?

KDE test candidates are informed about the test procedures at the start of the test. During this short introduction (around 15 mins), questions may be asked.

During the test, questions are not allowed.

The Listening, Reading and Writing parts form a unit and are divided as follows:

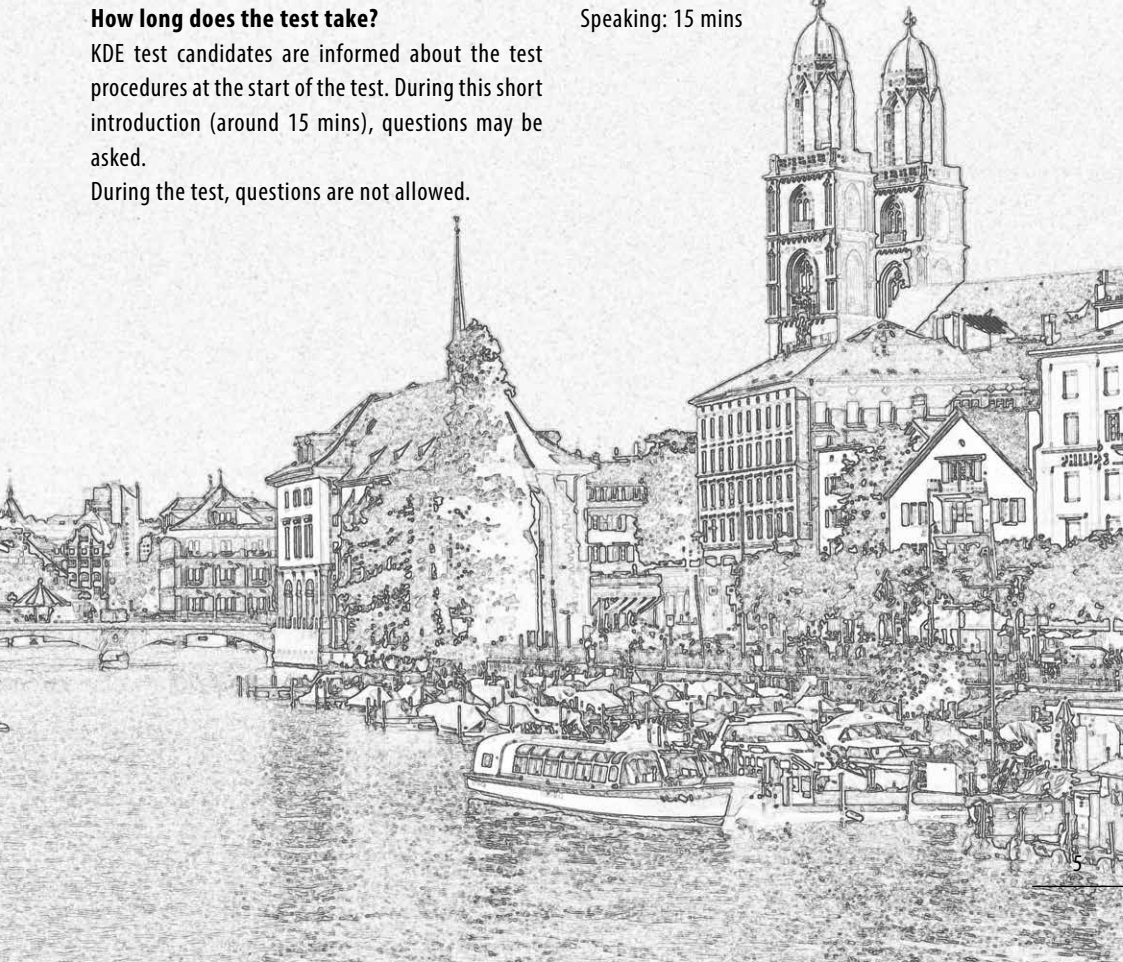
Listening: 15 mins

Reading: 35 mins

Writing: 25 mins

The Speaking part of the test is carried out separately in the form of a discussion.

Speaking: 15 mins





At Flying Teachers®, the first test unit (Listening, Reading, Writing) takes place at 9 a.m. on Saturdays.

The second test unit (Speaking) takes place on the same day according to a separate schedule.

No aids are allowed!

Dictionaries and other aids are not allowed. Electronic devices such as mobile phone, walkman etc. may not be used.

Proof of identity required

The KDE candidate is required to bring a valid proof of identity to the test (identity card or passport).

Registration

The registration for the test is completed via a registration form and must be completed at least seven days before the test date chosen. The letter from the Department for Naturalisation (Einbürgerungsamt) must be enclosed to the registration! The signed registration form is binding.

Please note: registration for the KDE test cannot be made by phone. Registration for a defined test date is required. The date selected and booked by the candidate cannot be changed!

Test dates

13.01.2018
24.02.2018
07.04.2018
19.05.2018
30.06.2018
11.08.2018
22.09.2018
03.11.2018
17.12.2018

Test confirmation

You will receive a written test confirmation from Flying Teachers®. This contains the precise exam location and the test times.

Cost

The KDE costs CHF 250.-.
The test fee must be paid immediately after the registration.

A specific part of the test

A specific part of the test completed in isolation (only writing or only speaking) costs CHF 150.-. In order for you to register for a specific part of the test, you will need to submit a copy of a statement of result showing that the other part was awarded a pass grade. Please remember to enclose a copy of the letter received from the Department for Naturalisation (Einbürgerungsamt).



Withdrawal

Withdrawal from the KDE is only possible in writing. Withdrawal is free of charge up to seven days before the examination date. Withdrawal up to 6 days before the examination date will involve a fee of CHF 125.-. If withdrawal occurs later or if the candidate misses the exam, the whole amount of CHF 250.- is still due. The only exceptions are when a doctor's certificate is issued or when an official document justifying the absence is provided.

KDE certificate

The KDE certificate is sent to you by the Department for Naturalisation (Einbürgerungsamt).

Repeating the KDE?

The community involved in the process of naturalisation decides on the need to repeat the test. The community may request a recommendation from Flying Teachers®. The community decides on whether a part of the test or the whole test may be repeated.

Excused from taking the KDE?

A right to be excused from taking the KDE is decided by the community in question.



Preparation course

«Fit for Zurich's naturalisation interview (Einbürgerungsgespräch)»

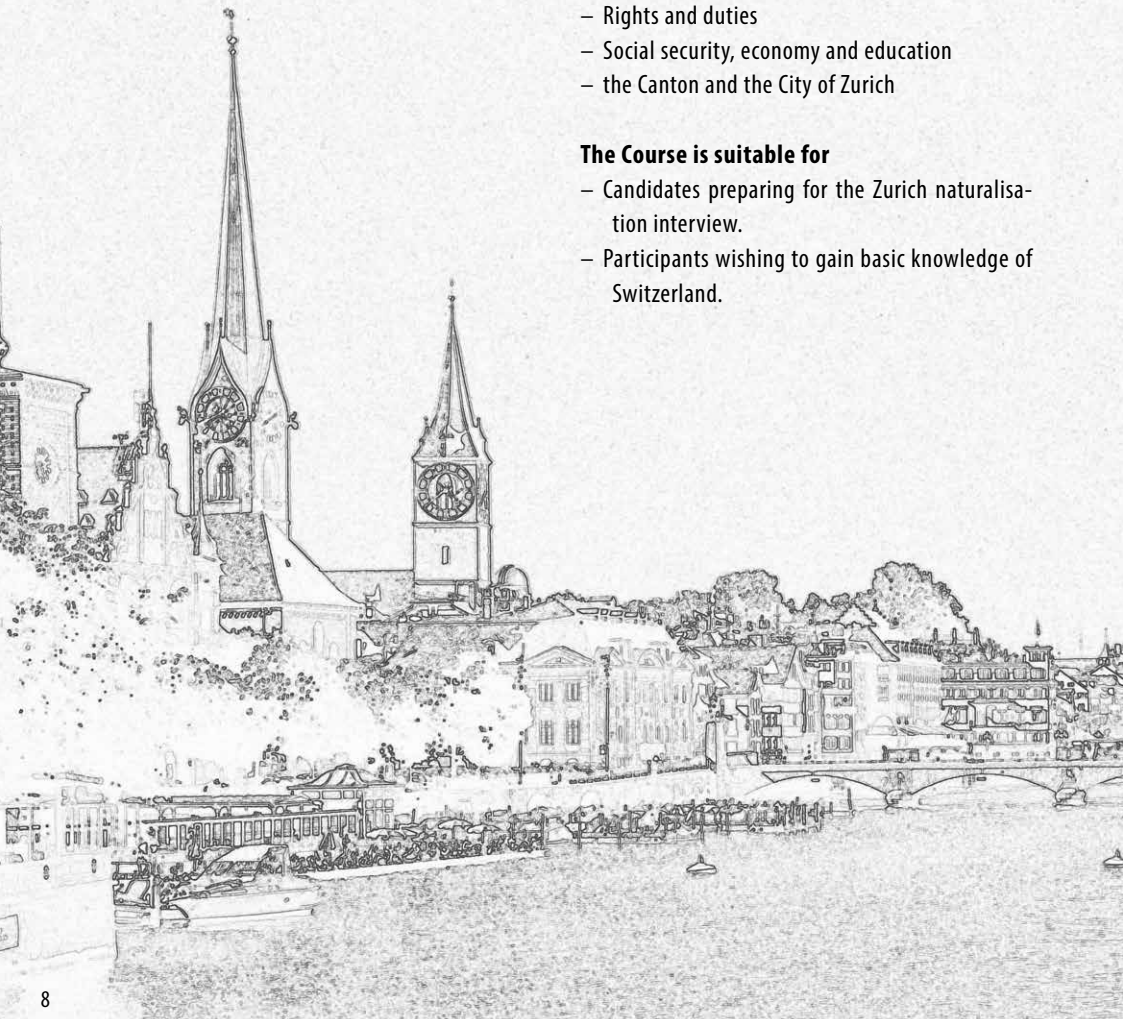
In this course, participants are familiarised with Switzerland's political and social system, and are prepared for the Zurich's naturalisation interview (Einbürgerungsgespräch).

Course content

- Geography, history and languages in Switzerland
- Democracy and federalism
- Rights and duties
- Social security, economy and education
- the Canton and the City of Zurich

The Course is suitable for

- Candidates preparing for the Zurich naturalisation interview.
- Participants wishing to gain basic knowledge of Switzerland.





Requirements for participation

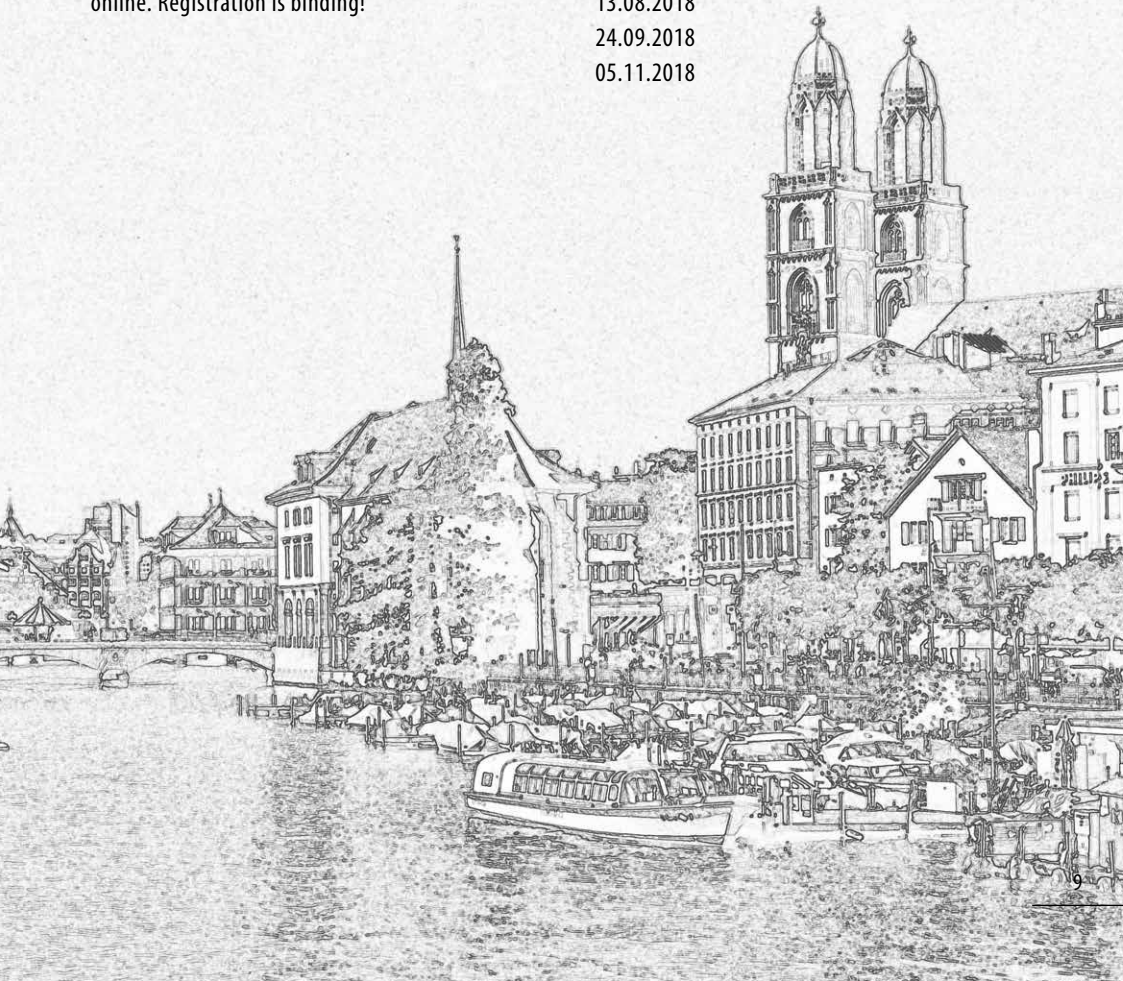
You have passed the KDE test or have achieved level B1 in German.

Registration

You should register for the Fit for Zurich's Naturalisation Interview course via a registration form or online. Registration is binding!

Course starts on:

13.11.2017
15.01.2018
26.02.2018
09.04.2018
21.05.2018
02.07.2018
13.08.2018
24.09.2018
05.11.2018





Course times

The course takes place twice a week, Mondays and Wednesdays from 17.30-19.00.

Duration: 12 lessons of 90 minutes each.

Cost

The course fee (CHF 450.-), must be paid within 20 days of receipt of written course confirmation and invoice.

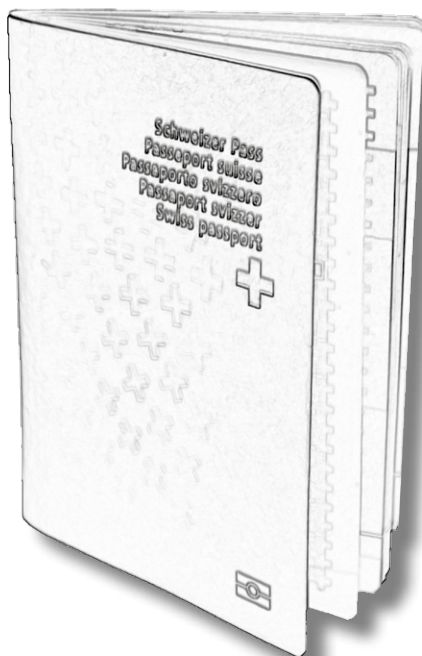
Cost of course material:

CHF 35.00 (special booklet).

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