



LSI.ONLINE

E-Learning Russian



ABOUT THE LANDESSPRACHENINSTITUT

The Institute of Intensive Language Training (LSI) has been teaching practical, communicative language skills in intensive language courses for over 40 years. The LSI programme includes **Arabic, Chinese, Japanese, Korean, Russian, Persian (Dari/Farsi) and Turkish.**

Blended learning elements are currently being integrated into the LSI courses.

Autonomous e-learning offers are available for the languages **Russian, German as a Foreign Language (DaF) and Chinese.**

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THE WEB-BASED LEARNING PLATFORM BY LSI

LSI.online is a learning platform with which you can acquire and train Russian language skills both in a classroom course (blended learning) and independently of classroom courses (autonomous e-learning). Interactive working aids and information options that promote learning allow you to customise learning with *LSI.online* and adapt it to your personal learning needs.

LSI-online offers 16 types of interactive exercises in over 50 didactic forms of application.

With an *LSI.online* subscription, you can access three online courses at the same time and can change them as required during your subscription period.

TWO FORMS OF E-LEARNING WITH LSI.ONLINE

BLENDED LEARNING

- Online courses only for participants of LSI classroom training
- Fees already included in course fee for classroom courses

AUTONOMOUS E-LEARNING

- No obligation to the LSI classroom course, open to everyone interested in learning Russian
- Available for language level GER B1–C2
- Trains reading and listening comprehension, grammar, vocabulary and writing skills

RUSSIAN ONLINE AT A GLANCE

COURSE DIVERSITY

There are over 20 online courses available for your reading and listening training.

THEMED LEARNING

Choose your individual learning focus:

History, society, politics, literature, art, architecture, economy, language, geography, film, culture, intellectual history etc.

INTERACTIVE WORKING AIDS

With the integrated learning manager, you can independently control your learning success. Your personal learning report provides information about your learning progress.

AUDIO RECORDING

For most texts, you will also be offered an audio version to help you develop listening comprehension. You will also improve your fluency in reading.

GRAMMAR HELP

More than 140 grammar tables help with language orientation.

PRACTICE-ORIENTED LEARNING AND WORKING MATERIAL

Up to 100 reading and working texts with approx. 6 exercises per text are available for each individual online course. *LSI.online* Russian has a total of 600 reading and working texts and more than 3000 interactive exercises.

INTEGRATED DICTIONARY

With the dictionary function, you can display unknown vocabulary with its translation and save it in your personal dictionary with a mouse click.

VOCABULARY TRAINER

The integrated vocabulary trainer exercises those vocabulary words that were unknown to you personally.

DIALOGUE WITH OTHER LEARNERS

In the *LSI.online* forum, you can exchange ideas and cooperate with other learners.

INDIVIDUAL ASSISTANCE

Practice writing in direct contact with the eTUTOR. Personal assistance supports your learning progress and optimises your own learning path.

COURSE OVERVIEW AUTONOMOUS E-LEARNING

Select online courses on cross-sectoral topics:

- ❑ **POLITICS, SOCIETY AND HISTORY OF RUSSIA**
Important facts, events and connections, central social and historical developments.
- ❑ **RUSSIAN CULTURE AND LANGUAGE**
Central areas of culture (19th and 20th century literature, theatre, film, architecture, language and everyday culture) in a historical and intellectual context.
- ❑ **RUSSIAN LITERATURE IN THE 19TH—20TH CENTURIES**
Excerpts from 90 literary, journalistic and literary texts, well-known writers, thinkers and institutions, phenomena of literary life and literary criticism.
- ❑ **ECONOMY, GEOGRAPHY AND POLITICS**
Presentations of individual regions of Russia, economic, ecological and developmental structural questions, historical and political aspects of Russia in the present and the past.
- ❑ **ART, THEATRE AND FILM**
Epochs in the history and development of Russian art, life and work of Russian and Soviet artists, styles and directions in Russian painting.

Or choose courses with individual thematic focuses:

- ❑ **ARCHITECTURE**
Russian architectural history, urban development of Moscow and St. Petersburg, important architects and architectural styles.
- ❑ **FINE ARTS IN RUSSIA**
Interesting facts about well-known artists, architects, actors and directors, introduction to the most important epochs and trends in art and architectural history.
- ❑ **GEOGRAPHY**
Regions and cities of Russia, landscapes, natural and cultural areas, climate, weather and other natural phenomena.
- ❑ **HISTORY**
History of Russia and the Soviet Union.
- ❑ **SOCIETY**
Various aspects of social life and development in Russia.
- ❑ **LITERATURE I**
Trends in Russian literature since the middle of the 19th century, current issues in literary studies and concepts of selected schools of literary theory in Russia.
- ❑ **LITERATURE II**
Fragments of Russian literature of the 19th century (prose and poetry).

- ❑ **LITERATURE III**
Fragments of Russian literature of the 20th century (prose and poetry).
- ❑ **CINEMA**
History of Russian cinema, life and work of important Russian and Soviet directors and actors, current state of development of Russian cinema.
- ❑ **CULTURE**
Russian culture, important cultural epochs of Russia, search for identity, intellectuals, Russian characters, every day and mass culture.
- ❑ **PHILOSOPHY**
Philosophical directions and important philosophers of Russia, fundamental and current questions in Russian philosophical discourses.
- ❑ **POLITICS**
Various aspects of political life in the Soviet Union and Russia.
- ❑ **LANGUAGE**
Individual areas of linguistics, history and the development of the Russian language.
- ❑ **THEATRE**
Famous Russian theatres, directors and actors, tendencies in the development of contemporary Russian theatre.
- ❑ **TOPIC: DEPARTURE AND REFORM IN RUSSIA**
Economic, political and cultural reform processes, strengths and weaknesses in the Russian present and past.
- ❑ **ECONOMY**
Russian and global economy in historical context, important epochs of Russian and Soviet economic history, tendencies of Russia's economic development.

TEST FOR FREE

Free trial lesson here:

www.lsi-bochum.de/lsonline

PRICING (Autonomous E-Learning)

	S 3 months	M 6 months	L 12 months
STANDARD (without eTUTOR)	79,00 €	129,00 €	219,00 €
Monthly price	26,30 €	21,50 €	18,25 €
PREMIUM (with eTUTOR)	114,00 €	199,00 €	359,00 €
Monthly price	38,00 €	33,20 €	29,80 €

COURSE OVERVIEW BLENDED LEARNING

RUSSIAN NON-STOP

A topic-oriented language training, which offers *LSI.online*-users the opportunity to develop their speaking skills intensively and in a short time. **RUSSIAN NON-STOP** assumes that the participants have already completed the didactic units on the chosen topic in the e-learning area.

Topics: Politics, society and history of Russia, Russian literature in the 19th—20th century, fine arts, cinema, theatre, and economics.

BUSINESS RUSSIAN

With the blended learning concept **BUSINESS RUSSIAN**, the Landesspracheninstitut pursues a highly innovative teaching and learning approach: a combination of personalised online learning with eTutor support and intensive listening and speaking training during one-week attendance phases to activate the language resources acquired online. Prerequisite for the participation in the blended learning course Business Russian is level B1 (GER) in all skill areas. In completing the entire course, students acquire level C1—C2 in reading comprehension, level B2—C1 in speaking and listening comprehension and level B2 in writing.

The course consists of three consecutive online courses (each lasting 10 weeks), which can be completed at a location of your choice, also part-time, with eTutorial support from LSI.

The weekly processing and learning time is seven to eight hours (approx. 75 hours per module). The basis of the **BUSINESS RUSSIAN** course, which was developed from German-Russian university cooperation, is formed by relevant specialist texts on economic and business aspects of Russia and in the context of Russian-German and international economic relations, extensive video and audio materials, numerous interactive exercises, practice-oriented learning situations, integrated subject-related aids as well as special learning and practice materials for the individual activation of previous knowledge and for independent linguistic action.

Each of the three ten-week online individual courses is followed by a one-week listening and speaking training in the LSI (classroom training, 30 lessons plus 20 hours of independent preparation/post-processing), during which the knowledge and skills acquired in the online phase are activated, intensively applied and consolidated in small learning groups.

The course thus offers a comprehensive basis for an additional specialist language qualification in the field of business Russian.

After completion of the entire course, a final test can be taken, with which a German-Russian university certificate can be acquired.

PRESENCE COURSES INCL. BLENDED LEARNING

These courses represent the online component of the respective intensive classroom course at LSI:

RUSSIAN I

Online component of the intensive Russian 1 course at LSI.

RUSSIAN II

Online component of the intensive Russian 2 course at LSI.

RUSSIAN IN POLITICS AND MEDIA

Online component of the intensive course **RUSSIAN IN POLITICS AND MEDIA** (classroom course) at LSI. Topics: foreign policy, economy and economic history, environment, current politics.

Do you have any questions?
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