

Languages

Subject	Hours	TCE credit points	EAS LIT	EAS NUM	EAS ICT	Recommended prior studies and/or entry requirements	Locations
Chinese Level 2	150	15				no entry requirements or experience needed	HC
French Level 2	150	15					HC
German Level 2	150	15					HC
Italian Level 2	150	15					HC
Japanese Level 2	150	15					HC
Chinese Level 3	150	15				CA or above in a foundation course OR previous study of the language and suitability interview	HC
French Level 3	150	15					HC
German Level 3	150	15					HC
Italian Level 3	150	15					HC
Japanese Level 3	150	15					HC
UTAS High Achiever Program (HAP)	150	15				an advanced course for Year 12s only	TH HC



Languages - Level 2

What will I learn?

- an introduction to the target language
- to communicate about myself, my life ,and my future plans in the target language
- to express ideas and information in the target language
- to read and respond in the target language
- to explore, understand and appreciate the customs, traditions and culture of the target language

Japanese and Chinese will also include the study of writing systems particular to each language.

How will I learn and be assessed?

- explore, research, compare and critically reflect on Australia and the target culture
- use a variety of online, spoken and written resources to learn, review and extend communication in the target language
- understand and explore the target language and its culture
- prepare for testing of oral, aural and written components

Other

- French, German, Japanese and Chinese students will have the opportunity to participate in language competitions throughout the year.

Languages - Level 3

What will I learn?

- a continuation of previous studies of the target language
- to communicate about myself, my life and my future plans in the target language
- to express ideas and information in the target language
- to read in and respond to the target language
- to explore, understand and appreciate the customs, traditions and culture of the target language

Japanese and Chinese will also include the study of writing systems particular to each language.

How will I learn and be assessed?

- explore, research, compare and critically reflect on Australia and the target culture
- use a variety of online, spoken and written resources to learn, review and extend communication in the target language
- further understand and explore the target language and its culture
- prepare for internal and external assessments of oral, aural and written components

Other

- French, German, Japanese and Chinese students will have the opportunity to participate in language competitions throughout the year.

UTAS High Achievers Program (HAP) - Languages



Students who are accepted into the UTAS High Achiever Program complete the second year university course in their chosen language in Year 12 and study only three subjects at Hobart College. The UTAS HAP languages course counts for TCE points and towards an ATAR.

Please note: If you are a background speaker of the language, you are not eligible to apply for HAP.

To be eligible to apply for HAP - Languages, a student must:

- be studying three Level 3 TASC subjects in Year 11
- achieve an EA in their chosen Level 3 target language
- achieve at least an HA result in the other two Level 3 subjects

For more information, please speak with a course counsellor or a member of the Languages department during the enrolment process.

Studying languages in Years 11 and 12

TASC Foundation Level 2 and Level 3 courses are available for Chinese (Mandarin), French, German, Italian and Japanese. Beyond these courses, access to study other languages is available to Tasmanian senior secondary students through the Nationally or Interstate Assessed Languages (NIAL) program.

