

The School for Dutch

Survival, Small talk Conversation, Discussion and Views & Opinions are a set of 5 consecutive courses.
 On each level the triplet of orientation, exploring & clarifying and then doing and using is the driving force.
 On each higher level the elements of the former level are of course taken in.

The difference between the first 3 courses is which each course significant.
 The difference between level 4 and 5 is gradual, and also depending on the group.

In the levels 3, 4, 5 we will explore everything which is needed for that level and also some of the missing links of the previous levels, if necessary.

For all courses counts that all the concepts we explore and clarify will be exercised in a real based context, dialogue, role play situations or discussion.

survival.

curriculum : In this course you learn to handle a variety of straightforward situations such as shopping, eating out, talking about, work and family, asking for directions, telling about your work, place of birth, your last or coming holiday ..etc

Grammar concepts	Drills /exercises. In textbook and the online exercises.	Vocabulary. Dialogues and audio material. Textbook + audio downloads + online-exercises.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - conjugation of the presence - past perfect - question words - negation - the plural - the Er-construction - the first 5 modal verbs - the first 2 conjunctions 	<p>The procedure is always orientation, exploring & clarifying and then doing & using the concept in a real life setting.</p> <p>The online exercises & drills are in line with each lesson week. This helps to consolidate and to become more comfortable in using the concepts.</p>	<p>The lesson material contains a long series of daily life dialogues.</p> <p>In which all the handled concepts are coming back.</p> <p>Available in text and audio and online.</p>

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<p>Small Talk Curriculum: Further your ability to hold simple conversations on the most common subjects: home, travel, family, work, tastes and preferences.</p>		
<p>Grammar concepts</p>	<p>Drills /exercises. In textbook and the online exercises.</p>	<p>Vocabulary. Dialogues and audio material. Textbook + audio downloads + online-exercises.</p>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - the imperfectum - the mix of present, past perfect and simple past - the use of 12 conjunctions - direct and indirect speech. - de comparative and superlative. - separable verbs - the reflexive verbs. - extension ER-construction. - two more modal verbs 	<p>The procedure is always orientation, exploring & clarifying and then doing & using the concept in a real life setting.</p> <p>The online exercises & drills are in line with each lesson week. This helps to consolidate and to become more comfortable in using the concepts.</p>	<p>The lesson material contains series of daily life dialogues and small reading texts.</p> <p>Next to that students will have a lot of small conversations together going about their own life context in which all the handled concepts are coming back and are getting trained.</p> <p>Available in text and audio and online.</p>

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<p>Curriculum conversation Curriculum: Getting more comfortable in asking questions, responding, explaining, giving your opinion and arguments, and more easy and more natural and lively.</p>		
<p>Grammar concepts</p>	<p>Drills /exercises. In textbook and the online exercises.</p>	<p>Vocabulary. Reading texts and audio material. 2 versions.</p>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - another 14 conjunctions. - extension Er- construction. - relative clauses. - the mix of present, past perfect and simple past. - the modal verb zullen / zouden - sentences with more infinitives. - the comparative / superlative. - the passive form. 	<p>The procedure is always orientation, exploring & clarifying and then doing & using the concept in a real life setting.</p> <p>The online exercises & drills are in line with each lesson week. This helps to consolidate and to become more comfortable in using the concepts.</p>	<p>The lesson material contains not anymore dialogues, but small reading texts, always combined with an audio-file.</p> <p>Texts and audio are available through the website in advance of the class.</p> <p>The talking and discussion about these articles are the base for the conversations in Dutch.</p> <p>In connection with the explored grammar concepts, students will have more open conversations to digest and drill the concepts.</p> <p>Available in text and audio and online.</p>

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<p>Discussion Curriculum: Learn to express your thoughts and opinions in even greater depth and detail, and on a broader range of subjects.</p>		
<p>Grammar concepts</p>	<p>Drills /exercises. In the teaching material and the online exercises.</p>	<p>Vocabulary. Reading texts and audio material. 2 versions.</p>
<p>The whole range of grammar concepts of small talk and conversation will be reinforced.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - extension of modale verbs: laten ,zien, horen, voelen - passive Construction - when if sentences 	<p>The online exercises & drills are in line with each lesson week. This helps to consolidate and to become more comfortable in using the concepts.</p>	<p>Reading texts which has to be prepared and home.</p> <p>Clarifying and extend vocabulary .</p> <p>Discussion and debate.</p>

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<p>curriculum Views & Opinion</p> <p>curriculum Curriculum: Getting more comfortable in discussing , giving arguments, debating., using richer and more complex grammar constructions.</p>		
<p>Grammar concepts</p>	<p>Drills /exercises. In the teaching material and the online exercises.</p>	<p>Vocabulary. Reading texts and audio material. 2 versions.</p>
<p>The whole range of grammar concepts of conversation and discussion will be reinforced.</p>	<p>The online exercises & drills are in line with each lesson week. This helps to consolidate and to become more comfortable in using the concepts.</p>	<p>Reading texts which has to be prepared and home. Clarifying and extend vocabulary . Discussion and debate.</p>