

## Tandem – language partnerships at the FU Berlin



### What is tandem?

Two partners with different native languages learn from each other. Tandem stands for stimulating language learning and cultural exchange.

### What are the advantages of tandem?

- You choose when and where you learn.
- You choose learning goals and methods according to your needs and interests.
- You practice language skills in authentic conversations.

### What does the tandem programme of the Selbstlernzentrum (SLZ) offer?

- A professional matching for tandem partners for all available languages
- A language advising service for language learners in tandem
- Study guides and tasks
- Various language learning materials and media in the SLZ
- A certificate for language learning in tandem
- A dedicated space for tandem and groups

### How can I sign up?

Fill in the online application form: [www.sprachenzentrum.fu-berlin.de/slz/tandem/fragebogen](http://www.sprachenzentrum.fu-berlin.de/slz/tandem/fragebogen). We will look for a tandem partner for you and will contact you when we have found one.

More information on our website: <http://www.sprachenzentrum.fu-berlin.de/slz/tandem>

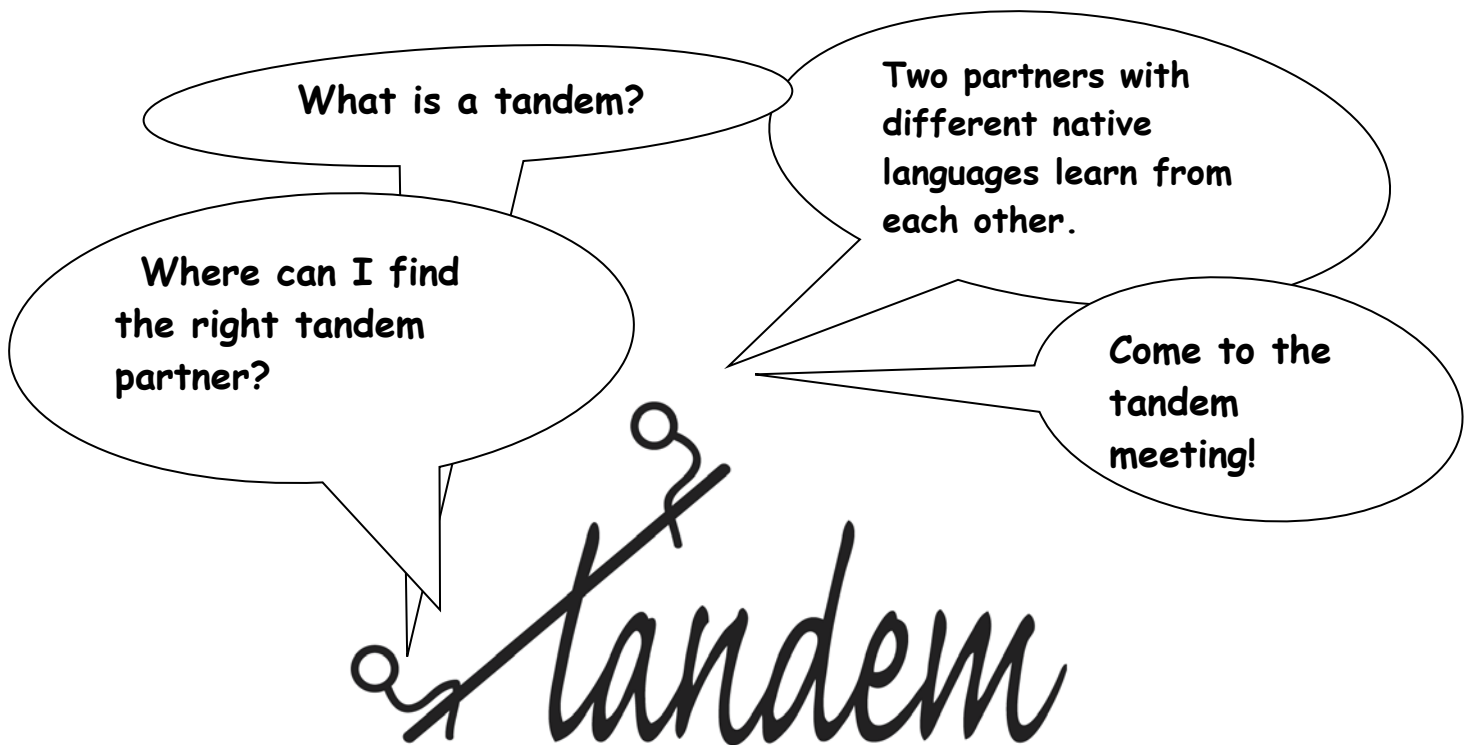
### What should I do once I have found a tandem partner?

**Contact your tandem partner.** Discuss and agree on your learning goals and methods. Follow these simple rules from our tandem agreement while you learn together:

- Meet up on a regular basis, at least two hours a week.
- Take turns in teaching and learning.
- Devote an equal amount of time to each language and practice both languages separately.
- Stick to agreements and communicate with your tandem partner in case you cannot attend a meeting.

**If you have questions concerning your learning projects, please address our language advising service at the Selbstlernzentrum!**

We wish you a great learning experience with tandem!  
Your Tandem-Team



## Events

### **Tandem Meeting**

Tuesday, 23rd October 2018, 5-7 pm (c.t.)  
Seminarzentrum L 113, 115 and 116  
All languages – No registration required

### **Tandem Café**

Watching movies, playing games and other activities

### **Workshops**

Learning together as a tandem

Dates and further information:

<http://www.sprachenzentrum.fu-berlin.de/slz/tandem>

<https://www.facebook.com/slz.fu.berlin/>

or at the Selbstlernzentrum (Silberlaube, **KL 26/225**)

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