

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 are flexible regarding time and place for learning
- You choose learning goals and methods according to your needs and interests
- You acquire language skills in an authentic context and learn more about another culture

What does the tandem programme of the Selbstlernzentrum offer?

- A skilled search for tandem partners for all available languages
- A counselling service for language learners in tandem
- Study guides and tasks for language learning in tandem
- Various language learning materials and media in the SLZ
- A certificate for language learning in tandem

How can I sign up?

Fill in the online application form:

www.sprachenzentrum.fu-berlin.de/slz/tandem/fragebogen

We will look for a tandem partner for you and will contact you when you have been matched successfully!

What should I do once I've found a tandem partner?

Contact your tandem partner. At your first meeting, you both agree on your learning goals and methods, and follow these simple rules while you learn together:

- Meet up frequently, at least two hours a week.
- Take turns in teaching and learning.
- Devote an equal amount of time to each language.
- Practice both languages separately and do not mix them.
- Stick to agreements and communicate with our tandem partner in case you cannot attend a meeting.

Important: if you are unable to take part in the tandem programme after applying, please inform the tandem team via e-mail: tandem@zedat.fu-berlin.de

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

Our meeting during winter semester 2016-17

Tandem meeting for all languages

**Monday, 24th October 2016, 6-8 pm,
Lecture Hall 1A**

Rost- und Silberlaube, Habelschwerdter Allee 45, 14195 Berlin

No registration needed.
