

Greek Language and Culture Programme 2010



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Summer 2010, Skala Loutron, Lesvos (Mytilene) Island, Aegean Sea, GREECE

Intensive Greek language courses for non-native speakers are offered under the supervision of the Hellenic Culture Centre, a well known language institution which is included in the lists of recognized schools of the European commission, the Yale University, et al.

The courses have been accredited by the European Commission and approved for the [Comenius/Grundtvig training data base](#) for individual in-service training grants. [Educators or managers of educational institutions](#) (e.g. teachers of Ancient Greek, language teachers, inspectors, administrative staff) or [professionals involved in adult education programmes in various organizations](#) (museums, libraries, publishing houses with educational programmes, NGOs, VETs, Universities, etc) may get an individual grant to cover all their expenses. Please contact us to guide you in filling in your application for a grant.

See the description of the approved courses at ec.europa.eu/education/trainingdatabase:

GREEK LANGUAGE AND CULTURE PROGRAMME (all levels), Ref. No GR-2010-096-012

GREEK LITERATURE FOR ADVANCED STUDENTS, Ref. No GR-2010-095-002

GREEK "KATHAREVOUSA" FOR ADVANCED STUDENTS, Ref. No GR-2010-094-002

DEADLINE FOR GRANT APPLICATIONS: Friday, 15 January 2010

The courses are intended for:

- Visitors or residents of Greece
- Professionals who work with Greek language (interpreters/ translators, teachers of Ancient Greek, embassy officers, employees in enterprises, etc)
- Foreign students in Hellenic Studies Programmes in Universities abroad as well as foreign students of Universities in Greece
- Greeks living abroad
- Anyone who wishes to improve her/his Greek or start learning the language

All levels of instruction: Beginners to Advanced

Special Programmes for professionals and advanced students:

- Greek Literature
- Greek Language Programmes for Interpreters and Translators
- Katharevousa
- Legal Terminology
- Financial Terminology
- Three-month Perfection Programme
- Preparation for the Certificate of Attainment in Greek
- Greek for Special Purposes

Classes are supplemented by *educational and cultural activities* meant to encourage students to discover and experience modern Greece through the various lenses of its rich culture.

Scheduled Group Language Courses for summer 2010

One-week (30 hours), 2-week (60 hours), 3-week (90 hours) and 4-week (120 hours) programmes

Start date	1 week (30 hours)		2 weeks (60 hours)		3 weeks (90 hours)		4 weeks (120 hours)	
	Levels/ Special Courses	Fees €	Levels/ Special Courses	Fees €	Levels/ Special Courses	Fees €	Levels/ Special Courses	Fees €
14/6/2010	BEG 1, BEG 2, INT 1 INT 2, INT 3, ADV 1 ADV 2 Intepreters/ Translators	400 400 500 500	BEG 1, BEG 2, INT 1 INT 2, INT 3, ADV 1 ADV 2 Intepreters/ Translators	750 750 850 850	BEG 1, BEG 2, INT 1 INT 2, INT 3, ADV 1 ADV 2 Intepreters/ Translators	1100 1100 1250 1250	BEG 1, BEG 2, INT 1 INT 2, INT 3, ADV 1 ADV 2 Intepreters/ Translators	1400 1400 1600 1600
28/6/2010	BEG 1, BEG 2, INT 1 INT 2, INT 3, ADV 1 ADV 2 Intepreters/ Translators	400 400 500 500	BEG 1, BEG 2, INT 1 INT 2, INT 3, ADV 1 ADV 2 Intepreters/ Translators	750 750 850 850	BEG 1, BEG 2, INT 1 INT 2, INT 3, ADV 1 ADV 2 Intepreters/ Translators	1100 1100 1250 1250	BEG 1, BEG 2, INT 1 INT 2, INT 3, ADV 1 ADV 2 Intepreters/ Translators	1400 1400 1600 1600
12/7/2010	BEG 1, BEG 2, INT 1 INT 2, INT 3, ADV 1 ADV 2, Literature	400 400 500	BEG 1, BEG 2, INT 1 INT 2, INT 3, ADV 1 ADV 2, Literature	750 750 850	BEG 1, BEG 2, INT 1 INT 2, INT 3, ADV 1 ADV 2	1100 1100 1250	BEG 1, BEG 2, INT 1 INT 2, INT 3, ADV 1 ADV 2	1400 1400 1600
26/7/2010	BEG 1, BEG 2, INT 1 INT 2, INT 3, ADV 1 ADV 2 Katharevousa	400 400 500 500	BEG 1, BEG 2, INT 1 INT 2, INT 3, ADV 1 ADV 2 Katharevousa	750 850 850 850	BEG 1, BEG 2, INT 1 INT 2, INT 3, ADV 1 ADV 2	1100 1100 1250	BEG 1, BEG 2, INT 1 INT 2, INT 3, ADV 1 ADV 2	1400 1400 1600
9/8/2010	BEG 1, BEG 2, INT 1 INT 2, INT 3, ADV 1 ADV 2 Intepreters/ Translators	400 400 500 500	BEG 1, BEG 2, INT 1 INT 2, INT 3, ADV 1 ADV 2 Intepreters/ Translators	750 750 850 850	BEG 1, BEG 2, INT 1 INT 2, INT 3, ADV 1 ADV 2 Intepreters/ Translators	1100 1100 1250 1250	BEG 1, BEG 2, INT 1 INT 2, INT 3, ADV 1 ADV 2 Intepreters/ Translators	1400 1400 1600 1600
23/8/2010	BEG 1, BEG 2, INT 1 INT 2, INT 3, ADV 1 ADV 2	400 400 500	BEG 1, BEG 2, INT 1 INT 2, INT 3, ADV 1 ADV 2	750 750 850	BEG 1, BEG 2, INT 1 INT 2, INT 3, ADV 1 ADV 2	1100 1100 1250	BEG 1, BEG 2, INT 1 INT 2, INT 3, ADV 1 ADV 2	1400 1400 1600

Notes:

- For every extra week of lessons after the fourth week, the fees are 325 euro for the levels Beginners 1 to Advanced 1 and 400 euro for the level Advanced 2 and all special courses.

- Only one or two-week programmes are offered for the Literature course and Katharevousa course. A private lesson can be arranged for longer periods. Please contact the secretariat.

The fees for the intensive group programmes include:

- All the necessary books and other educational materials.
- 2 hours of Greek Language instruction every day.
- 2 hours of Greek Language workshop every day: Language games, communication activities, Presentations and lectures by Greek intellectuals, writers, artists, local politicians, everyday people.
- 2 hours of cultural and educational activities every day, which constitute an integral component of the programme: Presentations on history, the arts and society, Greek dance lesson, Greek cookery class, cultural walks and visits.
- Access to the Internet and to the Centre's video and music archives and small library.
- Students are accompanied by a staff member in order to follow the island's rich cultural life: feasts, concerts, public lectures, theatre, cinema, exhibitions, etc (tickets to these events are not included in the fees)

SPECIAL OFFERS and NOTES

- Former students of the *Hellenic Culture Centre or Aeolis* will be offered a **10% discount** on the Language Programme.
- Students who invite another student to attend one of our programmes will be offered an **extra 5% discount**.
- **Early Booking Discount:** 20 euro for the Levels Beginners 1- Advanced 1 and 30 euro for Advanced 2 and all special courses. Early booking price is approved only in case of sending the bank receipt of the whole amount of the fees via e-mail or fax, 90 days before the beginning of each course
- Students are offered a **15% discount in any of “My Greece” Cultural Activities** that are not included in the Language Programme fees.
- Friends and relatives who accompany the students are welcome to attend, if they wish, **4 hours of Greek Language instruction for beginners for free**.
- Friends and relatives who accompany the students are welcome to participate in **“My Greece” Cultural Activities Programme at a 15% discount rate**.
- **One teaching hour is 60 minutes**. The lessons’ timetable is 9:00-13:30 and 11:30-16:00.
- Students will be provided with a **Certificate of Attendance**.
- Visit <http://www.hcc.edu.gr/en/are-you-a-student/study-levels> for the Syllabus of every level or special course.
- **Childcare** as well as planning **any other activities** that the students are interested in can be arranged.
- Should you need **travel insurance**, please contact the secretariat for the extra cost.



PRIVATE COURSES

Private language courses at any level (as well as special courses) are also organized. The cost of a private language course is 40 euro/hour (for the levels Beginners 1 - Advanced 1) and 50 euro/hour (for Advanced 2 and all the special courses). Private courses’ daily schedule: 11.30 - 13.30 or 16.30 - 18.30. Students who are interested in special courses which are not included in the 2010 schedule can attend a private course.

Tailor-made courses (individual or small groups) designed according to your interests/ needs are also organized.

HOW TO REGISTER

Visit www.aeolis.edu.gr or www.hcc.edu.gr to register on-line, or contact us for the registration form in Word format. Contact data for AEOLIS: e-mail info@aeolis.edu.gr, phone number: (+30) 22510 91660, fax: (+30) 22510 91661, post: AEOLIS-Cultural Development Society of Lesbos Island, Skala Loutron, 81100 Lesbos, GREECE. Contact data for the Hellenic Culture Centre: e-mail: ifigenia@hcc.edu.gr, phone number: (+30) 210 5238149, fax: (+30) 210 8836494, post: Hellenic Culture Centre, 18 Derigny St., 10434 Athens, GREECE.

ACCOMMODATION at HOTEL ZAIRA, where the lessons take place:

Contact Hotel Zaira (www.hotel-zaira.gr) via e-mail (info.zaira@gmail.com) or telephone (0030 22510 91100). The hotel’s location, in a small fishermen’s village and only 8 km from the capital Mytilene, offers students the opportunity to enjoy a friendly neighbourhood rich in cultural diversions and leisure activities. A list of other accommodation options with special rates for our students is available upon request.

PRICE-RANGE FOR YOUR TRAVEL COSTS

Accommodation in a single room: 50 to 70 euro per night
Air tickets from Athens to Mytilene (both ways): 70 to 200 euro
Ferry tickets from Piraeus to Mytilene (both ways): 60 to 100 euro
Meals in Lesbos: 10 to 15 euro
Car rental: 30-45 euro/day

