



CIEE in Copenhagen, Denmark

Course name:	Survival Danish
Course number:	NONCR DANI CPDK
Programs offering course:	Copenhagen Open Campus
Language of instruction:	Danish
U.S. Semester Credits:	0
Contact Hours:	15
Term:	Fall 2019

Course Description

This course is designed for students who wish to learn basic skills for understanding Danish terms and basic communicating during their study program in Copenhagen. The aim of the course is to provide the linguistic tools necessary for students to recognize similarities between English and Danish. Students practice identifying these similarities in everyday situations like: using the public transportation, buying groceries etc. This happens through site visits, and classroom instruction that makes use of a variety of media that will give a better understanding of the way of life in Copenhagen.

Learning Objectives

Upon completion of Survival Danish, students will be able to:

- Introduce themselves
- Understanding important expressions in written Danish
- Say a few phrases
- Find their way in the city
- Use public transportation

Course Prerequisites

None.

Methods of Instruction

The course will learn the students useful phrases and words in Danish by in-class activities and excursions.

Assessment and Final Grade

The course is not graded.

Attendance

While the course is a not for credit course and not graded, students are still expected to attend and participate actively.



Weekly Schedule

Week 1

Class 1:1 Introduction to Denmark and Danish

How to greet in Denmark
Introduce yourself to the others
Forms of addressing others
Common Danish phrases

Class 1:2 linguistic similarities

Perceive linguistic similarities between English and Danish, crucial for buying groceries.
On site visit

Week 2

Class 2:1 Navigating Copenhagen

Perceive linguistic similarities, crucial for finding your way in the city
Find your way, by foot or public transportation
Use a map of Copenhagen
Onsite visit

Session 2:2 Ordering food and drinks

Reading a menu
Ordering and numbers
Onsite visit, central Copenhagen

Week 3

Session 3:1 Reading a Danish daily

Common Danish phrases
What is in the news, go through two or three Danish newspapers
Feedback and review

Online Resources

<http://studyindenmark.dk/>