

Formació extracurricular en idiomes

# **Cambridge Advanced Certificate Preparation Course**

Main language of instruction: English

#### Presentation

This is a 100 hour course, a 50-hour face-to-face classroom course that aims to prepare the student for the Cambridge C1 Advanced exam. It is an exam preparation course with an emphasis on the techniques and criteria that need to be mastered in order to pass this official exam in all skill areas: speaking, reading comprehension, listening comprehension, use of language and writing. It also includes 50 hours of independent study with additional support material.

This course does not include registration fees for the official Cambridge C1 Advanced exam.

#### **Pre-course requirements**

Students should have a C1.1 level at the beginning of the course to be able to successfully pass the C1 exam.

# Objectives

To be able to successfully pass an official C1 level exam and earn a C1 Cambridge certificate in language competency in English, under the CEFR. (Cambridge Advanced)

# Syllabus

The course involves learning the skills and competencies necessary to pass the Cambridge C1 Advanced exam. The syllabus is based on the Compact Student's book from Cambridge. The Student's book will be the basis for the face to face classes. The course involves learning the five skills and competencies necessary to pass an official C1 exam. Practice exams in the five areas will be done throughout the course as well as the necessary support material. Autonomous learning will be done using the Compact Workbook.

#### Evaluation systems and criteria

There will be continual feedback based on work done in class and the results of practice exams. To pass and earn credit for the course, students must attend at



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least 80% of the classes and complete the assignments.

The exam will be administered by Cambridge Exams and must be taken on the days and times established by them. There is no make-up exam or second opportunity.

# Accreditation

Certificate of attendance and workshop completion. To pass the course it is essential to have attended at least 80% of the classes.

Once you have passed the exam, you will receive a Certificate from Cambridge Exams.

The exam, including the speaking test, must be taken on the official day(s) that will be established by Cambridge Exams.

# **Bibliography and resources**

# Compact Advanced Student's Book by Peter May

Cambridge University Press. 2014 ISBN 978-1-107-41802-8

# **Compact Advanced Workbook**

Cambridge University Press. 2014 ISBN 978-1-107-41790-8

Extra material will be provided by the teacher. Books and materials are included in the price of the course.

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