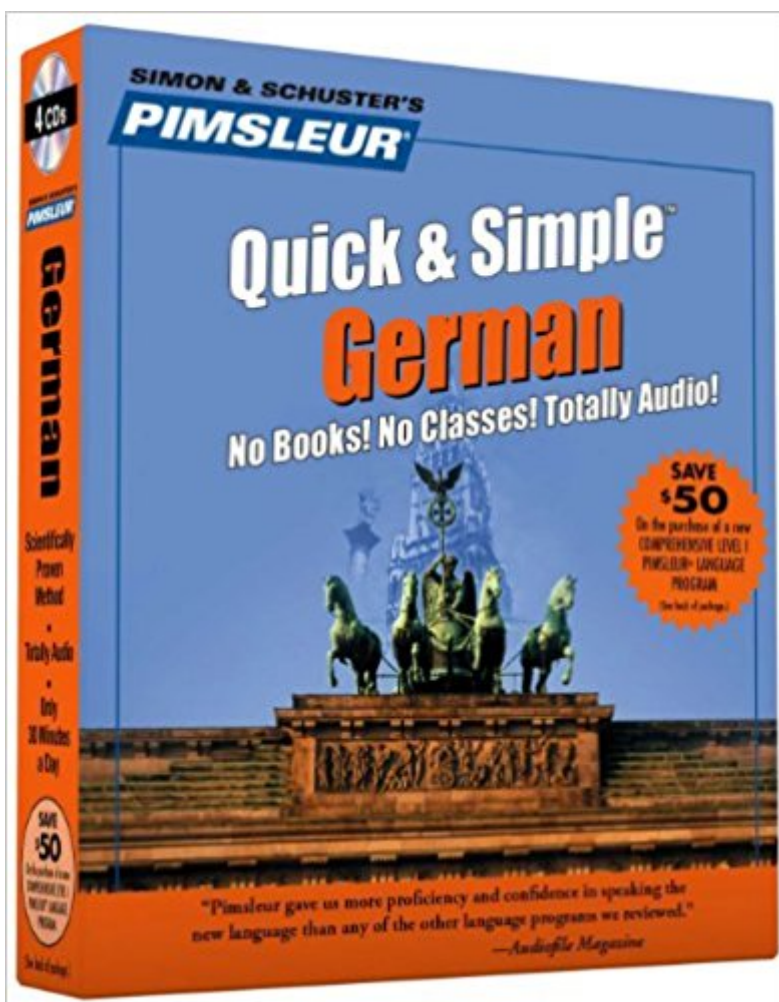


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Pimsleur German Quick & Simple Course - Level 1 Lessons 1-8 CD: Learn To Speak And Understand German With Pimsleur Language Programs





Synopsis

The Pimsleur® Method: the easiest, fastest way to learn a new language. Completely portable, easily downloadable, and lots of fun. You™ll be speaking and understanding in no time flat! This course includes Lessons 1-8 from the German Level 1 program - 4 hours of audio-only effective language learning with real-life spoken practice sessions. Each lesson provides 30 minutes of spoken language practice, with an introductory conversation, and new vocabulary and structures. Detailed instructions enable you to understand and participate in the conversation. Practice for vocabulary introduced in previous lessons is included in each lesson. The emphasis is on pronunciation and comprehension, and on learning to speak German. The German Language German is the official language of Germany and Austria and is one of the official languages of Switzerland. It is also an official language in Belgium, Lichtenstein, and Luxembourg. Nearly 100 million people speak German as their first language: about 77 million in Germany, 8 million in Austria, and 4.5 million in Switzerland.

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Dr. Paul Pimsleur devoted his life to language teaching and testing and was one of the world's™ leading experts in applied linguistics. After years of experience and research, Dr. Pimsleur developed The Pimsleur Method based on two key principles: the Principle of Anticipation and a scientific principle of memory training that he called "Graduated Interval Recall." This Method has been applied to the many levels and languages of the Pimsleur Programs.

This set is only CD with no written material. It would be great for road trips, but I bought it for a 12 year old who wants to learn German. Still, this is a great starter kit, with the first 8 lessons out of 30, which you get in the full Pimaleur course (~ \$250). This is a good way to see if the Pimaleur method is for you. Pimaleur is supposed to be one of the best programs out there to learn a language, and I am not knocking it at all. The reason I deducted the one star is I felt it was unclear what we were getting for our money, that's all.

I have listened to many audios for languages over the years and this was by far the best. Why? Well just when you think you have forgotten something from the last lesson the instructor would bring it up in the middle of the next lesson, it keeps you on your toes and it triggers the brain to bring back information it was trying to forget. Seems weird but this was unusually effective for me. Also it stops several times mid sentence to re pronounce words and ensure your sentence structure is correct. I found many times that my sentence structure was incorrect and was so happy to go over it many times and have chance to interchange sentence structure again using different verbs. Also this is fantastic for travelling as it stresses much on sentences and words you would use in restaurants and shopping.

great price, fast shipping, very helpful

This series of learning conversational German is so easy. I am enjoying the lessons without having to conjugate verbs, just conversation. I listen while I am driving and it makes the time go by and I also feel I am bettering myself by learning a second language. Try it, you'll really enjoy it.

It got to the far away destination as planned, as far as I know she is listening to it on her drive into work, learning more German!

If you are serious about improving or learning German conversation, this program can help you get there. I have only purchased 8 lessons and it has helped me with my pronunciation and basic conversation skills. Will definitely buy more lessons.

not for me

It arrived in the mail sooner than expected. The cd's are easy to follow & I'm listening to them in the car. I'm on my way to learning German! Thanks!

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