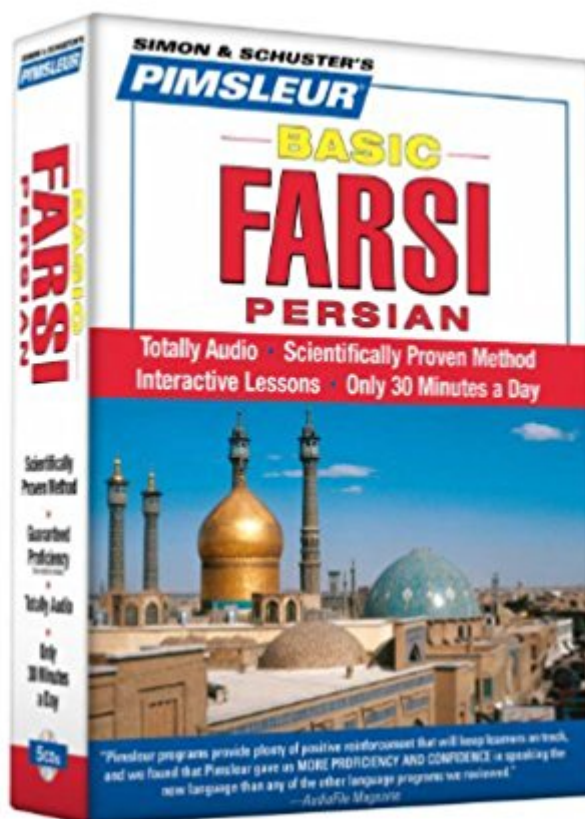


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# Pimsleur Farsi Persian Basic Course - Level 1 Lessons 1-10 CD: Learn To Speak And Understand Farsi Persian With Pimsleur Language Programs



## 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 1-10 from the Farsi Persian Level 1 Program - 5 hours of audio-only effective language learning with real-life spoken practice sessions. Get a chance to test drive the incredibly effective and efficient, world-famous Pimsleur Program. 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 Farsi Persian. The Farsi Persian Language Persian is the official language of Iran, Afghanistan, and Tajikistan. Persian has three major dialects: Farsi (spoken in Iran), Dari (spoken in Afghanistan), and Tajik (spoken in Tajikistan). Pimsleur's Farsi teaches Persian as spoken in Iran. Tech Talk - CDs are formatted for playing in all CD players, including car players, and users can copy files for use in iTunes or Windows Media Player.

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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.

i was surprised at how well this method works ! I would highly recommend pimsleur series, i wish i had this for other languages i have studied in the past.my only complaint is that if they really want you to buy the full series, this 'teaser' 10 lesson set should be much cheaper. I didn't realize i was getting such a small slice of the entire program. You really learn to say a relatively small set of phrases. I would also expect that the "conversational" set, which has only 2 more languages, is even more of a rip off.i purchased this program (the smallest/cheapest pimsleur set available) in order to just get my feet wet to learning DARI, as the actual DARI dialect program is not being released until mid-September...will just buy the complete program and skip the basic and conversational packages...

So far very easy to follow. I like the learning system. Learn syllables at a time, lots of repetition.

I learned enough Farsi to start conversations with natives and really understand what they were telling me. Awesome product! It's so easy to follow. Anyone could learn another language with Pimsleur.

Very helpful. I just need the rest of the program.

Fab. I listen to it in the car and it really goes in. I do listen to each cd a few times, but then I am nearly a pensioner. Buy it if works. Am buying level two next.

A difficult language to learn. The readers spoke slow and were easy to understand. I would like to have more context around the words but I think you have to take this language in little baby steps.

I'm a retired foreign service officer who has experience with many kinds of language learning. The Pimsleur approach, in my view, does an excellent job of challenging you and yet reinforcing what you already half-know. Starting a new language, you need to focus on pronunciation and accent. These 5 CDs give you plenty of practice on these fundamentals. The diction is crisp. The vocabulary includes no extraneous words; just the ones you will inevitably need over and over again. Pimsleur does not coddle you. You need to be on your toes to respond, exactly as you would be in a real conversation in Iran. And there's the bonus of qualifying for Dari and Tajik at the same time, given their closeness to Farsi. I thoroughly enjoyed working on this minicourse, and it whetted my appetite for more.

There are CD's. There is NO book inside. It's ok if you want to learn to listen and speak. The method is to listen and repeat. Sometimes they repeat the same sentence a lot but it's a good way to remember. Basically they teach you to ask and answers to very common questions and at the end of the course you can understand a lot of conversations.

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