**Learning Dutch**

During the bachelor's program it is important to start learning the Dutch language as soon as possible, if you want to enroll in the Dutch-spoken master's program of Medicine in Groningen. Before you can enter the master you have to master Dutch at C1 level.

The Language Center of the University of Groningen (RUG) offers standard Dutch courses at different times per year (http://www.rug.nl/science-and-society/language-centre/language-courses-and-communication-training/dutch -for-non-native-speakers /).

As an international student of the University of Groningen (RUG) you can take two free Dutch courses at the Language Center, level 1 and level 2. You must pay the courses on level 3 or level 4 yourself.

(http://www.rug.nl/science-and-society/language-centre/language-courses-and-communication-training/dutch-for-non-native-speakers/free-international/).  
  
**Route to follow:**

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| **Level 1 : 0 🡪 A2** |
| **Level 2 : A2 🡪 B1** |
| **Level 3 : B1 🡪 B2** |
| **State Examination Dutch as a second language, program ll** |
| **Level 4 : B2 🡪 C1** |
| **Medical Dutch course** |
| **Preparation course Assessment Medical Dutch C1** |
| **Medical Dutch Assessment C1** |

If you have completed the course Medical Dutch with sufficient results and if you are in possession of the State Examination Dutch as a Second Language, program ll, you can register at the Language Center for the Medical Dutch Assessment C1. This assessment is taken three times a year. Eight weeks before each assessment there is a short course at the faculty to prepare you for the Medical Dutch Assessment C1.

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