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## University of Oxford Beginners' Languages Taster Day

Saturday 8 March 2025
Taylor Institution Library & 47 Wellington Square, Oxford

## **PROGRAMME**

10.45 Arrival and registration at Taylor Institution Library, St Giles, Oxford, OX1 3NA

11.15 **Beginners' Languages at Oxford** (Main Hall, Taylor Institution Library)

An overview of our beginners' languages courses at Oxford (teaching, resources, the year abroad), and where a Modern Languages degree from Oxford can take you.

Due to restricted capacity, only one companion may accompany each student for the morning session. Please note that hot drinks cannot be brought into the Library.

Followed by Q&A session

A chance for attendees to ask questions to our panel of academics and current undergraduate students from our beginners' languages courses.

12.30 Disperse for lunch

We are unfortunately unable to provide lunch for attendees. There are plenty of cafés nearby or you are welcome to bring a packed lunch to enjoy in the Main Hall. You may also wish to visit some of the nearby colleges or explore the city centre at this time.

13.45 – 14.45 **Beginners' languages taster sessions** (47 Wellington Square, OX1 2ER)

and 15.00 – 16.00 A chance to experience taster sessions for two different beginners' languages. These sessions will be led by academics who will provide further insight into the following subject course(s):

- German
- Portuguese
- Modern Greek
- Czech (with Slovak)

- Russian
- Italian
- Polish

Please note that companions will not be permitted to attend these taster sessions.

15.00 – 15.45 **Q&A session for parents/guardians/teachers** (Main Hall, Taylor Institution Library) A chance for those supporting students' applications to University/Oxford to ask questions to staff and students in the Modern Languages Faculty.

Tea, coffee and biscuits will be available.