‘AFTENSKOLEN’ EVENING CLASSES FOR ADULTS:

Learn Danish – language, culture and conversation

The Danish Church in London offers Danish lessons on weekday evenings in a cozy and informal setting. The teaching is done by experienced Danish teachers and is focused on authentic everyday situations from life in Denmark.

We work with both language and Danish culture with a special focus on speaking and understanding Danish naturally and fluently.

The teaching is not a church activity, and everyone is welcome regardless of religious background.

COURSE LEVELS

Danish 1 – Beginner level
You will learn to greet and introduce yourself, understand short dialogues and cope in everyday situations. We also work with talking about plans and feelings as well as with basic grammar, including verbs in the present, past and past tense.

Danish 2 – Intermediate level
We build on basic Danish. You will learn to read and write short texts about everyday life, understand instructions and messages, and use basic grammar and numbers.

Danish 3 – Intermediate level
We further develop your language skills so that you can communicate more confidently and naturally in Danish. The teaching includes practical communication, vocabulary, Danish culture and society. You are expected to have completed Danish 1 and 2 or to have equivalent language skills.

Danish 4+5 – Advanced level
An intensive course for those who want to speak more fluent and nuanced Danish. We work with conversation, reading, listening exercises, literature, articles, Danish TV spots and discussions about Danish culture and way of life. You must have a solid knowledge of Danish.

Remember: At all levels, you should expect to do homework, both speaking practise and written exercise. Regular preparation and practice at home is essential for developing your Danish skills.

PRICE AND REGISTRATION

You must be a member of the Church of Denmark in London to participate in the classes. Registration for the classes is done via your personal member page.

- **£145 per semester**
- **£390 for the entire school year** if you enroll in all three semesters at once at the start of the school year.

Each semester lasts 12 weeks, and the school year begins in September.

COURSE DATES – SCHOOL YEAR 2026/2027

1st Vacation

- Danish 2, 3 and 4+5: Tuesday 15 September – 8 December 2026. No classes 27 October.
- Danish 1: Wednesday 16 September – 9 December 2026. No classes 28 October.
- Danish 1: Thursday 17 September – 10 December 2026. No classes 29 October.

2nd Vacation

- Danish 2, 3 and 4+5: Tuesday 5 January – 30 March 2027. No classes 16 February.
- Danish 1: Wednesday 6 January – 31 March 2027. No classes 17 February.
- Danish 1: Thursday 7 January – 1 April 2027. No classes 18 February.

3. Vacation

- Danish 2, 3 and 4+5: Tuesday 13 April – 6 July 2027. No classes 18 May.
- Danish 1: Wednesday 14 April – 7 July 2027. No classes 19 May.
- Danish 1: Thursday 15 April – 8 July 2027. No classes 20 May.

Please note that the dates may change if, for example, strikes or extreme weather prevent classes.

CONTACT: If you have questions about courses, levels or registration, you are welcome to contact: **Karen Simonsen**, Head of the Evening School at the Danish Church in London e-mail: aftenskolen@danskekirke.org

We look forward to helping you further with your Danish!