

## UT Language Centre – Mission Statement – March 2025

The UT Language Centre supports the University of Twente and its wider community within and beyond the Twente region with the development of general language skills, as well as academic language and communicative skills.

This is achieved through:

- Identifying learner needs through individual or group assessments, or placement tests.
- Meeting those needs through our course offer, workshops, and individual support services.
- Supporting faculties with developing students' academic communicative skills through modules integrated with curricular programmes and freely available resources.
- Supporting staff in faculties and service departments with grant writing and communiqués through professional editing and translation services and partners.
- Advising the University of Twente on issues relating to language policy.

The UT Language Centre works in a flexible and professional manner within a continuously evolving digital era, taking the individual learner as the starting point and offering tailored advice on how best to improve one's proficiency and skills. The language and skills teachers working at or for the UT Language Centre are qualified and experienced higher education professionals. The UT Language Centre additionally hires and trains student workers to assist with meeting learner needs through our course offer, workshops, and individual support services, thereby providing opportunities for students to develop professional skills.

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