

# TANDEM STUDY EXCHANGE

## Course description

Tandem is a study exchange programme in which students work together in pairs (or occasionally trios), each participant being a native speaker of his/her partner's target language; thus both can share information about their own language and culture. The other language should always be Finnish.

The pairs meet on a regular basis each week to discuss pre-arranged topics. The course content is agreed upon at the beginning of the course together with the tutor, and learning progress reports are made after each meeting by means of a journal. There are meetings with the tutor during the course and at the end.

The course is optional and neither makes up for nor completes any other language course.

In one language the maximum amount of credits is 4 and it's possible to do 8 credits of Tandem studies in all.

## For further information please

- contact the following tutors (first name.last name@oulu.fi):

**Chinese:** Xiao Zhang

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**French:** Cécile Rousselet-Karinen (registration also in WebOodi → search with a word *tandem*)

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- read [http://www.oulu.fi/languagesandcommunication/tandem\\_eng](http://www.oulu.fi/languagesandcommunication/tandem_eng)



## Registration:

French, German, Japanese and Russian → by emailing the tutor (see the list above)

Chinese, English and other languages → registration in Optima (<https://optima.oulu.fi>)