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Canton of Zurich

## State-funded support measures for people with protection status S

## Free support measures

The canton of Zurich has an established support system in place for refugees. It includes a wide range of measures to promote the integration of refugees. These services are also available to persons from the Ukraine with protection status S who are registered with the social service where they live. The costs of the courses are covered by the municipality (social service). Examples of integration support services:

- German courses for different learning levels (A1 to B2) and intensities,
  both with and without childcare assistance (support area 'Language')
- Educational opportunities for teenagers and young adults that could lead to vocational training (support area 'Education')
- Coaching for adults to help them find work and keep their existing job skills up to date (support area 'Work integration')
- External work assignments in the private sector, non-profit organisations or public administration (support area 'Work integration')
- Tandem programmes: Volunteers accompany refugees and help them familiarise themselves with their local area and everyday life (complementary cantonal services)

The integration support services can be found on the following website: www.zh.ch/integration > Integrationsagenda > Fördermassnahmen für Geflüchtete

## Registration via the municipality

To register for a course, please contact the social service (case management agency) in the municipality where you live. They will also be happy to discuss the different support options available to you in more detail:

- City of Zurich: Asyl-Organisation Zürich (AOZ), Eggbühlstrasse 15,
  For German courses: Tel.: +41 44 415 66 33 (Monday to Friday, 09:00-12:00, 13.00-16.00), email: aoz-bildung@aoz.ch
- City of Winterthur: Sozialberatung, Team Ukraine, Pionierstrasse 5, email: <u>ukraine.sb@win.ch</u>
- Other municipalities: If you do not know which social service is responsible for you, please contact the local information office of the municipality where you live.

## Information for Ukrainians in the canton of Zurich

On its webpage zh.ch/ukrainehilfe, the canton of Zurich publishes official information for Ukrainian refugees and aid providers on topics such as entry, accommodation, work, health, integration and education.