Interpreters wanted!

We are seeking dedicated members of the public who speak a second language in addition to German.

All languages are welcome!

Join the Interpreter Pool for the municipality of Ostfildern:

- Support fellow citizens with impartial interpreting
- Accept assignments to fit in with your own schedule
- Share your experience with other interpreters
- Receive reimbursement for your expenses

Does this interest you?
If so, contact us now at:

dolmetscherpool@ostfildern.de

Support with integration

Have you recently arrived in Ostfildern? Do you have any questions about living here? Would you like some information about facilities for children, sport, music and leisure? As a new resident, would you like to become more involved? Would you like to support new residents?

The Department for Integration is the central point of contact for all issues about integration.

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integration@ostfildern.de
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You can find us at the town hall at Scharnhauser Park, Gerhard-Koch-Str. 1, Room E 20.

Ostfildern Interpreter Pool

Let us translate for you!

“*The importance of translation cannot be underestimated. It enriches and broadens horizons and thus enhances our world. It helps us to understand people from other parts of our world. Those who know and understand are less likely to hate or be afraid.*”

From the book “*The Heart of Man*”
by Jón Kalman Stefánsson
What is the Interpreter Pool?

The Interpreter Pool is a pool of dedicated members of the public from a variety of backgrounds. The aim is to help those living in Ostfildern with little knowledge of German to communicate.

The interpreters provide support in nursery schools, schools, social institutions, government bodies and GP practices.

You would assist by providing a translation that is

- word-for-word
- oral
- impartial

No written translation will be required.

The Interpreter Pool is a free service from the municipality of Ostfildern for its residents.

How can I receive support from the Interpreter Pool?

If you require assistance in communication for an appointment with teachers, educators, doctors, government bodies etc., you can receive help from a voluntary interpreter. You should apply:

- at least three working days in advance -
to the Interpreter pool at the following email address:

  dolmetscherpool@ostfildern.de

or telephone the following number:

  0711 3404 509

To provide an interpreter, we need the following information:

The language, time, date and address of the appointment and the purpose of the appointment.

Which languages are currently offered for interpreting?

Albanian
Arabic
Amharic
Bengali
Berber
Bulgarian
Dari/Farsi
English
French
Hindi/Urdu
Italian
Kurdish
Mandinka
Mina
Dutch
Persian
Polish
Portuguese
Punjabi
Romanian
Russian
Swedish
Spanish
Tigrinya
Turkish
Hungarian

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