What is the difference?

Some of our regular Dutch group courses are now given as interactive online group courses. What is the exact difference between these courses and the Online Dutch courses? The overview below will explain this. Do you have any remaining questions? Please contact us at languagecentre@rug.nl

### Interactive online Dutch group courses

These courses focus on learning the language in a group setting. There are weekly lessons with your teacher and fellow course participants, and the days and times of the lessons are fixed.

- > 12 or 24 lessons of 1.5 hours with your teacher and fellow course participants
- > In the online classroom via Blackboard Collaborate
- > 4-6 hours of self-study per week
- > Interactive and varying modes of instruction in a group setting
- > Practising your speaking skills in small online groups with feedback from your teacher
- > Your questions will be answered in class

### Online Dutch

These courses are aimed at self-study, include three or four interactive group sessions and guidance by a teacher. These sessions are flexible and participants from different time zones will be able to join.

- > 3 or 4 sessions of 30 minutes with your teacher and fellow course participants
- > Via Skype
- > 8-10 hours of self-study per week
- > Possibility to collaborate with fellow course participants
- > Practising your speaking skills with online assignments and feedback from a teacher
- > Your questions will be answered in a forum