

7 The One-Year Post-Secondary Courses in Language Schools with Accreditation for the State Language Examinations

In the school year 2014/2015, a total of thirteen language schools authorized to organize state language examinations and also accredited to provide training in one-year post-secondary studies were operating in the Czech Republic. In total, these schools were attended by 2,896 pupils. These were most commonly English language courses (elementary, intermediate, and other levels) and German language courses (elementary to intermediate).

The Czech School Inspectorate inspected eleven of these language schools. Most post-secondary courses are focused mainly on preparation for internationally recognized exams. Students are especially interested in learning the English language. Courses in other languages, with the exception of the German language are offered only to a small extent. Interest of pupils in state exam tends to decrease.