

Triple College starts Pre-College Program in 2015

Triple College The Hague is an initiative of a The Hague based not-for profit organization in which Ernst van Bemmelen van Gent and others have bundled their experiences and expertise in roles as student, worker, entrepreneur, civil servant, employer, employee, parent, migrant, activist, educator, teacher, scientist and philosopher. At first a Pre-College Program is developed. Subsequently, further tertiary education programs and life long learning modules will be developed.

The Pre-College Program of Triple College The Hague offers young people a part-time education that enriches other learning, provides a solid basis in study strategies, and assists in making learned study and career choices. The Pre-College Program boosts the general education of learners (Bildung), sharpens talents in the field of professional skills, and sketches avenues of further personal development. Upon successful completion of the Pre-College Program learners are able to join the debate in society on a variety of topics, critically assess information, and manage their own further development.

The content of the learning modules built on a systematic method to map empirical data, needs of humans, businesses and societies, as well as current inclusive views on research and knowledge. The modules allow learners to systematize their existing knowledge. Throughout the modules learners improve their writing and public speaking skills. Most topics are linked to professional practices and transnational issues. An overview of the topics is provided below.

The systematic approach to the content of the modules include an orientation on relevant actors (humans, businesses, states and others)(A), on corresponding relevant focus in terms of output (F), on influences on actors (nature (N), nurture (C)), on the philosophical underpinning of thinking and acting (P), and on the general methods/tools or professions of change (governance, economics, law)(T).

	Period 1 - Equinox	Period 2 - Fall	Period 3 - Winter	Period 4 – Spring	Period 5 - Summer
	Introduction	Introduction	Introduction	Introduction	Introduction
<i>A</i>	Actor Humans	Actor States	Actor Business	Actor Others	Research 2
<i>F</i>	Focus Life Stages	Focus Cooperating	Focus Performing	Focus Learning	
<i>C</i>	History 1	History 2 (States)	Art	Language	
<i>N</i>	Psychology	Astronomy	Mineralogy	Biology	
<i>P</i>	Philosophy (intro)	Epistemology	Ethics	Research 1	
<i>T</i>	Tools (intro)	Governance	Economics	Law	Paper & Portfolio

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