



Overview	In Year 9, students consolidate language and structures learnt in Year 7 and 8 and develop their knowledge of increasingly complex grammar structures. We envisage that by the end of Year 9, students are operating as learners with some degree of independence and have acquired an excellent foundation in the German language using three time frames and complex structures with certainty. We aim to prepare our students for the challenges of the GCSE Language course so they can confidently opt to study German at GCSE level.
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Autumn Term	<p>Wir gehen aus: Going out</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Discussing clothes and style ■ Talking about plans for a date ■ Talking about getting ready to go out ■ Talking about how the date went ■ Debating about uniforms <p>Das Schulsystem: School system</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Talking about school subjects and clothes ■ Talking about pencil case items ■ Talking about what you are and are not looking forward to at school next year ■ Describing a school day 	Assessment
	<p>Mid-term assessment: End of Module test on current subtopics covered. Skills include: Listening - Reading Writing</p>	

Spring Term	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Describing school rules ■ Learning about different types of German schools ■ Talking about school exchanges and class trips <p>Freizeit, Fernsehen und Ferien: Freetime, television and holidays</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Describing leisure activities ■ Discussing reading habits ■ Discussing music ■ Discussing film and television ■ Discussing sport in Switzerland 	Assessment
	<p>Mid-term assessment: End of Module test on current subtopics covered. Skills include: Listening - Reading Writing</p>	

Summer Term	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Learning about celebrations and festivals <p>Menschliche Beziehungen: Relationships</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Describing photos ■ Talking about what makes a good friend ■ Describing relationships ■ Exploring different views on marriage ■ Discussing weekend activities ■ Comparing your life as a child with your life now 	Assessment
	<p>UL End of Year assessment: Skills include: Listening - Reading Writing</p>	

Useful Resources for Supporting Your Child at Home:	Homework:
<p>www.pearsonactivelearn.com www.leo.com www.wordreference.com www.linguee.com www.linguascope.com www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize www.blooket.com www.quizlet.com</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Vocabulary learning – pronunciation practice ■ Activelearn online listening and reading tasks ■ Writing skill practice ■ Revision for mini-tests and mid-terms