

German KS3 Curriculum 2021 – 22



**“If you talk to a man in a language, he understands that goes to his head. If you talk to him in his language that goes to his heart.”
Nelson Mandela**

Year 7	Topic 1: Hello!	Topic 2: This is my world	Topic 3: My free time	Topic 4: At School	Topic 5: Culture
Key content:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Greeting people & introducing yourself. • Age, numbers & birthdays. • Talking about where you live. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Describing family & friends. • Describing personality, hair and eye colour • Parts of the boy • Pets and animals 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Talking about sport & hobbies • Talking about music • Talking about famous people & online life 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Talking about school subjects • More detailed opinions • Learning habits and describing teachers • School rules • After school activities 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Preparation for international week trip. • Film study: “Pünktchen und Anton”

Year 8	Topic 1: Mealtimes!	Topic 2: The world of books	Topic 3: Holidays	Topic 4: My home & town	Topic 5: Culture
Key content:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Talking about what you eat and drink • Opinions on food and shopping • Ordering food • Understanding restaurant reviews • Talking about healthy eating. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Discovering important writers from the German-speaking world • Learning about the traditions of German fairy tales. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Talking about holiday activities • A holiday in the past • Weather • Opinions in the past tense 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Daily routine • Places in a town • Where you live & lived • Talking about your bedroom • Your future home 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Post-war Germany • Film study: “Ballon”

Year 9	Topic 1: Daily life	Topic 2: Clothes!	Topic 3: The real and virtual world	Topic 4: Welcome to Berlin	GCSE Topic 1: Technology
Key content:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Daily routine • Daily life in the German-speaking world • Plans & excuses • Healthy living • Comparing chores 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What you wear & opinions • Talking about your style • Talking about shopping habits • Talking about special occasions 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Talking about TV and film • Talking about music • The internet & social media • Technology, past and present • Volunteering projects 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Planning a trip to Berlin • Learning about life in Berlin. 	

Key skills to be embedded throughout: - Listening, Reading, Writing, Speaking, Translation and exam techniques.