



Curriculum Plan

Department/subject: German Year 9

Our Vision: We take opportunities and aspire to excellence

Our Intent:

• All students will experience a curriculum richness, breadth and depth

• The curriculum equips every student with the knowledge and skills for the future in our local area and beyond

The curriculum builds on prior knowledge and creates a 'web of knowledge'

• Gaps in knowledge and skills are identified and addressed quickly

Year	Spring 1	Spring 2
Knowledge to be	Learning Module C: Future plans	Learning Module C: Future plans
taught	During this time, students will learn how to	
	talk about what plans for the future you might have	During this time, students will continue with Learning Module C and any
	<ul> <li>use the future tense with ich werde + infinitive</li> </ul>	remaining gaps in knowledge from the Autumn term will be addressed.
	<ul> <li>use a variety of future tense time phrases</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>use werden in all verb forms to describe the future</li> </ul>	Focus will begin to shift towards preparing students for end of year exams and their long term progress.
	<ul> <li>employ the verbs second rule with the future tense</li> </ul>	
	say what languages you speak and are learning	
	say why languages are important using weil	
	<ul> <li>use modal verbs to expression desire, obligation or ability</li> </ul>	
	talk about different jobs or career paths	
	<ul> <li>name some different jobs that family members do</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>develop an awareness of case usage with prepositions</li> </ul>	
	give opinions about different jobs	
	<ul> <li>work out what sort of a job might suit you</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>use dieser / dieses / diese accurately</li> </ul>	
	• use gern, lieber and am liebsten to describe what you are well suited	
	to	
	<ul> <li>understand longer reading texts about career choices</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>use the imperfect tense of key modal verbs + infinitive</li> </ul>	
	answer a variety of questions about work and work preferences	
	use perfect, present and future tense verbs correctly	





	<ul> <li>develop a large vocabulary on the topic of future plans</li> </ul>	
Keywords	Knowledge & familiarity of key grammatical terminology and how they	Knowledge & familiarity of key grammatical terminology and how they
	may be different in German:	may be different in German:
	• noun	• noun
	infinitive verb	infinitive verb
	conjugate	conjugate
	1st person, 2nd person, 3rd person	1st person, 2nd person, 3rd person
	past participle	past participle
	auxiliary verb	auxiliary verb
	perfect tense	perfect tense
	present tense	present tense
	verb ending	verb ending
	time phrase	time phrase
	imperfect tense	imperfect tense
	modal verb	modal verb
	<ul> <li>subordinating conjunction</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>subordinating conjunction</li> </ul>
	• sequencer	• sequencer
	conditional tense	<ul> <li>conditional tense</li> </ul>
	verb 2nd rule	• verb 2nd rule
	future tense	future tense
Links to prior	We will refer back to key vocabulary and structures which run	We will refer back to key vocabulary and structures which run
knowledge	throughout the language	throughout the language
	We will explicitly point out vocabulary and structures which have been	We will explicitly point out vocabulary and structures which have been
	taught and expect students to attempt to see such links for	taught and expect students to attempt to see such links for
	themselves	themselves
	Many tasks will include items from previous units of work to increase	Many tasks will include items from previous units of work to increase
	long term memory	long term memory
How knowledge is	An end of unit test will cover two of the four language skills (listening,	An end of unit test will cover two of the four language skills (listening,
assessed	speaking, reading, writing), which will be marked by the teacher and a	speaking, reading, writing), which will be marked by the teacher and a
	feedback lesson will go over the assessment in detail	feedback lesson will go over the assessment in detail
	During the topic, work will be formally marked at least once to give	During the topic, work will be formally marked at least once to give
	specific teacher feedback	specific teacher feedback





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How gaps will be addressed	<ul> <li>Gaps in knowledge will be identified by any of the strategies above</li> <li>Lesson starter activities will be adapted to target gaps in knowledge from the previous lesson(s)</li> <li>Formally marked work will require a Medal &amp; Mission response from the student and subsequent work in lesson will be adapted accordingly</li> <li>End of unit test feedback to require one lesson dedicated to addressing gaps in knowledge and exam skills</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Gaps in knowledge will be identified by any of the strategies above</li> <li>Lesson starter activities will be adapted to target gaps in knowledge from the previous lesson(s)</li> <li>Formally marked work will require a Medal &amp; Mission response from the student and subsequent work in lesson will be adapted accordingly</li> <li>End of unit test feedback to require one lesson dedicated to addressing gaps in knowledge and exam skills</li> </ul>
Cultural capital lessons	Once the unit of work has been completed, students will have a week of lessons separate from the curriculum to promote cultural awareness of the language they are studying. This may include poems, songs, short film clips, historical / geographical knowledge of countries where the language is spoken	Once the unit of work has been completed, students will have a week of lessons separate from the curriculum to promote cultural awareness of the language they are studying. This may include poems, songs, short film clips, historical / geographical knowledge of countries where the language is spoken