



GERMAN – Year 11 Course outline

Resources: Edexcel GERMAN GCSE textbook (Pearson publishing)

UNIT 1: Gesundheit		
1	Du bist was du isst	Talking about your eating and drinking habits Giving advice to a friend
2	Stubenhocker oder Sportskanone?	Discussing healthy and unhealthy lifestyles Preparing for listening activities
3	An der Sportklinik	Talking about illnesses Using correct adjective endings
4	So jung und schon gestresst?	Discussing teenage stress Using the conditional mood
5	Jugendsucht	Discussing teenage drinking and smoking issues Word order after <i>dass</i> , <i>weil</i> and <i>wenn</i>
6	Drogen und Jugendliche	Discussing the drugs issue among teenagers Coping with longer reading texts
UNIT 2: Die Arbeitswelt		
1	Der Jobmarkt	Discussing advantages of different jobs Linking personality traits to jobs
2	Babysitten macht spaß	Talking about part-time jobs Developing understanding of word order
3	Mein Arbeitspraktikum	Giving details and opinions about work experience Using modal verbs in the imperfect tense
4	Sommer in Spanien, Winter in Österreich	Preparing an application for a holiday job Revisiting the conditional tense
5	Stärken – Schwächen – Chancen - Risiken	Talking about future job possibilities Developing the ability to compare and contrast
6	Mika: Das Leben eines Popstars	Describing different work routines Developing reading skills
7	Der modern Arbeitsplatz	Discussing problems at work Considering the impact of new technologies in the workplace
UNIT 3: Meine Umgebung		
1	Zu Hause	Talking about your home Using dative prepositions
2	Alltag im Weltraum	Talking about your routine Using reflexive verbs
3	Tüchtig im Haushalt?	Discussing your opinion on household chores Agreeing or disagreeing with somebody
4	Wohnst du gern in deinem Wohnort?	Talking about the advantages and disadvantages of where you live Listening to infer meaning
5	Ich werde an der Küste wohnen	Talking about your future home Writing a longer text
6	In Linz beginnt's!?	Describing a town Developing reading comprehension strategies
7	Es gibt immer einen Grund zu feiern!	Talking about celebrations at home Using the pluperfect tense



UNIT 4: Die Umwelt und ihre Zukunft

1	Klima-chaos	Comparing today's weather with possible future changes Recognising and using impersonal verbs
2	Global denken – lokal handeln	Discussing how we can help the environment Using infinitive expressions
3	Probleme und Lösungen	Discussing world problems and possible solutions Using prepositions with the accusative
4	Fährst du umweltfreundlich?	Considering the environmental impact of different forms of transport Consolidating the use of the three tenses
5	Ökostadt Freiburg	Reading a case study about Freiburg Listening effectively to more complex texts

- There will be an exam at the end of each unit of work, testing listening, reading, speaking and writing skills.