

German – KS3 Curriculum Summary (2023-2024)



	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Year 8	<p>Talk about sports, hobbies, favourite things.</p> <p>Grammar: Be able to give opinions using gern, nicht gern, lieber. Be able to use the present tense in the first, second and third persons using regular and common irregular verbs. Be able to use the possessives mein, dein, ihr and sein.</p>	<p>Letter writing conventions in German, arranging to meet and go out with friends, understand information about adventure centres.</p> <p>Grammar: Adverbs of frequency Use of wir with regular verbs. Möchtest du +infinitive in + accusative. Man kann + Infinitive Introduce obwohl, wenn, weil.</p>	<p>Talk about holidays and activities in the past tense. Know how to write and talk about seasonal activities.</p> <p>Grammar: Imperfect tense: Ich war, du warst, er, sie, es war asking questions in the imperfect Qualifiers: zu, sehr, ziemlich, nicht. Perfect tense with haben (ich) Regular participles – wohnen, spielen, kaufen Irregular participles – sehen, essen, trinken</p>	<p>Be able to plan leisure activities and know how to use the 12-hour clock. Say what you have done in the past.</p> <p>Grammar: Perfect tense participles with haben Introduction to participles with sein (fahren and gehen). Perfect tense with haben + sein Imperfect: war</p>	<p>Talk about where you live and be able to describe your home.</p> <p>Grammar: Mein, dein Possessive revision. Es gibt + accusative einen / eine / ein (accusative) keinen / keine / kein (accusative)</p>	<p>Describe what you do at home using irregular verbs. Be able to describe what is in your room.</p> <p>Grammar: Irregular verbs in 1st, 2nd, 3rd person singular: essen, sehen, lesen, schlafen. The verb as the second idea. Prepositions Dative case of definite article Asking where things are</p>
Year 9	<p>Talk about activities you do after school and be able to describe a school trip in the past.</p> <p>Grammar: Use of definite and indefinite article when using singular and plural nouns. Development of opinions. Revision of the perfect past tense.</p>	<p>Write about shopping and describe going out to eat and to buy food.</p> <p>Grammar: Revise German word order (Time, Manner, Place). Revision of numbers and quantities.</p>	<p>Be able to talk about activities in the future tense; accept and decline invitations; be able to talk about what you wear in greater detail.</p> <p>Grammar: Future tense using WERDEN and its conjugation with all personal pronouns. Use polite German in social situations (du, Sie and ihr).</p>	<p>Know how to talk about your health; know body parts; be able to talk about ailments.</p> <p>Grammar: Use of plural nouns. Learn useful phrases to say what is wrong with you. Practise using correct form of gender (definite and indefinite articles). Frequency phrases and their position in a sentence.</p>	<p>Introduction to KS4 and the topic of families and relationships. Talk about family members and be able to describe their personalities and how well you get on with them.</p> <p>Grammar: Reflexive verbs and extension of vocabulary and sentences based on knowledge learned in KS3.</p>	<p>Introduce the concept of traditional versus non-traditional family units. Talk about marriage and future plans.</p> <p>Grammar: Revision of the present tense and conjugation of verbs with all personal pronouns. Revise the future tense and know time phrases which indicate the future tense. Give opinions on marriage and family life.</p>