



Key Stages 3 & 4

YEAR		TERMLY INDEPENDENT WORK
	Two-week carousel: Pets & colours a. Gender & possessive (1 st /2 nd person)	
7	 Greetings, numbers (cardinal & ordinal 0→∞), introductions, personal details (age birthday – days & months), countries, colours, a. Present tense verb endings b. Gender of nouns. Pets, family members, physical & personality descriptions. a. Plurals of nouns. b. Consolidation of haben & sein c. Time phrases d. Introduction of tragen 	
	Classroom target language throughout	
8	1) House & home a. House types & location b. Likes and dislikes. c. Bedroom i. Prepositions 2) School: school subjects a. Express opinions and reasons, use of Lieblings- b. Word order 3) Time, daily routine, , including school timetables. a. Present tense verbs & word order. b. Reflexive verbs c. Separable verbs 4) School uniform a. Modal verbs + infinitive b. Accusative case	a) Produce an estate agent's description of a house b) Create and describe an ideal bedroom c) Describe daily routines for imaginary characters. d) Design an ideal timetable e) Produce a typical German timetable f) Design an ideal school uniform g) Create a cartoon strip of their hobbies/ interests in a typical week h) Independent consolidation of work & vocabulary learning







	5) Freetime	
	a. Irregular verbs	
	b. Time phrases	
	Classroom target language throughout	
	1) Weather	Produce a PowerPoint/Flipchart presentation of a weather forecast
	a. Future tense	2) Produce an advert to promote the town
	b. Past tense (imperfect and perfect)	3) Produce directions to various locations around school
	2) Past tense (perfect)	a. Role-play with directions
	3) Health & illness	4) Describe healthy-living lifestyle
	a. Food & drink	a. Lifestyle survey
	b. Food, healthy and unhealthy eating and their own habits	b. Role-play at doctor's, pharmacy
	c. modals + infinitive	5) Independent consolidation & vocabulary learning
	d. role-plays	
9	4) Town	
	a. Where you live, house, places in a town and advantages and	
	disadvantages of local area	
	b. Accusative	
	c. Modal verbs + infinitives	
	d. 'wo' + word order	
	e. Directions	
	Classroom target language throughout	
	Theme 1	Listening & reading activities from pupil booklets and Kerboodle,
	Identity & relationships with others	Open-ended speaking & writing tasks
	a. Yourself, family & friends	Independent consolidation & vocabulary learning
10	b. Appearance, interests & personality	Independent preparation of stimulus cards, role-plays and conversation
	c. Family life & social lives	
	d. Relationships with others	Grammatical exercises & practice
	Healthy living & lifestyle	Use of the comparative & superlative







- e. Food & a healthy lifestyle
- f. Healthy lifestyle
- g. Health & happiness
- h. Lifestyle choices

Education & work

- i. Comparing school experiences
- j. School routine & rules
- k. Jobs
- I. Work & future plans

Healthy Living:

- a. Food, healthy and unhealthy eating and their own habits
- b. Biggest youth problems
- c. Smoking, drugs and alcohol: reasons, risks and advice

Theme 2

Free-time activities

- a. Free-time activities
- b. Sports & extreme sports
- c. Making plans
- d. Films
- e. Celebrations
- f. Christmas traditions
- g. Typical festivals
- h. Festivals from other parts of the world

Celebrity Culture

- i. Celebrities from the past
- j. German-speaking people
- k. Celebrities
- I. Positive & negative aspects of fame

- Use of 'zu' + infinitives
- Reflexive pronouns & reflexive verbs
- Separable verbs
- Use of 'seit' + present tense
- Possessive adjectives
- Imperfect tense (haben/sein/geben/modals)
- ,um ... zu ...
- Relative clauses

Grammatical exercises & practice

- Use of ,gern' and ,lieber'
- Future tense with 'werden'
- Present tense of 'wissen'
- Modals
- Conditional
- Question words
- Use of demonstratives
- Word order TMP
- Subordinate clauses
- Negatives nicht/nie
- Use of 'beim/am' + infinitives as nouns







	Classroom target language throughout	
11	 a. Subjects, school description, uniform, rules, typical school day, future plans, work experience b. Jobs and places of work, opinions and advantages and disadvantages, qualities peeded for jobs 	Listening & reading activities from pupil booklets and Kerboodle, Open-ended speaking & writing tasks Independent consolidation & vocabulary learning Independent preparation of stimulus cards, role-plays and conversation Grammatical exercises & practice • Revision of previous grammatical structures (see above) ○ 3 times frames (including conditional) ○ word order (verbs / TMP) • Reflexive pronouns & reflexive verbs • Separable verbs • Modal verbs • 'zu' + infinitive (ohne / statt) • Imperfect tense (haben/sein/geben/modals) • Relative clauses
	Theme 1 Identity & relationships with others a. Family life & social lives b. Relationships with others	
	Theme 2 Celebrity Culture a. Celebrities from the past b. German-speaking people c. Celebrities d. Positive & negative aspects of fame Classroom target language throughout	







PLEASE NOTE:

- This overview sets out a general summary of the basic curriculum taught. It is not an exhaustive list of what may be taught, and subject teachers may follow the above in a different order. Further details may be obtained from the Head of Department, if required.
- The Independent Work indicated represents core, headline tasks per term; weekly/fortnightly independent/homework is set in all subject areas, and details are noted in Teams.