

Y11 GCSE German

Subject Title	German
Exam board	AQA
Specification code	8668
Entry Level	Foundation / Higher
Exam details	<p>Listening: Foundation 35m, Higher 45m Speaking: Assessed in lesson – pass/merit/distinction Reading: Foundation: 45m, Higher 1h Writing: Foundation 1h, Higher 1h 15min</p>
Setting arrangements	Mixed ability or in broad ability groups, depending on the cohort
Time allowed	Y11: 5 lessons per fortnight
Textbooks and revision guides	<p>AQA German GCSE Foundation / Higher text books (Oxford publications) 978-0-19-844594-4 978-0-19-844595-1 CGP GCSE AQA German Complete Revision and Practice 978-178-294554-3</p>
Homework information	Homework is set at least once per week. It comprises vocabulary tasks, grammar practice, writing tasks, reading and listening comprehension exercises. Sometimes pupils will have a spoken task to prepare. Students also need to learn and revise vocabulary regularly.

Term	Topics	Skills	Assessment
Year 11 Term 1	School and school life Careers and future study	<p>verbs + <i>zu</i> genitive case complex conjunctions Development of exam skills</p>	<p>Weekly vocabulary tests Translation test GCSE Exam questions: Listening (current theme)</p>

Year 11 Term 2	Weather & Holidays Accommodation / city breaks Recovery Curriculum revision	imperfect tense comparative and superlative Development of exam skills	GCSE Exam questions Listening and reading: Speaking assessed throughout (all themes)
Year 11 Term 3	Theme One Revision Family / technology / free time and eating out / customs and festivals	Grammar revision Exam skills consolidation	Mock GCSE Listening/ reading/writing Weekly vocabulary tests Translation test Speaking assessed throughout
Year 11 Term 4	Theme Two Revision Home and Area Charity and Lifestyles	Grammar revision Exam skills consolidation	Weekly vocabulary tests Translation phrases/ Writing assessment Listening and Reading 2 nd mock exams Speaking assessed throughout
Year 11 Term 5	Exam preparation	Listening, reading and writing exams practice.	May/June
Links to websites and revision materials:		Exam Specification: https://www.aqa.org.uk/subjects/languages/gcse/german-8668/ Online German Text Book: www.kerboodle.com Practice and Revision: https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/subjects/z8j2tfr	