

The English Martyrs Catholic School and Sixth Form College

Subject: German Year 8	Module 1	Module 2	Module 3
Topic Theme and Intent	Students will learn about key aspects of German culture, how to accurately pronounce key sounds and blended sounds in German. They will be able to talk about themselves and where they live.	Students will talk about sport, hobbies, music and how often they do them. They will look at life online and famous people online. Students will talk about school subjects and give and justify opinions of school and their subjects.	Students talk about what school is and discuss after school clubs/activities. They learn about school in German speaking countries and to talk about their future plans.
Knowledge	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Gender & articles with nouns The umlaut and ß Numbers, personal pronouns & key verbs 'haben' and 'sein' Using cognates to work out meanings 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Present tense verb endings Irregular verbs Adverbs; gern/lieber/am liebsten Subordinating connective 'weil' 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Word order with modal verbs Concept of 'AG' Full paradigm of werden
Skills	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Read and correctly pronounce German sounds and blended sounds – v/z/ie/ei/eu/ch/zw Conjugate full paradigm of key verbs: 'sein, haben & wohnen' 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Accurate application of adverbs gern/lieber/am liebsten in position in sentence Accurate use, spoken and written of vowel change in irregular verbs 'fahren/sehen/lesen' 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Application of correct word order with modal verbs Introduction to translation skills Key verb 'werden' used with all pronouns
Literacy Links	<p>Reading Correctly pronounce blended vowel sounds. Use of cognates to help work out meaning</p> <p>Writing: Accurate application of capital letters on all nouns.</p> <p>Oracy: Correct pronunciation of new blended vowel sounds and consonants.</p>	<p>Reading Confident reading of longer sentences with familiar and unfamiliar words.</p> <p>Writing . Accurate application of new word order rules</p> <p>Oracy Correct pronunciation of 'th' sound in cognates such as <i>Mathe</i> and <i>Theater</i></p>	<p>Reading Developing an awareness of the different word order rules in German, the words are not in the same order as English.</p> <p>Writing Longer sentences justifying opinion</p> <p>Oracy . Correct pronunciation of vowel change in key verbs 'sehen/fahren/lesen'.</p>
Essential Vocabulary	haben – to have, sein – to be, wohnen – to live	gern / nicht gern, lieber, am liebsten	es gefällt mir / nicht, es interessiert mich / nicht das Fach – die Fächer

Disciplinary Reading



Grimm's Fairy Tales by the brothers Grimm

Reading for Pleasure



Short stories in German by Olly Richards & Alex Rawlings



Dino lernt Deutsch by André Klein



Café in Berlin by André Klein