



Title of course: Advanced Higher German

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Entry Level: What do I need to do it?

You need to have already shown a commitment and a willingness to prepare, to practise and to revise independently.

Your entry level should be A or high B in Higher German.

Course Content: What will I learn?



You will continue to develop the four skills of Talking, Listening, Reading and Writing. We work on the themes of Society & Culture and Learning & Employability. You will also develop a greater understanding of the mechanics of English language, as well as furthering your knowledge and ability to manipulate German grammar. There is also a focus on the development of independent research skills.

Teaching Methods: What will I do?

You will develop your knowledge of more complex language, studying in much more detail, life and culture in German speaking countries. Activities include films, literature, discussions and working to understand complex and varied texts. Discussion of current events in German speaking countries is also a very important priority.

Assessment: How will I be assessed?

All four skills of Reading, Listening, Talking and Writing are assessed. In addition, at Advanced Higher, there is an external exam which assesses Reading, Writing and Listening. You will undertake a Speaking assessment with a Visiting Examiner. You will apply your research skills to complete a folio piece in English, based on texts and cultural aspects of German.

Homework.

You will already be used to the variety of home study activities set in Modern Languages: It is vital that you are willing and able to organise your learning to get the most out of your foreign language experience.