



Year 9 Annual Exam for German

The German end of year exam will be divided into three papers:

Paper 1: Writing Assessment (30 minutes)

Section A: You will have a short paragraph to translate into German. This will test your understanding of vocabulary and grammar covered from the first four modules of the Year 9 course.

Section B: You will write a short paragraph of approximately 90 words in German. There are three writing tasks – one on each of the first three modules (**Module 1:** Holidays; **Module 2:** Media; **Module 3:** Healthy Living). You must complete just one. In each task, you will be assessed on communication (how much information you are able to give related to each of the four bullet points), and range and accuracy of language (how many grammatical structures you can use, and how well you can use these). In each task, you will be expected to make reference to the three time frames: present, past and future. To refer to the future, you may use the verb *wollen*.

Paper 2: Listening Assessment (30 minutes)

You will have 6 questions to answer the following topics: **Module 1:** Holidays; **Module 2:** Media; **Module 3:** Healthy Living; **Module 4:** Class trips. It is essential that you are confident in recognising the vocabulary and structures on the first four knowledge organisers to be successful in this exam.

Paper 3: Reading Assessment (30 minutes)

You will have 5 questions to answer on the following topics: **Module 1:** Holidays; **Module 2:** Media; **Module 3:** Healthy Living; **Module 4:** Class trips. There will be 4 reading comprehension tasks, and there will be one translation into English.

The following is a list of suggested revision activities:

Year 9 End of Year Assessment Revision Activities

	Revision Activity	Resource to help with revision	Revised? ☒
Reading and Listening Assessment	1. Review challenging vocabulary from Modules 1-4	Knowledge organisers in exercise book or available on ItsLearning.	
	2. Practise reading and listening questions.	LanguageNut	
	3. Look back at your past reading and listening assessments and read through the comments and targets from your teacher. Make a note of the unknown vocabulary.	Past reading and listening assessments in exercise books.	
Writing Assessment	4. Review the three tenses: present, past (perfect and imperfect), future (including the use of <i>wollen</i> to mean 'to want')	Knowledge organisers and notes in exercise books.	
	5. Look back at your past writing tasks and assessments and read through the comments and targets from your teacher. Redraft your work to create a model answer.	Past writing tasks and assessments in exercise books.	
	6. It is important to include a wide range of topic vocabulary in your work. Revise the vocabulary you definitely want to include in your writing.	Knowledge organisers in exercise book or available on ItsLearning and LanguageNut.	