

Y8 German Language Ladder



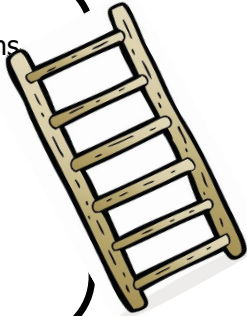
Exceptional

I can:

- understand the gist and some detail of longer spoken and written passages in different formats and on different topics.
- understand opinions, reasons and personal points of view.
- demonstrate secure use of present tense with key verbs in all persons.
- understand and use 3 time frames in the first person.
- respond to comprehension questions in English and give some responses in FL.

-ask and answer questions with some hesitation.

- use accurate pronunciation and begin to apply sound spelling patterns when using new language.
- use more complex sentences in speech and writing and show a good knowledge of vocabulary across a range of topics.
- write a coherent text, communicating all relevant information and extending some key points
- translate a short passage into English and FL with some minor mistakes.



Higher

I can:

- understand longer answers and key information in longer passages in spoken and written FL.
- identify a time frame change in spoken and written FL.
- work out the meaning of some new words from the context.
- select FL response from a choice of words in comprehension tasks and begin to give a response in FL.
- ask and answer questions with some hesitation, applying pronunciation rules well.

-express a variety of personal opinions and reasons in speech and writing.

- begin to use complex structures and a variety of vocabulary mostly accurately.
- use present tense with key verbs in all persons.
- use two time frames securely.
- translate a short text into English with some mistakes
- translate most of a short text into FL with minor errors.
- write a longer text.



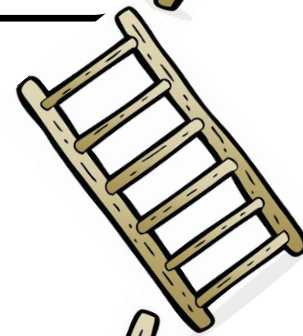
Intermediate

I can:

- understand longer statements in speech and writing including opinions and some reasons.
- understand different speakers.
- work out the meaning of familiar words and information from the context.
- give some responses in FL from multiple choice answers.
- use present tense with key verbs in 1st, 2nd & 3rd person.

-recognise and give examples of 2 time frames.

- answer a question spontaneously.
- express opinions and reasons in speech and writing and begin to link some sentences.
- apply sound patterns to speak with mostly accurate pronunciation.
- translate a short passage into English and translate parts of text into FL with some mistakes.
- meaning in spoken and written language is clear.



Foundation

I can:

- understand short spoken and written statements including likes and dislikes and simple opinions.
- respond to some comprehension questions in English.
- work out some information from the context.
- translate mostly familiar language into English and FL.
- recognise and use present tense for familiar verbs in the first person and

- ask a question.
- answer questions with preparation.
- write and say mainly short sentences.
- use many sound patterns correctly.
- express a like and dislike in speech and writing.
- begin to link my sentences in writing.

