

Universität Stuttgart
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SYLLABUS

German A 2.1

Course Description and Objectives

German A 2.1 is a continuation from A 1 and is a more advanced approach to the German language and to German-speaking cultures. The course continues to develop the four communication skills listening, speaking, reading, and writing, with an increased emphasis on conversational German. You will be exposed to everyday and professional situations. You will learn frequently used expressions related to areas of most immediate relevance (e.g. very basic personal and family information, shopping, local geography, employment). At the end of the course, you will be able to converse about everyday situations in your studies and home, read and understand more advanced texts, have a command of basic grammar structures, and write about life and culture in the German speaking countries.

We will cover chapters 1 – 7 of **Schritte 3 International**, Kurs- und Arbeitsbuch, in class and complement the material with field trips into city stores, public institutions, and local markets. The language of instruction is German. (90 hours)

Prerequisite

180 hours of German or the equivalent. Participation in the placement test.

Required Materials

Schritte 3 International or Menschen A 2.1

Grading Policies and Required Work

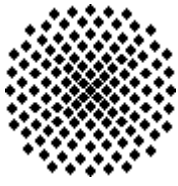
Chapter Tests:		25 %
Final:		25 %
Class Participation:		20 %
Communication:	5 %	
Pronunciation:	5 %	
Oral Presentation:	10 %	
Attendance:		
0 x Missed	1,0	
1 x Missed	2,0	
2 x Missed	3,0	
3 x Missed	4,0	20 %
Homework:		10%
Total:		100 %

Participation:

Attendance, homework, daily preparation, and in-class participation are vital to your success in this course. Your participation in class will affect your overall performance. There are no make-up chapter tests, or finals, and late homework will not be accepted.

Chapter Tests

		Chapters
		Chapters
		Final Examination



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German A 2.2

Course Description and Objectives

German A 2 is a continuation from A 1 and is a more advanced approach to the German language and to German-speaking cultures. The course continues to develop the four communication skills listening, speaking, reading, and writing, with an increased emphasis on conversational German. You will be exposed to everyday and professional situations. You will learn frequently used expressions related to areas of most immediate relevance (e.-g. very basic personal and family information, shopping, local geography, employment). At the end of the course, you will be able to converse about everyday situations in your studies and home, read and understand more advanced texts, have a command of basic grammar structures, and write about life and culture in the German speaking countries.

We will complement the course material with field trips into city stores, public institutions, and local markets.

The language of instruction is German. (90 hours)

Prerequisite

180 hours of German or the equivalent. Participation in the placement test.

Required Materials

Schritte 4 International or Menschen A 2.2

Grading Policies and Required Work

Chapter Tests:		25 %
Final:		25 %
Class Participation:		20 %
Communication:	5 %	
Pronunciation:	5 %	
Oral Presentation:	10 %	
Attendance:		
0 x Missed	1,0	
1 x Missed	2,0	
2 x Missed	3,0	
3 x Missed	4,0	20 %
Homework:		10%
Total:		100 %

Participation:

Attendance, homework, daily preparation, and in-class participation are vital to your success in this course. Your participation in class will affect your overall performance. There are no make-up chapter tests, or finals, and late homework will not be accepted.

Chapter Tests

		Test 1
		Test 2
		Final Examination