

## School of Modern Languages

### German (GM) Modules

GM1001 First Level German A 1			
SCOTCAT Credits:	20	SCQF Level 7	Semester 1
Academic year:	2019/0		
Planned timetable:	3.00 pm		
<p>This module lays the foundation for the study of German at university. In oral, writing and grammar classes, you will develop both communicative skill and your knowledge of German grammar. In weekly lectures and tutorials, you begin a survey of German speaking literature and culture. This semester covers German literature and culture from the post-war period after 1945, with the emergence of the divided German state, until the tumultuous events of re-unification in 1989.</p>			
Pre-requisite(s):	In taking this module you must have higher or A-Level german or equivalent		
Learning and teaching methods of delivery:	<b>Weekly contact:</b> 1 lecture, 1 seminar, 2 language classes, CALL classroom work and 1 surgery hour.		
	<b>Scheduled learning:</b> 40 hours	<b>Guided independent study:</b> 160 hours	
Assessment pattern:	<b>As defined by QAA:</b> Written Examinations = 60%, Practical Examinations = 0%, Coursework = 40%		
	<b>As used by St Andrews:</b> 2-hour Written Examination = 60%, Coursework = 40%		
Re-assessment pattern:	3-hour Written Examination = 100%		
Module coordinator:	Ms K L Mericka		
Module teaching staff:	Team taught		

GM1002 First Level German A 2			
SCOTCAT Credits:	20	SCQF Level 7	Semester 2
Academic year:	2019/0		
Planned timetable:	3.00 pm		
<p>This module builds on the foundation study of German language and literature in Module GM1001. Language classes will further develop speaking, reading and writing skills and grammatical competence, using materials which cover aspects of contemporary German society and culture. Lectures and tutorials cover the period from 1989 to the present day, examining the emergence of contemporary German literature and culture in a range of genres.</p>			
Pre-requisite(s):	Before taking this module you must pass GM1001		
Learning and teaching methods of delivery:	<b>Weekly contact:</b> 1 lecture, 1 seminar, 2 language classes, CALL classroom work and 1 surgery hour.		
	<b>Scheduled learning:</b> 44 hours	<b>Guided independent study:</b> 156 hours	
Assessment pattern:	<b>As defined by QAA:</b> Written Examinations = 60%, Practical Examinations = 0%, Coursework = 40%		
	<b>As used by St Andrews:</b> 2-hour Written Examination = 60%, Coursework = 40%		
Re-assessment pattern:	3-hour Written Examination = 100%		
Module teaching staff:	Team taught		

## Modern Languages - 1000 & 2000 Level - 2019/0 - August - 2019

GM1003 First Level German B 1				
<b>SCOTCAT Credits:</b>	20	SCQF Level 7	<b>Semester</b>	1
<b>Academic year:</b>	2019/0			
<b>Planned timetable:</b>	4.00 pm			
<p>The module provides the first half of an intensive language programme for beginners and those with Standard Grade or GCSE German. Students taking the module are strongly advised to proceed to module GM1004 in the second semester. Completion of the two modules can provide a one-year foundation for those students looking for an ancillary language skill, or it can lead to entry into the Second Level German course and subsequently to an Honours degree in German. The emphasis will be primarily on the acquisition of competence in the German language, both written and spoken, and activities in class will combine the teaching of grammar with the development of communicative competence and written skills.</p>				
<b>Pre-requisite(s):</b>	The student must not have a pass at higher, A-Level or equivalent nor must they be a native german speaker			
<b>Anti-requisite(s)</b>	In taking this module you must not have higher or A-Level german or equivalent or be a native speaker of german.			
<b>Learning and teaching methods of delivery:</b>	<b>Weekly contact:</b> 4 language classes and 1 surgery hour.			
	<b>Scheduled learning:</b> 40 hours		<b>Guided independent study:</b> 160 hours	
<b>Assessment pattern:</b>	<b>As defined by QAA:</b> Written Examinations = 60%, Practical Examinations = 0%, Coursework = 40%			
	<b>As used by St Andrews:</b> 2-hour Written Examination = 60%, Coursework = 40%			
<b>Re-assessment pattern:</b>	3-hour Written Examination = 100%			
<b>Module teaching staff:</b>	Team taught			

GM1004 First Level German B 2				
<b>SCOTCAT Credits:</b>	20	SCQF Level 7	<b>Semester</b>	2
<b>Academic year:</b>	2019/0			
<b>Planned timetable:</b>	4.00 pm			
<p>The module represents the second half of the intensive language courses for beginners and those with intermediate qualifications. Completion of this module and Module GM1003 can provide a one-year foundation for those seeking an ancillary language skill, or lead to entry into the Second Level German class and subsequently to an Honours degree in German. The module builds on the work done in Module GM1003. Students complete the second half of a one-year course in modern German and continue to develop their linguistic skills, both written and oral. There is at this stage also some study of selected German literary texts. Please note that this module is not designed for native or heritage speakers of German.</p>				
<b>Pre-requisite(s):</b>	Before taking this module you must pass GM1003			
<b>Learning and teaching methods of delivery:</b>	<b>Weekly contact:</b> 4 classes and 1 surgery hour.			
	<b>Scheduled learning:</b> 44 hours		<b>Guided independent study:</b> 156 hours	
<b>Assessment pattern:</b>	<b>As defined by QAA:</b> Written Examinations = 60%, Practical Examinations = 0%, Coursework = 40%			
	<b>As used by St Andrews:</b> 2-hour Written Examination = 60%, Coursework = 40%			
<b>Re-assessment pattern:</b>	3-hour Written Examination = 100%			
<b>Module coordinator:</b>	Ms K L Mericka			
<b>Module teaching staff:</b>	Team taught			

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GM2003 Second Level Advanced German Language 1				
<b>SCOTCAT Credits:</b>	10	SCQF Level 8	<b>Semester</b>	1
<b>Academic year:</b>	2019/0			
<b>Planned timetable:</b>	To be arranged.			
This module builds on the language component of modules GM1001 and GM1002 for students who had A-level/Highers/equivalent German when they started their degree. It provides practice in writing skills and the extension of students' knowledge of grammar. Language classes also develop competence in listening and speaking and extend students' awareness of contemporary German.				
<b>Pre-requisite(s):</b>	Before taking this module you must pass GM1002			
<b>Anti-requisite(s)</b>	You cannot take this module if you take GM2007			
<b>Learning and teaching methods of delivery:</b>	<b>Weekly contact:</b> 2 language classes and 1 optional surgery hour.			
	<b>Scheduled learning:</b> 20 hours		<b>Guided independent study:</b> 80 hours	
<b>Assessment pattern:</b>	<b>As defined by QAA:</b> Written Examinations = 60%, Practical Examinations = 0%, Coursework = 40%			
	<b>As used by St Andrews:</b> 1-hour Written Examination = 60%, Coursework = 40%			
<b>Re-assessment pattern:</b>	2-hour Written Examination = 100%			
<b>Module teaching staff:</b>	Team taught			

GM2004 Second Level Advanced German Language 2				
<b>SCOTCAT Credits:</b>	10	SCQF Level 8	<b>Semester</b>	2
<b>Academic year:</b>	2019/0			
<b>Planned timetable:</b>	9.00 am Mon and to be arranged.			
This module aims to enhance further students' skills in written and spoken German and their knowledge of contemporary German, preparing them for any time to be spent studying or working in a German-speaking country.				
<b>Pre-requisite(s):</b>	Before taking this module you must pass GM2003			
<b>Anti-requisite(s)</b>	You cannot take this module if you take GM2008			
<b>Learning and teaching methods of delivery:</b>	<b>Weekly contact:</b> 2 hours and 1 surgery hour.			
	<b>Scheduled learning:</b> 22 hours		<b>Guided independent study:</b> 78 hours	
<b>Assessment pattern:</b>	<b>As defined by QAA:</b> Written Examinations = 60%, Practical Examinations = 0%, Coursework = 40%			
	<b>As used by St Andrews:</b> 1-hour Written Examination = 60%, Coursework = 40%			
<b>Re-assessment pattern:</b>	2-hour Written Examination = 100%			
<b>Module teaching staff:</b>	Team taught			

## Modern Languages - 1000 & 2000 Level - 2019/0 - August - 2019

GM2007 Second Level Ex-Beginners German Language 1				
<b>SCOTCAT Credits:</b>	10	SCQF Level 8	<b>Semester</b>	1
<b>Academic year:</b>	2019/0			
<b>Planned timetable:</b>	To be arranged.			
This module is designed to provide intensive language study for students who have completed the first level beginners/near beginners modules GM1003 and GM1004. It aims to develop language competence through written and spoken language classes, with reading and oral and written discussion of texts, writing exercises, including essays and letters, practice in speaking and listening, and revision of aspects of grammar.				
<b>Pre-requisite(s):</b>	Before taking this module you must pass GM1004			
<b>Anti-requisite(s)</b>	You cannot take this module if you take GM2003			
<b>Learning and teaching methods of delivery:</b>	<b>Weekly contact:</b> 3 hours and 1 surgery hour.			
	<b>Scheduled learning:</b> 33 hours		<b>Guided independent study:</b> 67 hours	
<b>Assessment pattern:</b>	<b>As defined by QAA:</b> Written Examinations = 60%, Practical Examinations = 0%, Coursework = 40%			
	<b>As used by St Andrews:</b> 1-hour Written Examination = 60%, Coursework = 40%			
<b>Re-assessment pattern:</b>	2-hour Written Examination = 100%			
<b>Module coordinator:</b>	Ms K L Mericka			
<b>Module teaching staff:</b>	Team taught			

GM2008 Second Level Ex-Beginners German Language 2				
<b>SCOTCAT Credits:</b>	10	SCQF Level 8	<b>Semester</b>	2
<b>Academic year:</b>	2019/0			
<b>Planned timetable:</b>	To be arranged.			
Building on module GM2007, the module aims to provide further intensive language study for students who took the First Level Beginners modules. It continues to develop reading, analytical, writing, listening and speaking skills and grammatical competence.				
<b>Pre-requisite(s):</b>	Before taking this module you must pass GM2007			
<b>Anti-requisite(s)</b>	You cannot take this module if you take GM2004			
<b>Learning and teaching methods of delivery:</b>	<b>Weekly contact:</b> 3 hours and 1 surgery hour.			
	<b>Scheduled learning:</b> 33 hours		<b>Guided independent study:</b> 67 hours	
<b>Assessment pattern:</b>	<b>As defined by QAA:</b> Written Examinations = 60%, Practical Examinations = 0%, Coursework = 40%			
	<b>As used by St Andrews:</b> 1-hour Written Examination = 60%, Coursework = 40%			
<b>Re-assessment pattern:</b>	2-hour Written Examination = 100%			
<b>Module teaching staff:</b>	Team taught			

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GM2011 The Age of Goethe			
<b>SCOTCAT Credits:</b>	10	SCQF Level 8	<b>Semester</b> 1
<b>Academic year:</b>	2019/0		
<b>Planned timetable:</b>	9.00 am Mon.		
<p>The lifespan of Germany's greatest poet, Goethe (1749-1832) is simultaneously one of the most eventful and productive in its cultural history: it sees the rise of modern German literature in figures like Lessing, Goethe, Schiller, Kleist, Hölderlin, and the Romantic poets, while in philosophy, Kant, Fichte and Hegel dominate the world of ideas. These revolutions in thought are mirrored in significant revolutions and developments in history: the rise of Prussia and the impact of the French Revolution. The module introduces students to the period: lectures provide the literary and cultural background, while tutorials concentrate on significant and representative works.</p>			
<b>Pre-requisite(s):</b>	Before taking this module you must pass GM1002 or pass GM1004		
<b>Learning and teaching methods of delivery:</b>	<b>Weekly contact:</b> 1 lecture (x11 weeks), 1 tutorial (x11 weeks)		
	<b>Scheduled learning:</b> 20 hours	<b>Guided independent study:</b> 80 hours	
<b>Assessment pattern:</b>	<b>As defined by QAA:</b> Written Examinations = 60%, Practical Examinations = 0%, Coursework = 40%		
	<b>As used by St Andrews:</b> 1-hour Written Examination = 60%, Coursework = 40%		
<b>Re-assessment pattern:</b>	2-hour Written Examination = 100%		
<b>Module coordinator:</b>	Dr M J White		
<b>Module teaching staff:</b>	Team taught		

GM2012 Unification to the First World War			
<b>SCOTCAT Credits:</b>	10	SCQF Level 8	<b>Semester</b> 2
<b>Academic year:</b>	2019/0		
<b>Planned timetable:</b>	To be arranged.		
<p>This module traces the literary and cultural history of Germany in the nineteenth century during the rise and fall of the Second Empire. After the failure of the 1848 revolution in Germany and Austria-Hungary, the period sees the military unification of Germany by Prussia, creating the first modern German state in 1871, and its subsequent demise in the First World War. Culturally, the period produces great variety: the subtle narratives of the Realists find their counterpoint in the bold music dramas of Wagner and the prophetic iconoclast Friedrich Nietzsche, and while the Naturalists seek uncompromising reality, a generation of poets around 1900 revel in decadent beauty.</p>			
<b>Pre-requisite(s):</b>	Before taking this module you must pass GM1002 or pass GM1004		
<b>Learning and teaching methods of delivery:</b>	<b>Weekly contact:</b> 1 lecture (x 11 weeks), 1 tutorial (x 11 weeks)		
	<b>Scheduled learning:</b> 22 hours	<b>Guided independent study:</b> 83 hours	
<b>Assessment pattern:</b>	<b>As defined by QAA:</b> Written Examinations = 60%, Practical Examinations = 0%, Coursework = 40%		
	<b>As used by St Andrews:</b> 1-hour Written Examination = 60%, Coursework = 40%		
<b>Re-assessment pattern:</b>	2-hour Written Examination = 100%		
<b>Module coordinator:</b>	Dr A T Cusack		
<b>Module teaching staff:</b>	Team taught		

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GM2013 Medieval German Language and Literature				
<b>SCOTCAT Credits:</b>	10	SCQF Level 8	<b>Semester</b>	1
<b>Academic year:</b>	2019/0			
<b>Planned timetable:</b>	9.00 am Wed			
The module introduces students to Middle High German language and literature. Students will learn to read the medieval form of the language. They will also gain an overview of the flourishing German literature of the Middle Ages in its rich cultural context of chivalry, heroism and Christianity, focussing on key texts.				
<b>Pre-requisite(s):</b>	Before taking this module you must pass GM1002 or pass GM1004			
<b>Learning and teaching methods of delivery:</b>	<b>Weekly contact:</b> 1 lecture (x 10 weeks), 1 tutorial (x 10 weeks), optional surgery hours			
	<b>Scheduled learning:</b> 20 hours		<b>Guided independent study:</b> 81 hours	
<b>Assessment pattern:</b>	<b>As defined by QAA:</b> Written Examinations = 60%, Practical Examinations = 0%, Coursework = 40%			
	<b>As used by St Andrews:</b> 1-hour Written Examination = 60%, Coursework = 40%			
<b>Re-assessment pattern:</b>	2-hour Written Examination = 100%			
<b>Module coordinator:</b>	Prof B M E Bildhauer			
<b>Module teaching staff:</b>	Prof B Bildhauer			

GM2014 Weimar Republic:1918-1933				
<b>SCOTCAT Credits:</b>	10	SCQF Level 8	<b>Semester</b>	2
<b>Academic year:</b>	2019/0			
<b>Planned timetable:</b>	Lecture (9.00 am Tue), Practical (9.00 am, day tbc)			
From the revolutions at the end of the First World War, to the fragile Weimar democracy, to the rise and fall of the Third Reich, the period from the Great War to the end of the Second World War is without question one of the most significant for the history and culture of German speaking countries and how they are seen today. Against this turbulent and violent backdrop, German literature and culture produced some of its most lasting legacies: from Expressionist poetry to the novel of classical modernism in Thomas Mann, Kafka, and Hermann Hesse. This module offers an introduction to the literature and culture of the period: lectures offer a broad survey while tutorials focus on set texts.				
<b>Pre-requisite(s):</b>	Before taking this module you must pass GM1002 or pass GM1004			
<b>Learning and teaching methods of delivery:</b>	<b>Weekly contact:</b> 1 lecture (x 10 weeks), 1 tutorial (x 10 weeks)			
	<b>Scheduled learning:</b> 20 hours		<b>Guided independent study:</b> 78 hours	
<b>Assessment pattern:</b>	<b>As defined by QAA:</b> Written Examinations = 60%, Practical Examinations = 0%, Coursework = 40%			
	<b>As used by St Andrews:</b> 1 hour Written Examination = 60%, Coursework = 40%			
<b>Re-assessment pattern:</b>	2-hour Written Examination = 100%			
<b>Module coordinator:</b>	Dr C Beedham			
<b>Module teaching staff:</b>	Dr Dora Osbourne, Dr Andrew Cusack			