



Department:	German	
Year 8 Course summary:		
In Year 8, students cover the following topic areas over the course of the year:		
1. Das sind wir	Greetings/Alphabet/Names/Numbers/Ages	
2. Kennenlernen	Family/House/Animals	
3. Rund um die Welt	Germany/Wider World/Weather	
4. Familie/Freizeit/Familie	Hobbies/Freetime/Friends/Family/Routine	
Assessments:		
Michaelmas	Lent	Summer
1. Speaking Personal details	3. Listening/Reading Weather forecasts	5. Writing Animals, description of a zoo
2. Writing Personal details dialogue – Questions and Answers	4. Speaking Weather forecast	6. Summer examination Listening, Reading and Writing in all topics
Key grammatical concepts:		
Nouns: masculine, feminine, neuter, singular, plural Spellings, capital letters, umlauts Numbers: cardinal and ordinal Adjectives	Present tense Verbs: regular, irregular, reflexive Word order: inversion Forms of address: familiar and polite	