

Studying German at A-level is an immensely rewarding challenge, allowing students to develop their cultural knowledge and linguistic skills. You will gain huge insight and knowledge of the country and culture through a range of topics, such as the digital world, TV, art, music, architecture, politics and Berlin's rich history and culture. You will also study a film – 'Das Leben der Anderen' or 'Goodbye Lenin' and the novel – 'Der Vorleser', which not only enhance your language skills, but also compliment your work on German history and society.

With access to a vast amount of resources and with dedicated professionals to guide you, the tutoring in languages at LRGS is very much personalised and dedicated to your needs. Whether it is through access to our online resources or our self-produced topic-specific study booklets, you will have everything you need to flourish and succeed in your studies.

To give you the authentic experience, all of our Lower Sixth students may have the opportunity to take part in the German exchange. This will give you the opportunity to immerse yourself in the language and culture, as well as making friends and contacts which can last a lifetime. Past visits to Berlin have complemented our work on the capital's history and culture. There is also the opportunity to get involved in a number of extra-curricular clubs.

What can German lead to?

Many of our students continue to study languages at higher education. Whether on their own, or as part of an arts subjects combination, a business combination with an international element or to add diversity to a social scientific or legal degree. Employers look for linguists not just for their practical language skills, but their cognitive flexibility and analytical skills. Indeed, linguists are one of the most employable graduate categories, leading to work in all kinds of different areas – international business, law, management, marketing, publishing, engineering journalism and living and working abroad to name a few.

"Small teaching groups gives us a great learning environment which is tailored to our individual needs." A-level student.

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