

Name of Course:	German Elementary	Course Book:	Studio 21, A2
Number of Lessons:			

Overview of the course:

This course carries on from the German Beginner Plus course. It is the first part of the A2 level. The course book is supplemented with the teacher's own resources. The emphasis is on enjoyable group activities with carefully scaffolded conversations and improvised acting, role plays, games and singing. Learning is set in the rich cultural context of the German-speaking countries in Europe, including feast days and festivals, current affairs, cartoons, politics, history, art, music, literature and poetry.

The pace and learning is adapted to a level that suits the class and bespoke extension challenges are also given. Topic suggestions and revision requests from the class are encouraged, and homework is set and marked – either collectively or with individual feedback given.

Topics	Language Structure / Grammar Points
Chapter 1 – Living and Learning in Europe	Giving reasons (using “weil”) Comparative and Superlative International words
Chapter 2 – Family life	Possessive Pronouns in Dative case Adjectives in Dative case Subordinate clauses with “dass”
Chapter 3 – Out and about / Travelling	The modal verb “sollen” Phrases with “aber” and “or”
Chapter 4 – Leisure – hobbies and activities	Reflexive pronouns Adverbs of time Verbs with prepositions
Chapter 5 – Media in daily life	Indirect question phrases (using “ob”) Question words
Chapter 6 – Going out	Personal Pronouns in Dative case Relative clauses