



Curriculum for A2.1 Advanced Beginning German 1

Materials: *Schritte International Neu 3+4*, Chapter 1–5; *Kursbuch* (textbook), *Arbeitsbuch* (workbook)

Course Content

Structurally: This course starts the second level A 2. Students will continue to practice structures they have learned so far and expand their knowledge. In this class, students will add reflexive verbs and modal verbs in the past tense. By adding subordinate clauses starting with *weil*, *wenn*, *dass* and *als*, sentences will become increasingly complex. Students will study two-way prepositions and comparative and superlative forms.

Functionally: Students will continue to expand their vocabulary to talk about topics of personal interest, as well as feelings and assumptions. They will learn to compare things and use new structures to add details. They will also learn how to describe their workplace and talk about fitness.

Objectives

At the end of A 2.1, students will be able to talk about their personal lives and offer some details. They will start to learn how to express emotions in their speaking. They can interact in a simple way—provided the other person talks slowly and clearly and is prepared to help.

Questions?

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