

GCSE German (Pearson Edexcel) Revision Checklist

Pearson Edexcel Specification



BBC Bitesize Revision



1. My Personal World

- Describe family members and relationships
- Talk about friendships and personality
- Discuss future relationships and marriage
- Use present and future tenses accurately
- Use possessive adjectives
- Justify opinions using weil/denn

2. Lifestyle and Wellbeing

- Talk about sports and hobbies
- Express likes/dislikes and frequency
- Describe healthy and unhealthy lifestyles
- Discuss diet and food
- Give advice using modal verbs
- Talk about health issues

3. My Neighbourhood

- Describe local area and facilities
- Use es gibt correctly
- Discuss transport
- Shopping transactions
- Use formal language (Sie)
- Give opinions

4. Media and Technology

- Social media use
- Technology pros and cons
- Music, TV, film
- Complex opinions
- Range of connectives

5. Studying and My Future

- School subjects
- Opinions with reasons
- Work experience
- Career plans
- Future and conditional

6. Travel and Tourism

- Past holidays (perfect tense)
- Destinations and activities
- Holiday problems
- Future travel

- Accommodation
- Booking situations

Grammar (Edexcel Specification)

- Present tense (regular/irregular + separable verbs)
- Perfect tense (haben/sein + past participle)
- Imperfect (war, hatte)
- Future (werden + infinitive)
- Modal verbs (können, müssen, wollen, dürfen, sollen)
- Word order (verb second rule)
- Subordinate clauses (weil, dass, obwohl, wenn)
- Questions (inversion + question words)
- Negatives (nicht vs kein)
- Nouns (gender + plurals)
- Articles (definite/indefinite)
- Cases (nominative, accusative, dative awareness)
- Adjectives (basic agreement)
- Pronouns (ich, mich, mir)
- Prepositions (accusative & dative)
- Comparatives/superlatives
- Time phrases
- Connectives (aber, weil, obwohl, deshalb)

Exam Skills

- Understand question words
- Recognise tenses

- Extended writing
- Use range of vocabulary
- Opinions + justifications
- Check spelling
- Translation German to English
- Translation English to German

Speaking: Role Play

- Give and receive information
- Make transactions
- Make plans/reservations
- Explain and give reasons
- Describe
- Express opinions
- Ask for advice
- Make complaints
- Talk about activities

Role Play Settings

- Café / restaurant
- Shop / market
- Hotel
- Train station
- Tourist information office
- Cinema / theatre
- Campsite

Leisure centre

Doctor / hospital

In town