

Course Syllabus

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| 1. Program of Study | Bachelor of Arts
Bachelor of Science
Bachelor of Business Administration
Bachelor of Nursing Science |
| Faculty/Institute/College | Mahidol University International College |
| 2. Course Code ICLG 212 | Course Name Pre- intermediate German II |
| 3. Number of Credits | 4 (4 - 0) |
| 4. Prerequisite (s) | ICLG 211 |
| 5. Type of Course | required |
| 6. Trimester/Academic Year | Trimester 2 / Every year |

7. **Course Description**

More complex grammar and vocabulary allowing the students to hold a short conversation, ask for, understand and offer information in a broader variety of familiar topics, read more elaborate texts, and write longer letters or narratives.

8. **Course Objective (s)**

At the end of a unit the students will master the following skills:

Unit 4:

Language skills

how to:

- Conduct a conversation about car repair;
- State facts about car production and jobs around cars;
- Reflect working conditions in average German families compared to Thai families;
- Express job preferences.

Grammar

- Comparative and superlative;
- Passive voice.

Unit 5:

Language skills

how to:

- Express preferences concerning other persons;
- Listen to opinions about marriage and children;

- Report other person's opinions, judgments and prejudice ;
- Read and understand children's judgment of their families;
- Structure a statement about free time in German and Thai families;
- Read and summarize a press article.

Grammar

- Dependent "dass" - clauses;
- Past tense (regular and irregular verbs).

Unit 6:

Language skills

how to:

- State facts about weather patterns in Thailand and German speaking countries and relate free time activities and weather;
- Express likes and dislikes about weather and state reasons;
- State facts about Germany by means of print- and electronic media;
- Develop a quiz about German geography;
- State facts about garbage and different ways of collection and compare recycling in Thailand and Germany;
- Design and conduct interviews regarding garbage.

Grammar

- Personal pronoun "es";
- Relative sentences and relative pronouns.

9. Course Outline

Week	Topic		Instructor
	Lecture	Hour	
1	Presentation of the course Unit 4 part 1	4	Assigned section instructor
2	part 2	4	"
3	part 3	4	"
4	part 4 / Quiz 1	4	"
5	Unit 5 part 1	4	"
6	part 2	4	"
7	part 3 / Quiz 2	4	"
8	Unit 6 part 1	4	"
9	part 2	4	"
10	part 3	4	"
11	Review	4	"
	total	44	

N.B. The Coordinator reserves the right to change topics when appropriate.

10. Teaching Method (s)

Lecture, exercises, teamwork and self-study.

11. Teaching Media

Textbook *Themen Neu* (Volume 2, Chapter 4-6), additional teaching materials (transparencies, work-sheets, computerized AV – material).

12. Measurement and evaluation of student achievement

MUIC standard grading criteria: 90 % and above will have Grade A.

13. Course evaluation

1. 2 Quizzes : 50 %
2. Final Examination : 50 %

14. Reference (s)

Common European Framework of Reference for Languages
www.coe.int

15. Instructor (s)

Mr. Thomas Krey
Ms. Ute Bäuchl

16. Course Coordinator

Mr. Thomas Krey