

NCEA Level 3 German Vocabulary List

Appendix for external assessment

Texts for Achievement Standards

- 3.1 Demonstrate understanding of a variety of extended spoken German texts.
- 3.4 Demonstrate understanding of a variety of extended written / visual German texts.

These reflect the achievement objectives for levels 7 and 8 for Learning Languages:

- Communicate information, ideas, and opinions through increasingly complex and varied texts.
- Understand texts which explore the views of others, and which develop and share personal perspectives.

Students will be expected to identify linguistic and cultural forms that guide interpretation of texts. This will involve understanding information, ideas and opinions through increasingly complex and varied texts.

Level 3 texts will be based on both concrete and abstract matters and may develop a line of argument. Texts will be about reasonably familiar contexts and will reflect the relationship between language and culture and be adapted as appropriate.

The standards can be accessed here: www.nzqa.govt.nz/german

Notes to teachers

Students are expected to be able to recognise:

- where a noun, adverb or adjective can easily be constructed from the verb or vice versa
- obvious cognates and loan words.

For the purpose of external Level 3 assessments the examiner will not be restricted by the list below. In addition to this and in accordance with the curriculum, students at Level 3 may be expected to make informed guesses about unfamiliar words using context and prior knowledge.

Note for internal assessments

This appendix applies only to language used for the two end-of-year reading and listening external assessments. The language which students will use to communicate in **internal** assessment activities and associated learning opportunities throughout the year will necessarily reflect the German teaching and learning that takes place within the context of each particular classroom and cannot and should not, therefore, be restricted to solely the language and useful expressions contained in this appendix.

A		
	anerkennen	to recognize
sich	anpassen	to adapt, conform
	anpassungsfähig	adaptable
das	Asyl	(political) asylum
der	Asylbewerber	asylum seeker
B		
	bedauern	to regret
	Bedrohen	to threaten
	begründen	to prove, give reasons for
	behaupten	to assert, claim
die	Behörde	authority
	benachteiligen	to discriminate against, put at a disadvantage
	beurteilen	to judge
	beweisen	to prove
	beziehungsweise (bzw.)	and... respectively
D		
die	Demokratie	democracy
	demonstrieren	to demonstrate, protest
E		
	ehemalig	former
	einrichten	to arrange, install, establish
	einsehen	to realize
der	Empfang	reception
	entschlossen	determined
sich	erkundigen	to find out about, get information
	erwähnen	to mention
F		
der	Feind	enemy
	fliehen	to flee
die	Flucht	flight, escape
der	Flüchtling	refugee
	fordern	to demand
der	Frieden	peace
G		
der	Gedanke	thought
das	Geräusch	noise
die	Gesellschaft	society
das	Gesetz	law
die	Gewerkschaft	trade union
	gleichberechtigt	having equal rights
	gründlich	thorough
H		
	heutzutage	nowadays
I		
	insgesamt	altogether, in total
J		
	jährlich	annual
	jedenfalls	in any case
K		
die	Konkurrenz	competition

L		
die	Landwirtschaft	agriculture
M		
die	Macht	power
	mächtig	powerful
der	Mangel an (+Dat.)	lack of, shortage of
die	Menschheit	humanity, human kind
die	Mühe	effort, trouble
N		
	nachdenken	to consider
die	Not	emergency
O		
	öffentlich	public
P		
die	Partei	political party
die	Politik	politics
R		
die	Regierung	government
	Rücksicht nehmen auf (+ Acc.)	to show consideration for
S		
	schaden (+ Dat.)	to damage
	schädlich	harmful
das	Schicksal	fate
der	Sinn	meaning, sense
	sogar	even
der	Staat	state, country
T		
	täglich	daily
die	Tatsache	fact
	tatsächlich	actual, in fact
U		
	überlegen	to consider, reflect
	überzeugen	to convince
	üblich	usual
	übrigens	by the way
	umgekehrt	reversed, other way around
der	Unsinn	nonsense
sich	unterscheiden	to be different
das	Urteil	verdict
V		
die	Vereinigung	unification
die	Vergangenheit	past
	vernachlässigen	to neglect
	versichern	to make sure, insure
sich	versöhnen mit (+ Dat.)	to be reconciled, make up
	verursachen	to cause
das	Vorurteil	prejudice
W		
das	Wahlrecht	right to vote
der	Wehrdienst	military service
der	Wettbewerb	competition

die	Wirkung	effect
die	Wirtschaft	economy
Z		
der	Zivildienst	community service
	zufällig	accidental, by chance
	zugeben	to admit
	zugleich	at the same time
	zweifeln	to doubt
	zwingen	to force

Expressions

A		
es ist allerdings sehr kalt		it is very cold, though
im Allgemeinen		in general
es kommt drauf an		it depends
D		
dagegen ist dieses Gericht sehr lecker		on the other hand, this dish is very yummy
im Durchschnitt		on average
G		
im Gegenteil		on the contrary
es ist mir gelungen , einen Job zu finden		I succeeded in finding a job
aus diesem Grund		for this reason
N		
ich habe nämlich keine Ahnung		in fact, I have got no idea
R		
in der Regel		as a rule
U		
unter keinen Umständen		under no circumstances
unter anderem		amongst other things
V		
vor allem		about (above) all
W		
auf diese Weise		in this way