

<b>Module Code:</b>	LG-1403		
<b>Module Title:</b>	German I		
<b>Type of Module:</b>	Breadth		
<b>Modular Credits:</b>	4	<b>Student Workload :</b>	8 hours per week
		<b>Contact hours:</b>	4 hours per week
<b>Prerequisite:</b>	None		
<b>Anti-requisite:</b>			
<b>Aims/Objectives/Rationale:</b>			
<p>This module is designed to provide learners with a foundation in German vocabulary and grammar as well as an introduction to the German-speaking cultures. Learners will learn to communicate in German using the four basic skills of listening, speaking, writing, and reading. In addition, through video clips, readings, and lectures, they will be introduced to various aspects of culture in German-speaking countries. The focus of this module is on building vocabulary and sharpening listening skills.</p>			
<b>Module Content:</b>			
<p>This module is based on a varied approach. Classes include textbook work, grammar exercises, conversation practice, pronunciation drills, interactive computer exercises and language games. Some of the situational contexts include: descriptions of people and things, introduction and greetings, time, food and drinks, directions and places, and daily routines and leisure.</p> <p>In addition, learners are expected to complete weekly regular homework and to supplement classroom learning with a combination of paired work, small group interaction, whole class and includes the use of technology to support and enhance learning in a nurturing and non-threatening environment. This module covers material in <i>Kontakte</i> (5th Edition) and also utilises activities with CDs.</p>			
<b>Assessment:</b>	<b>Examination (2 hrs) :</b>	<b>40%</b>	<b>Coursework: 60%</b> <i>Listening Skills</i> 1. <i>Mid Term</i> 10% 2. <i>End of Semester</i> 10% <i>Oral Skills</i> 1. <i>Performance in class</i> 10% 2. <i>Oral interview</i> 10% <i>Reading &amp; Writing Skills</i> 20%
<b>Textbook(s)/References:</b>			
<u>Note:</u> Specially created/collated materials			