

**Unsere Geschichten, Level 3**  
**Scope & Sequence**

**Einheit 1: Was ist Kunst?**

**AP® Theme & Subtheme - Beauty and Aesthetics: Visual Arts and Architecture**

**Essential Questions**

What is considered art?

How can art unite people?

How does art help us learn about other people?

How can we use art to change perspectives?

What can artworks tell us about a culture or society?

How is art infused in our daily life?

**Grammar**

Contractions Relative Pronouns	Compound Nouns
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**Target Structures**

***Was ist Kunst?***

<b><i>Gesichter</i></b>	faces
<b><i>Perspektive wechseln</i></b>	to change perspective (seine Meinung ändern = to change one's mind)
<b><i>Vase</i></b>	vase
<b><i>Artikel</i></b>	article (in a newspaper)
<b><i>Schreibtisch</i></b>	desk
<b><i>Schönheit im Alltag</i></b>	beauty in everyday life
<b><i>Redaktion</i></b>	newsroom
<b><i>Vortrag</i></b>	lecture/presentation
<b><i>in Großstädten</i></b>	in big cities
<b><i>Grünflächen</i></b>	green areas/surfaces
<b><i>Pflanzen pflanzen</i></b>	to plant plants
<b><i>Geschichten durch Kunst erzählen</i></b>	tell stories through art

***Hilfreiche Verben***

<b><i>eine Frage stellen</i></b>	ask a question
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<i>ins Ausland gehen</i>	go abroad
<i>nimmt einen Schluck</i>	takes a sip

**Weitere hilfreiche Worte und Ausdrücke**

<i>auf dem Kopf</i>	upside down
<i>du hast Recht</i>	you are right
<i>ich verstehe nicht, warum ...</i>	I don't understand why...
<i>sie bedankt sich bei ...</i>	she gives thanks to...
<i>für mich</i>	for me
<i>es ist wichtig, dass ...</i>	it's important that...
<i>eine Person hebt ihre Hand</i>	a person raises their hand
<i>das führt dazu, dass ...</i>	that leads to...
<i>gute Nachricht</i>	good news
<i>das klingt</i>	that sounds
<i>Kühe</i>	cows
<i>Botschaft</i>	message

**Einheit 2: Grenzen überschreiten**

**AP® Theme & Subtheme - Families and Communities: Urban, Suburban, and Rural Life**

**Essential Questions**

- What are some differences between urban and rural life?
- How does one's environment affect their development and perspective?
- How are urban and rural lifestyles portrayed in the media?
- How does where you live affect the opportunities available to you?

**Grammar**

Verb Preposition Combinations - Accusative Case German Words with multiple Meanings	Verb Preposition Combinations - Dative Case
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**Target Structures**

***Grenzen überschreiten***

<i>Jobmöglichkeiten</i>	job opportunities
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<i>Leben am Land</i>	life in the countryside
<i>Unternehmen</i>	company
<i>Stelle</i>	job, post/position
<i>entspannt</i>	relaxed
<i>das ist typisch Stadt</i>	that's typical of the city
<i>in Pension</i>	in retirement
<i>Aufgabe</i>	task
<i>Gäste</i>	customers/clients
<i>Nachhilfe</i>	tutoring
<i>benachteiligten Kinder</i>	disadvantaged children
<i>priviligiert</i>	privileged

#### ***Hilfreiche Verben***

<i>sie sprechen über</i>	they talk about
<i>stellen viele Fragen</i>	(they) ask a lot of questions
<i>spaziert</i>	(s/he) walks/strolls
<i>er hat es geliebt</i>	he loved to

#### ***Weitere hilfreiche Worte und Ausdrücke***

<i>ich bin für dich da</i>	I'm here/there for you
<i>ich hätte nicht gedacht, dass</i>	I wouldn't have thought that
<i>zufrieden</i>	satisfied
<i>gekündigt</i>	quit
<i>überflüssig</i>	unnecessary, needless
<i>fällt ihm leicht</i>	is easy for him
<i>Mensa</i>	cafeteria
<i>Sie können nichts dafür.</i>	It's not their fault.

### Einheit 3: Vorwärtsbewegung

#### AP® Theme & Subtheme - Science and Technology: Transportation

#### Essential Questions

What are the benefits of travel?

Why do people move to new places?

In what ways can improved modes of transportation impact a person's life?

#### Grammar

<i>wieder vs. wider</i>	<i>Weil vs. denn</i>
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#### Target Structures

##### *Vorwärtsbewegung*

<i>öffentlichen Verkehrsmittel</i>	public transport
<i>ihren Sitzplatz</i>	her seat
<i>viele Leute</i>	a lot of people
<i>Landschaft</i>	landscape
<i>pendelt</i>	(s/he) commutes
<i>sie steht im Stau</i>	she's caught up in a traffic jam
<i>nach Vaduz ziehen</i>	move to Vaduz
<i>Wissenschaft</i>	science
<i>selbstfahrend</i>	self-driving, autonomous
<i>nachhaltig</i>	sustainable

##### *Hilfreiche Verben*

<i>freut sich</i>	(s/he) is happy
<i>besuchen</i>	to visit
<i>schützen</i>	to protect

##### *Weitere hilfreiche Worte und Ausdrücke*

<i>ein bisschen nervös</i>	a little bit nervous
<i>Gugelhupf</i>	Bundt cake

<i>wie jeden Tag</i>	like every day
<i>mehr als zwei Stunden</i>	more than two hours
<i>Ich habe es so satt ...</i>	I'm so fed up with/tired of...
<i>Traum</i>	dream
<i>er weiß nicht, was ...</i>	he doesn't know what...
<i>Messe</i>	fair, exhibition
<i>hat Schluss gemacht</i>	(s/he) broke up with him
<i>etwas, das ihn glücklich macht</i>	something that makes him happy
<i>kann es kaum glauben</i>	(I; s/he) can hardly believe it
<i>Meeresschildkröte</i>	sea turtle
<i>freiwillig</i>	voluntarily

### **Einheit 4: Ein voller Erfolg!**

**AP® Theme & Subtheme - Global Challenges: Economic Issues**

#### **Essential Questions**

How does culture affect business?

How does where you are from influence your identity?

How are challenges in Germany different from challenges where you live?

#### **Grammar**

The Genitive Case	Demonstrative Pronoun <i>diese</i>
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#### **Target Structures**

##### ***Ein voller Erfolg!***

<i>Lage</i>	location
<i>alles richtig gemacht</i>	did everything right (past participle)
<i>gemeinsam eine Lösung finden</i>	to find a solution together
<i>Zielgruppe</i>	target group
<i>wurde er gekündigt</i>	he was let go
<i>Fabrik</i>	factory
<i>ein gutes Einkommen</i>	a good income

<i>Rechnungen bezahlen</i>	to pay bills
<i>erfolgreich</i>	successful
<i>Obdachlose</i>	homeless
<i>lebenswert</i>	livable/worth living
<i>auf der Straße leben</i>	to live on the streets
<i>Gib nicht auf!</i>	Don't give up!

### *Hilfreiche Verben*

<i>runzelt die Stirn</i>	(s/he) frowns
<i>gestorben</i>	died
<i>verloren</i>	lost
<i>probiert</i>	tried out (past participle)
<i>macht sich Sorgen</i>	(s/he) worries

### *Weitere hilfreiche Worte und Ausdrücke*

<i>ein Zimmer in seinem Hotel buchen</i>	to book a room in his hotel
<i>keine Buchungen</i>	no bookings
<i>es ist nicht klar</i>	it's not clear
<i>Eine Maschine hat ihn ersetzt</i>	he was replaced by a machine
<i>verzweifelt</i>	desperate
<i>er fragt sie, was ...</i>	he asks them what...
<i>wahrscheinlich sind sie zu faul</i>	they're probably too lazy
<i>er schämt sich</i>	he is ashamed
<i>Speise</i>	dish
<i>Rezept</i>	recipe
<i>köstlich</i>	delicious
<i>gemein</i>	mean, nasty, cruel

### Einheit 5: Die Arbeit ruft!

AP® Theme & Subtheme - Contemporary Life: Education and Careers

#### Essential Questions

How do I prepare for my future work?

In which careers would it be a benefit to know a world language?

Is education a right or a privilege?

#### Grammar

Adjectives Endings with <i>ein</i> words Using the word <i>als</i>	<i>ein paar</i> vs. <i>ein Paar</i>
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#### Target Structures

##### *Die Arbeit ruft!*

<i>schaffen</i>	to manage
<i>Gefühl</i>	feeling
<i>Ziel</i>	goal, objective
<i>inskribieren</i>	to register, enroll
<i>Rede</i>	speech
<i>Besprechung</i>	meeting
<i>Vortrag</i>	lecture/presentation
<i>Gehirnforschung</i>	brain research
<i>Wissen weitergeben</i>	to pass on knowledge
<i>Zugang zu Bildung</i>	access to education
<i>angesehen</i>	esteemed, distinguished
<i>gekündigt</i>	let go, dismissed
<i>ein sicherer Job</i>	a secure job
<i>große Leidenschaft</i>	great passion
<i>Bewerbungsgespräch</i>	job interview

##### *Hilfreiche Verben*

<i>weint</i>	(s/he) cries
<i>heiraten</i>	to marry (someone), to get married

<i>er ärgert sich</i>	he is angry/upset
<i>zweifelt</i>	(s/he) doubts
<i>zeichnen</i>	to draw

***Weitere hilfreiche Worte und Ausdrücke***

<i>ausgezeichnet</i>	excellent
<i>es war immer schwierig</i>	it was always difficult
<i>Lebensstil ist nicht gesund</i>	(my/your/her/his/our/their) lifestyle is not healthy
<i>kann nicht mehr</i>	(I, s/he) can't anymore
<i>möchte sich mit Brian und seiner Familie unterhalten</i>	(s/he) would like to talk to Brian and his family
<i>er atmet noch einmal tief durch</i>	he takes another deep breath
<i>Los geht's!</i>	Let's go!
<i>Eintritt verlangen</i>	to charge an entrance fee
<i>ihre Meinung zu sagen</i>	to give her opinion
<i>schüchtern</i>	shy, timid
<i>Gebäude</i>	building
<i>das geht nicht</i>	that's not possible
<i>hinter seinem Rücken</i>	behind his back

**Einheit 6: Neue Herausforderungen, neue Möglichkeiten**

**AP® Theme & Subtheme - Personal and Public Identities: Stereotypes and Generational Issues**

**Essential Questions**

What is the role of a global citizen when faced with injustice in other countries?

How does a global citizen react to social inequality in a new environment?

How do the perspectives of progress and conservation of other countries differ from the perspectives of your country?

How do the perspectives of progress and social change vary from one generation to the next?

What important lessons can we learn from previous generations?

**Grammar**

Adjectives Endings Comparative and Superlative Forms	<i>Das und dass</i>
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## Target Structures

### *Neue Herausforderungen, neue Möglichkeiten*

<i>Sie beklagen sich, dass ...</i>	they complain that...
<i>alles Alte</i>	everything old
<i>Massenmedien</i>	mass media
<i>damals</i>	(back) then
<i>sein Leben anders leben soll</i>	should live his life differently
<i>sich ausdrücken</i>	to express oneself
<i>Tu, was du liebst!</i>	Do what you love!
<i>traut</i>	(s/he) dares to do something (reflexive verb: sich trauen)
<i>Bewusstsein schaffen</i>	to raise awareness
<i>falsch verstanden</i>	misunderstood
<i>gemobbt und ausgelacht</i>	bullied and laughed at
<i>sich selbst zu lieben</i>	to love oneself
<i>ungerecht</i>	unfair, unjust
<i>Opfer</i>	victim
<i>ihre Stimme nutzen</i>	to use her voice
<i>sich selbst nicht gemocht und sich gewünscht, anders zu sein</i>	did not like herself/himself and wished to be different

### *Hilfreiche Verben*

<i>moderieren</i>	to host (a TV show)
<i>schüttelt den Kopf</i>	(s/he) shakes his/her head
<i>freut sich sehr</i>	(s/he) is very happy/is very excited
<i>Bienen schützen</i>	to protect bees
<i>schaut in ihr Handy</i>	looks at her phone

### *Weitere hilfreiche Worte und Ausdrücke*

<i>Publikum</i>	audience
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<i>Sendung</i>	show, program
<i>Karriere</i>	career (usually used with "machen": Karriere machen)
<i>Notizbuch</i>	notebook
<i>Geschichten und Gedichte</i>	stories and poems
<i>vielversprechend</i>	promising
<i>Umweltschutz</i>	protection of the environment
<i>allein am Tisch</i>	alone at the table
<i>großartig</i>	great
<i>ungeduldig</i>	impatient(ly)
<i>Krankheit</i>	disease, illness