

# Teaching and Timetable Secondary Level 1



In accordance with the specific profile of our school, we place the subject and pedagogical focus of our lessons on bilingual education in German and English as well as broadening mathematical and scientific topics, and their use in questions and areas relating to careers and everyday life.

We base our timetable on the standard Berliner Rahmenlehrplan (Berlin curriculum) and the Berliner Studentafel (Berlin timetable) of the Gymnasium. We complement this timetable by placing emphasis on the following:

- Years 7 to 10: an additional weekly English lesson
- Years 7 and 8: two additional weekly Natural Sciences lessons (divided into the subjects Biology, Chemistry and Physics)
- Years 9 and 10: an additional weekly Spanish lesson
- Economy/Work/Technology – Basic education in these subject areas as well as active vocational and study orientation
- 10 to 12 project days per year in our school and outside of school

Elective subjects are removed because the students cover a variety of different themes on our project days.

Subject teaching is spread across the four secondary school years and is taught equally in both English and in German. The ratio of teaching in German/English can vary between individual year levels.

Subject	Years	
	7 and 8	9 and 10
German	4	4
English – 1 <sup>st</sup> foreign language	4	4
Mathematics	4	4
Spanish – 2 <sup>nd</sup> foreign language	4	4
Biology	2	2
Physics	2	2
Chemistry	2	2
History	1	2
Political Education	2	2
Geography	1	1
Ethics	2	2
Music	1	1
Art	1	1
Physical Education	3	3
Economics / Work / Technology (WAT)	2	1
<b>Weekly hours</b>	<b>35</b>	