

# German 401

## German through Critical Contemporary Topics

### Tentative & Incomplete Course Schedule

|    | Class Date       | Topic                      | Assignments & materials                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |
|----|------------------|----------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| W1 | <b>We SEP 6</b>  | Soziale Klassen und Lernen |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |
|    | Sa SEP 9         | Freunde                    | Mini summary über vonLaffert, Bartholomäus (2020). <i>Respekt! Crystal und Christoph sind politisch völlig anderer Meinung und trotzdem Freunde</i> . Fluter, 77, 10–12. <a href="https://www.fluter.de/freunde-unterschiedliche-meinung">https://www.fluter.de/freunde-unterschiedliche-meinung</a> |
| W2 | <b>Mo SEP 11</b> | Freunde                    |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |
|    | <b>We SEP 13</b> | Freunde                    |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |
|    | Fr SEP 15        |                            | Journal 1                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
|    | Sa SEP 16        | Gender                     | Aufgabe zu Warda, Johanna (2023). <i>Die Entdeckung des Patriarchats</i> . <a href="https://www.fluter.de/barbie-film-feminismus-mattel">https://www.fluter.de/barbie-film-feminismus-mattel</a> .                                                                                                   |
|    | Su SEP 17        |                            | (Journal 2 Part 1)                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |
| W3 | <b>Mo SEP 18</b> | Gender                     |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |
|    | <b>We SEP 20</b> | Gender                     |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |
|    | Sa SEP 23        | Gender                     | Aufgabe zu <i>Männlich oder weiblich? Das dritte Geschlecht</i>   WDR Doku <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=CwN8mjaiSrQ">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=CwN8mjaiSrQ</a>                                                                                                                     |
|    | Su SEP 24        |                            | (Journal 2 Part 2)                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |
| W4 | <b>Mo SEP 25</b> | Gender                     |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |
|    | <b>We SEP 27</b> | Gender                     |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |
|    | Fr SEP 29        |                            | Journal 2 (weeks 2, 3, 4)                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
| W5 | Holiday          |                            |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |
|    | <b>We OCT 4</b>  | Gender                     |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |
|    | Sa OCT 7         | Körper                     | Aufgabe zu Bachmann, Anna-Theresa (2023). <i>Mehr als Kosmetik</i> . <a href="https://www.fluter.de/prothesen-cover-bergkarabach">https://www.fluter.de/prothesen-cover-bergkarabach</a>                                                                                                             |
|    | Su OCT 8         |                            | (Journal 3 Part 1)                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |

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| W6  | Holiday                |        |                                              |
|     | <b>We OCT 11</b>       | Körper |                                              |
|     | <b>Th OCT 12</b>       | Körper |                                              |
|     | Sa OCT 14<br>Su OCT 15 | Tba    | Aufgabe (mini summary)<br>(Journal 3 Part 2) |
| W7  | <b>Mo OCT 16</b>       | Tba    |                                              |
|     | <b>We OCT 18</b>       | Tba    |                                              |
|     | Fr OCT 20              |        | Journal 3 (weeks 5, 6, 7)                    |
|     | Sa OCT 21              | Tba    | Aufgabe (mini summary)                       |
| W8  | <b>Mo OCT 23</b>       | Tba    |                                              |
|     | <b>We OCT 25</b>       | Tba    |                                              |
|     | Sa OCT 28<br>Su OCT 29 | Tba    | Aufgabe (mini summary)<br>(Journal 4 Part 1) |
| W9  | <b>Mo OCT 30</b>       | Tba    |                                              |
|     | <b>We NOV 1</b>        | Tba    |                                              |
|     | Sa NOV 4<br>Su NOV 5   | Tba    | Aufgabe (mini summary)<br>(Journal 4 Part 2) |
| W10 | <b>Mo NOV 6</b>        | Tba    |                                              |
|     | <b>We NOV 8</b>        | Tba    |                                              |
|     | Fr NOV 10              |        | Journal 4 (weeks 8, 9, 10)                   |
|     | <i>Break</i>           |        |                                              |
|     | Sa NOV 18              | Tba    | Aufgabe (mini summary)                       |
| W11 | <b>Mo NOV 20</b>       | Tba    |                                              |
|     | <b>We NOV 22</b>       | Tba    |                                              |
|     | Sa NOV 25<br>Su NOV 26 | Tba    | Aufgabe (mini summary)<br>(Journal 5 Part 1) |
| W12 | <b>Mo NOV 27</b>       | Tba    |                                              |
|     | <b>We NOV 29</b>       | Tba    |                                              |

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|     | Fr DEC 1        |                       | Journal 5 (weeks 11,12 with one small project)                                                         |
| W13 | <b>Mo DEC 4</b> | Student Presentations |                                                                                                        |
|     | <b>We DEC 6</b> | Student Presentations |                                                                                                        |
|     | We DEC 13       |                       | Last journal entry: reflective essay (on journaling, on learning, on future as language learner, etc.) |







