

	Section	Texts	Central skills
Theme 1 The individual and society			
16	Intro	Cartoon maps, diagram Two speeches by <i>Justin Trudeau</i> and <i>Michael D. Higgins</i> (videos)	Speaking Viewing
18	WordPool	Informative text	Working on vocabulary
Part A Irish identity			
20	Facts	Introduction to Ireland Three songs (lyrics and audios), informative text	Listening Speaking
22	Workshop: Analysing narrative perspective	Newspaper article, photo The green road by <i>Ann Enright</i> (novel extract) Love my enemy by <i>Kate MacLachlan</i> (novel extract)	Speaking Writing a comment Intercultural learning Writing a discussion Creative writing
28	Texts	Irish clichés: All Guinness and leprechauns? Two videos Land of drunks, poets, friendly fans. How true are Irish clichés? by <i>Darragh Murphy</i> (newspaper article)	Viewing Intercultural learning Creative writing
30		Mediation: National identity in Germany Warum „Heimat“ plötzlich wieder in ist by <i>Gregor Tholl</i> (German online article)	Intercultural learning Mediation Writing a blog post
31	Advanced texts	The individual and Irish society Leo Varadkar is Ireland's new prime minister. He's also openly gay and an immigrant's son. by <i>Lindsay Maizland</i> (online article) Abortion in Ireland: The fight for choice by <i>Joel Gunter</i> (online article)	Reading Working on vocabulary Writing a discussion
Part B Canadian identity			
34	Facts	Introduction to Canada Informative text	
35	Workshop: Rewriting from a different perspective	Radio report, two photos As long as the rivers flow by <i>James Bartleman</i> (novel extracts)	Listening Creative writing
40	Texts	What it means to be Canadian Song (video) Canada 150: What does it mean to be Canadian today? by <i>Gavin Hewitt</i> (online article)	Viewing Writing a comment Writing a discussion

	Section	Texts	Central skills
42	Advanced texts	Gender identity Video <i>For today I am a boy</i> by <i>Kim Fu</i> (two novel extracts)	Viewing Writing a summary Intercultural learning Writing a comment
44		Language issues Map, video <i>Referendum</i> by <i>Sonnet L'Abbé</i> (poem)	Viewing Writing a speech

Theme 2 Science and technology

46	Intro	Ethical questions	Speaking
48	WordPool	Informative text	Working on vocabulary Viewing Language awareness

Part A Chances and risks

50	Workshop: Understanding and summarizing texts	Radio programme, two poems, book front and back cover, review <i>Homo Deus</i> by <i>Yuval Noah Harari</i> (non-fiction text)	Listening Speaking Reading strategies Writing a summary
55	Texts	Driverless cars – debating an ethical dilemma Why self-driving cars must be programmed to kill (online article) Diagram	Speaking Having a debate
57	Advanced texts	Artificial intelligence – friend or foe? Quotation by <i>I.J. Good</i> , two diagrams <i>Life 3.0</i> by <i>Max Tegmark</i> (non-fiction text)	Speaking
60		Cyborgs – merging humans and machines Four photos <i>The age of cyborgs has arrived</i> by <i>Vanessa Bates Ramirez</i> (online article)	Working on vocabulary Writing a letter to the editor

Part B Literary visions of the future

62	Workshop: Analysing atmosphere	<i>Never let me go</i> (film extract) <i>Never let me go</i> by <i>Kazuo Ishiguro</i> (novel extracts) News report (video), extract from a newspaper article	Viewing Language awareness Writing a summary Writing a discussion
68	Texts	Life in the future – just a virtual reality? <i>Ready player one</i> by <i>Ernest Cline</i> (novel extract)	Speaking Writing an article Writing a short speech Language awareness Creative writing

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70	Advanced texts	What is the true meaning of equality? <i>Harrison Bergeron</i> by Kurt Vonnegut, Jr. (short story)	Language awareness Speaking
73		AI – the end of humanity? Informative video <i>Ex Machina</i> (three film extracts)	Viewing Working on vocabulary

Theme 3 The media

74	Intro	Photos, dictionary definition, diagram	Writing a definition Working on vocabulary
76	WordPool	Informative text, photos	Working on vocabulary

Part A Opinion-makers

78	Texts	Media literacy Factors influencing public opinion (from the <i>Encyclopedia Britannica</i>) Information on media literacy	Speaking Writing a summary
80		Working with statistics Four statistics	Speaking
82	Advanced texts	Filter bubbles and echo chambers The myth of the online echo chamber by David Robson (online article)	Mediation Viewing Writing an article Writing a comment
84		Fake news Informative video Why the invention of the fridge could be responsible for our love of fake news by Ian Leslie (online article)	Viewing Writing a discussion

Part B Living in the digital age

86	Workshop: Analysing a feature film	Nerve (film extracts) Four film stills, extract from a review	Viewing Writing a summary Writing a discussion Creative writing Writing a comment
90	Texts	App crazes Teens Explain Their Obsession With Sarahah, Summer's Hottest Anonymous-Gossip App by Madison Malone Kircher (online article)	Writing a discussion Language awareness
92		Analysing a dystopian novel Cell 7 by Kerry Drewery (three novel extracts)	Language awareness Writing a comment Writing a discussion

	Section	Texts	Central skills
95	Advanced texts	The future of news Statistic The future of news by <i>James Harding</i> (online article)	Speaking

Part C English as a global language

98	Workshop: Mediation	Lustig? Nicht auf Deutsch! by <i>Klaus Ungerer</i> (German newspaper article) Warum Englisch nicht als Weltsprache taugt (German online article)	Mediation Intercultural learning Writing a speech
101	Texts	The global language of the future Statistic Talk by <i>David Crystal</i> (audio)	Listening Writing a discussion
102	Advanced texts	The value of language learning apps Map Are Duolingo Users Actually Learning Anything Useful? by <i>Mike Pearl</i> (online article)	Intercultural learning Creating a flyer
104		The future of English Have we reached peak English in the world? by <i>Nicholas Ostler</i> (newspaper article) What will the English language be like in 100 years? by <i>Simon Horobin</i> (online article)	Creating a timeline Writing a summary Language awareness

Theme 4 Globalization

108	Intro	Photos, informative video	Viewing Working on vocabulary Writing an entry for a young people's encyclopedia
110	WordPool	Informative text, photos	Working on vocabulary

Part A Global responsibility for the environment

112	Workshop: Analysing a speech	Infographic, film trailer Before the flood (extract from a documentary) Speech by <i>Leonardo DiCaprio</i> (audio and transcript) Speech by <i>Barack Obama</i>	Viewing Listening Language awareness Writing a comment
118	Texts	Plastic waste – a growing problem The oceans are drowning in plastic – and no one's paying attention by <i>Dominique Mosbergen</i> (online article)	Designing a poster Language awareness
120	Advanced texts	Preparing to leave planet Earth? The terranauts by <i>T.C. Boyle</i> (two novel extracts) Informative video	Language awareness Creative writing Viewing Writing a comment

	Section	Texts	Central skills
Part B Globalization and the economy			
122	Texts	<p>Globalization and the fashion industry Two infographics, film trailer</p> <p>The Zara workers' protest shows why fast fashion should worry all of us by <i>Daisy Buchanan</i> (newspaper article)</p> <p>Wozu Mode kaufen, wenn man sie mieten kann? by <i>Anne Kohlick</i> (German online article)</p>	<p>Conducting a class survey</p> <p>Viewing</p> <p>Writing a discussion</p> <p>Language awareness</p> <p>Mediation</p> <p>Writing a speech</p>
126	Advanced texts	<p>Globalization defined – and re-defined Quotation by <i>Thomas L. Friedman</i></p> <p>Thank you for being late by <i>Thomas L. Friedman</i> (non-fiction text)</p>	<p>Writing a discussion</p>
127		<p>Backlash – globalization and its discontents Column: Why there's a backlash against globalization and what needs to change by <i>John Rennie Short</i> (online article)</p>	<p>Writing a discussion</p> <p>Writing a comment</p>
Part C Migration and the world of work			
130	Workshop: Writing a comment	<p>Informative video, comment (model text), German-language informative video</p> <p>Transmission by <i>Hari Kunzru</i> (novel extract)</p> <p>The emperor of shoes by <i>Spencer Wise</i> (two novel extracts)</p>	<p>Intercultural learning</p> <p>Viewing</p> <p>Writing a discussion</p> <p>Language awareness</p> <p>Writing a comment</p> <p>Mediation</p>
136	Texts	<p>The future of work Video</p> <p>Homo Deus by <i>Yuval Noah Harari</i> (non-fiction text)</p>	<p>Viewing</p> <p>Writing a comment</p> <p>Language awareness</p> <p>Designing a leaflet</p>
138	Advanced texts	<p>Migration between India and the US: Listening Radio programme</p>	<p>Listening</p>
138		<p>Globalization and migration in an age of accelerations Thank you for being late by <i>Thomas L. Friedman</i> (non-fiction text)</p>	<p>Writing a comment</p>
Part D Living in a globalized world			
140	Workshop: Speaking	<p>Video, three audios, photos</p>	<p>Viewing</p> <p>Giving a three-minute talk</p> <p>Listening</p> <p>Language awareness</p> <p>Speaking: Interview, Monologue, Dialogue</p>

	Section	Texts	Central skills
146	Texts	Globalization – the state of affairs Speech by Barack Obama Two cartoons	Language awareness Writing a speech
148	Advanced texts	Effects of globalization: Working with drama Bodies by Vivienne Franzmann (drama extract)	Writing a discussion

Theme 5 **Britishness**

150	Intro	Photos, comments on Britishness (audio, text)	Speaking Listening
152	WordPool	Informative text	Working on vocabulary

Part A British identity

154	Workshop: Analysing a newspaper article	Brexit is entrenching some dangerous myths about ‘British’ culture by Afua Hirsch (newspaper article) Cartoon The Observer view on Britain becoming mean and narrow-minded (newspaper article)	Writing a very short story Speaking Language awareness
160	Texts	Listening Statements about Britishness (audio)	Listening
160		Viewing Video	Viewing Speaking Producing a video
160		Mediation: Differences in humour Wir sollten Ernst und Humor häufiger mischen (German-language interview)	Speaking Mediation Writing a blog post Intercultural learning
162	Advanced texts	Englishness What It Means to Be English in 2017 by Angus Harrison (online article)	Writing a comment
165		Listening: “Hybrid identities” Radio programme	Listening Intercultural learning

Part B The monarchy and the political system

166	Facts	Introduction to the political system of the United Kingdom Informative text	Intercultural learning
168	Workshop: Writing an opinion piece	Should Britain abolish the monarchy? (online article) Statistics, informative video	Viewing Language awareness Writing an opinion piece

	Section	Texts	Central skills
173	Texts	Analysing a feature film: <i>The Queen</i> Diagram The Queen (two film extracts)	Viewing Writing a discussion
175	Advanced texts	Britain's constitution Britain's unwritten constitution by Robert Blackburn (online article)	Writing a summary Writing a discussion Writing a comment

Part C The many faces of Britain

176	Workshop: Analysing modern poetry	Two quotations The British (serves 60 million) by Benjamin Zephaniah (poem) Listen Mr Oxford don by John Agard (poem: video, text)	Writing a definition Reading strategies Language awareness Writing a poem Mediation Intercultural learning Viewing Writing a comment
181	Texts	Scottishness Statistic The business of being Scottish: Are you one of 50 million? by Lennox Morrison (online article)	Creative writing Intercultural learning Writing a discussion
183	Advanced texts	Class Class descriptions, two character profiles Social class in the 21st century (interview)	Intercultural learning Speaking
186		The North-South divide From the Midlands by Toby Campion (poem: video) The North-South divide is getting worse – because London is sucking all opportunity from the rest of the UK by Juliette Bretan (online article)	Intercultural learning Viewing Writing a summary Language awareness Writing a comment

Theme 6 The American experience

188	Intro	Photos, quotation by Bono	Speaking Writing a comment
190	WordPool	Informative text	Working on vocabulary Language awareness

Part A The American Dream

192	Facts	The American Dream Informative video, informative text	Viewing Creating a timeline Intercultural learning
193	Workshop: Analysing a cartoon	Cartoons	Giving a presentation

	Section	Texts	Central skills
196	Texts	The American Dream in a political speech Speech by <i>Michelle Obama</i>	Language awareness Intercultural learning
198	Advanced texts	American nightmare? Working with newspaper articles Is the American Dream killing us? by <i>Robert J. Samuelson</i> (newspaper article) Trump is killing the American Dream by <i>Kashana Cauley</i> (newspaper article)	Writing a comment
201		Let America be America again – a poem Let America Be America Again by <i>Langston Hughes</i> (poem)	Writing a comment

Part B Culture wars

202	Facts	Contested issues in a diverse country Photos, informative text, four maps	Intercultural learning Creating a map
206	Workshop: Listening	Two radio programmes, photos	Listening Speaking Intercultural learning
209	Texts	The two sides in the US culture wars Confederate flag is a symbol of America's culture wars by <i>Matt K. Lewis</i> (newspaper article)	Intercultural learning Writing a letter to the editor
211	Advanced texts	Mediation: Gun culture Statistic Ex-Schützenfunktionär: Waffenrecht in Deutschland und den USA vergleichbar (German-language interview)	Intercultural learning Mediation
212		US society today: Culture wars or class war? How America's culture wars have evolved into a class war by <i>James Davison Hunter</i> (newspaper article)	Intercultural learning Writing a discussion

Part C African American experiences

214	Facts	African Americans and the struggle for equality Informative text, three quotations America by <i>James M. Whitfield</i> (poem)	Writing a discussion Preparing a presentation
217	Texts	Poems about the African American experience I, Too by <i>Langston Hughes</i> (poem) We Own the Night by <i>Amiri Baraka</i> (poem) Harlem by <i>Langston Hughes</i> (poem) Feeding the Lions by <i>Norman Jordan</i> (poem) Nikki-Rosa by <i>Nikki Giovanni</i> (poem)	Language awareness Writing a comment Writing a poem Preparing a presentation
219		Brothers: Working on a short story Sonny's Blues by <i>James Baldwin</i> (short story extract)	Language awareness Writing a discussion

	Section	Texts	Central skills
220	Texts	Being black in Germany: Mediation Das deutsche Krokodil by <i>Ijoma Mangold</i> (German non-fiction text)	Mediation Intercultural learning Writing an article
222	Advanced texts	The last day in the life of Martin Luther King: Working with a play The Mountaintop by <i>Katori Hall</i> (two drama extracts)	Language awareness Writing a comment

Theme 7 Postcolonial experiences

226	Intro	Two cartoons, map, quotations, informative video, definition	Viewing Speaking
228	WordPool	Informative text	Working on vocabulary

Part A India

230	Workshop: Writing an interior monologue	Informative video Death on Facebook by <i>Claude Forthomme</i> (short story)	Viewing Creative writing Writing a discussion
235	Texts	Women in India Full steam ahead: India's first women-run train station blazes a trail by <i>Annie Banerji</i> (online article)	Intercultural learning Writing an interview
237	Advanced texts	India's caste system today India's caste system is alive and kicking – and maiming and killing by <i>Mari Marcel Thekaekara</i> (newspaper article)	Language awareness Writing a discussion
239		Colonial India: Working with a feature film A passage to India (three film extracts)	Viewing Writing a discussion

Part B Nigeria

240	Facts	Nigeria past and present Two maps, photos, informative text	Intercultural learning Creating a timeline
242	Workshop: Analysing characters	Americanah by <i>Chimamanda Ngozi Adichie</i> (novel extracts)	Intercultural learning Writing a discussion Writing a summary Writing an article
247	Texts	Nigerian poetry Let our voices ring by <i>Efe Paul Azino</i> (poem: audio, text) Becoming by <i>Titilope Sonuga</i> (poem: audio, text)	Listening Language awareness Intercultural learning Creative writing
248		The danger of a single story: Viewing Talk by <i>Chimamanda Ngozi Adichie</i> (video)	Viewing

	Section	Texts	Central skills
249	Advanced texts	Oil production in the Niger Delta <i>Oil on water</i> by <i>Helon Habila</i> (two novel extracts)	Language awareness Writing a commentary
251		Nollywood – Nigeria’s dream factory Three film trailers Nollywood – the making of a film empire by <i>Emily Witt</i> (non-fiction text)	Writing a discussion

Part C Multicultural Britain today

254	Facts	Immigration to Britain Informative text, statistic	Intercultural learning
255	Workshop: Working with a screenplay	My son the fanatic (film extracts) My son the fanatic by <i>Hanif Kureishi</i> (extracts from a screenplay) Two film stills, film trailers	Viewing Writing a summary Language awareness Writing a discussion Writing a comment
262	Texts	Multicultural Britain: Working with cartoons Two cartoons	Speaking
262		Multicultural Britain: Working with a blog post Blog post by <i>Jermain Jackman</i>	Writing a comment
264		British intercultural experiences: Watching a video Poem, video	Viewing
265	Advanced texts	A Jamaican immigrant’s story <i>Small Island</i> by <i>Andrea Levy</i> (novel extract)	Writing a summary Writing a letter Intercultural learning Writing a comment

Theme 8 Shakespeare

268	Intro	Photos, quotations, humorous video	Writing a discussion Viewing
270	WordPool	Informative text	Working on vocabulary
272	Facts	Shakespeare and the world that made him Informative text	

Part A The Shakespeare’s sonnets

274	Workshop: Analysing a Shakespearean sonnet	Sonnet 18 Sonnet 116 Sonnet 130	Listening Language awareness Writing a discussion Creative writing Speaking
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	Section	Texts	Central skills
278	Texts	Pop sonnets We Are Never Ever Getting Back Together by Taylor Swift (song lyrics) Pop sonnet by Erik Didriksen	Writing a comment Creative writing
279	Advanced texts	Relating Shakespeare's sonnets to the place you live Videos	Creating a video
279		Discussion of Sonnet 66 Sonnet 66	Writing a discussion

Part B Shakespearean drama

280	Facts	The theatre in Shakespeare's time Informative text	
281	Workshop: Working with Shakespearean drama	Romeo and Juliet (drama extracts) Romeo and Juliet (video: film extract) Romeo and Juliet (video: theatre performance) Photo	Viewing Reading Dramatic reading Writing a letter Writing a discussion Language awareness Writing a comment
288	Texts	Love at first sonnet Photo, informative video Romeo and Juliet (drama extract)	Viewing
289	Advanced texts	The seven ages of man Video	Writing a comment Creative writing
289		Listening: Could Shakespeare survive in Hollywood? Radio programme	Listening
289		Shakespeare retold: The Taming of the Shrew The Taming of the Shrew (drama extract) Vinegar girl by Anne Tyler (novel extract) Plot summary Shakespeare retold: The Taming of the Shrew (film extract)	Speaking Writing a discussion Writing a comment Writing a speech Viewing
292		Henry V: Shakespeare for managers Henry V (drama extract) Inspirational leadership by Richard Olivier (non-fiction text)	Writing a comment Language awareness Writing a speech

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