

Areas of Learning and Focus Areas

The areas listed help to strengthen various language and culture-related skills. You can reflect on your progress, adopt new perspectives and deepen your understanding of the language through targeted questions and stimuli. Use the document to personalise your tandem work!

1. Vocabulary & Idioms

- New words and terms
- Important idioms, proverbs or colloquial expressions
- Repetition of difficult or new vocabulary

Application: Can I use selected new terms? ...

2. Pronunciation & Intonation

- Focus on difficult sounds
- Rhythm and speech melody
- Listening comprehension training with short audios, videos or songs

Application: How does my pronunciation sound? ...

3. Grammar & Structure

- Word order
- Use of tenses
- Casus and prepositions
- Modal verbs and their meaning

Application: Can I use selected grammar rules correctly in a sentence?...

4. Communication & Speaking Freely

- Small Talk and everyday conversations
- Sharing your opinion and argumentation
- Roleplay to simulate real situations and dialogues
- Sharing of personal experiences

Application: How confident do I feel in a spontaneous conversation? What topics can I communicate well on? ...

5. Cultural Aspects

- Cultural identity
- Intercultural challenges and solutions
- Similarities and differences in communication styles
- Festivities and traditions

Application: How do I deal with cultural misunderstandings? Can I give an example where language and culture are closely interwoven? ...

6. Writing

- Creative writing
- Composing Emails and messages
- Writing summaries or opinion pieces

Application: Can I distinguish between and use different writing styles? How well can I structure my thoughts in writing? ...