



GERMAN STUDENT STUDY CARD #14

GAP-FILLING SKILLS

Introduction

You may find gap-filling exercises in the Reading and/or Use of Language question papers.

Assessment

The gap fill is assessed according to the A02 criterion.

Assessment Objective/s

You are required to respond to written language drawn from a variety of sources.

Skills

Here are some suggestions to help you prepare for this skills area.

- Read the whole text through three times.
- Make sure that you really understand the text.
- Spend time working with the text and translating sentences roughly.
- Look out for the use of nicht and keinen/keine/kein, which can negate a sentence.
- Try and find opposites and synonyms. Some words will be there to make you think. Which word is the best fit to fill the gaps?

