



**S1 - S3 Gaelic Learners**

Unit topics

## Unit 1

- Greetings and common classroom language
- Biographical information i.e. name, age, where a person lives
- Calling someone by their name, e.g. A Dhòmhnail, a Mhàiri
- Age
- Numbers up to 20
- Common placenames in Scotland

## Unit 2

- Likes and dislikes
- School subjects
- Vocabulary relating to school/classroom
- Reasons for liking/disliking things
- Introduction to relevant adjectives

## Unit 3

- Food and drink vocabulary
- Reinforce likes and dislikes
- Requests i.e. Tha mi ag iarraidh, Dè tha thu ag iarraidh?, etc.
- Saying what you would like i.e. Bu toigh leam
- Introduce 'the' with vocabulary relating to food

## Unit 4

- Family and pets vocabulary
- Introduce possessives: mo, do, agam, agad, etc,
- Asking what someone has "A bheil...agad/agaibh?"
- Introduce more appropriate adjectives
- Saying where family members work

## Unit 5

- Comprehensive coverage of the colours
- Cloths
- Further appropriate adjectives
- Saying what colour something is
- Introduce an awareness of change in some adjectives depending on whether the noun is masculine or feminine

## Unit 6

- Numbers → 100 (modern and traditional)
- The time
- Money and prices
- Saying what something costs
- Asking "How many...?"
- Useful adjectives, e.g. cheap, expensive, etc.

## Unit 7

- Hobbies/pastimes
- Places and events
- Saying when and where an event is taking place
- Introduction to verbal nouns, -ing words e.g. playing, singing, etc.
- Introduce the verb "to be" (all forms)

## Unit 8

- Command words (comprehensive)
- Singular and plural commands
- Negative commands

## Unit 9

- Introduce the past tense of regular verbs
- Introduce some irregular verbs

At the end of S2, pupils opt for either Gaelic or German. Pupils who continue with the study of Gaelic will study the following topics:

## Unit 1

- Discussing routines (Bidh mi...)
- Reinforcing 'time' and verbal nouns (-ing words)
- Asking "Cuin a bhios tu...?" (When do you...?)
- Discussing hobbies in more detail

## Unit 2

- Weather
- International placenames
- Saying where you are from

## Unit 3

- Discussing past events in detail
- All irregular verbs

## Unit 4

- Giving directions and locations of places
- Asking where somewhere is
- Introduce: An e...? 'S e and Chan e
- Introduce prepositions with nouns e.g. aig a' phort-adhair

## Unit 5

- Employability - vocabulary and phrases
- Saying what job someone has i.e. 'S e nurs a th' innte
- Saying what you can do i.e 'S urrainn dhomh...
- Saying what you are allowed to do i.e. Faodaidh mi...
- Saying what you need/must do i.e. Feumaidh mi...