

# SAGTA /SAADV Schützenfest Competition 2010 - Umbrella Topic: Thüringen

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<b>Reception Years 1 and 2</b>	Story/legend/fairytale from the state of Thüringen St. Elizabeth of Thuringia. (To be read aloud to the students in English)	None	To entertain and demonstrate what the story is about	None	None	Drawing A4 to A3 size Framed simply with coloured card or paper or mounted on cardboard where appropriate

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<b>Years 3, 4 and 5</b>	Towns in Thüringen	Short statements	To inform	Simple sentences such as Das ist.... Er/Sie/Es ist.... (Ich finde .....	3 to 5 sentences	Poster - A4 to A3 size To include a picture downloaded from a free website or a drawing done by the student

Text Requirements			Suggested examples		
<b>Opening sentence:</b> Name the city			Arnstadt ist eine Stadt in Thüringen.		
<b>Second sentence:</b> Name the building, structure or park			Das ist das Rathaus in Arnstadt.		
<b>Possible 3rd sentence:</b> Describe the whole building, structure or park			Es ist sehr groß und schön.		
<b>Possible 4th sentence:</b> Tell us one special feature of the building, structure or park			Das Rathaus hat einen Balkon.		
<b>Possible 5th sentence:</b> One more sentence of choice about the building, structure or park and/or the whole picture.			Der Balkon ist klein.		



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<b>Years 6 and 7</b>	A specific place/landmark of beauty and/or interest in Thüringen ( <b>not a town!!</b> ) e.g. Die Krämerbrücke in Erfurt.- Bismarck Tower, called the Reuster Turm, is located in Reust. Monumental Cathedral of St. Mary (Dom St. Marien), Severikirche- Die Wartburg	Poem Elfchen	To entertain	Nouns, adjectives, simple verbs	11 words following the prescribed pattern of an "Elfchen"	Poster A4 to A3 size To include a picture downloaded from a free website or a drawing done by the student

A typical Elfchen uses the following pattern:


Row	Number of words	English	Example of an Elfchen
<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	A thought, thing, colour, smell etc.	<b>lang der Weg durch den Wald Hörschel bis nach Blankenstein Rennsteig</b>
<b>2</b>	<b>2</b>	What does it do? What is it?	
<b>3</b>	<b>3</b>	Where, When, Why, How is it?	
<b>4</b>	<b>4</b>	What is happening? What do you think about it?	
<b>5</b>	<b>5</b>	A word to summarise or name the thing or to tell what it produces etc.	



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<b>Year 8</b>	Famous people associated with Thüringen. After completing research on the chosen person, the students are to imagine that they are the person chosen. They are to pick a particular year in that person's life and are to talk about "their" life at that point in time.	Personal Profile Short sentences  	To inform	Use of simple verbs, appropriate nouns, some adjectives. To be written in present tense in 1 <sup>st</sup> person.	6 to 10 sentences of choice	Poster A3 to A2 size To include a picture(s) downloaded from a free website or a drawing(s) done by the student
	<p>Many famous people from all branches of arts and culture have left their traces in the cultural state of Thuringia.</p> <p>Many found Thuringia a good place to spend their lives or to live and work for a while.</p> <p>The most famous ones are</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• the composer Johann Sebastian Bach,</li> <li>• the reformer Martin Luther</li> <li>• Germany's most important poet, Johann Wolfgang von Goethe,</li> <li>• the poet Friedrich Schiller,</li> <li>• the educationalist Friedrich Froebel,</li> <li>• the architect Walter Gropius,</li> <li>• the painter Lucas Cranach,</li> <li>• painter Otto Dix</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• the philosopher Friedrich Nietzsche,</li> <li>• the composers Heinrich Schuetz and Franz Liszt</li> <li>• the inventor Carl Zeiss, founder of the optical industry</li> <li>• the Schlegel brothers</li> <li>• Chr. Ludwig Wucke</li> <li>• Dr. Johann Christian Sulzberger</li> <li>• Bernhard Müller</li> <li>• Tobias Voigt</li> <li>• Ludwig Bechstein</li> </ul> <p>Choose one of these people or another famous person of choice- they must have a meaningful association with Thüringen. Please include on the entry form a few notes in English justifying your choice.</p>	<p><b>Ich bin Bach!</b></p> <p><b>Mein Name ist Johann Sebastian Bach.</b></p> <p><b>Ich habe 7 Geschwister.</b></p> <p><b>Mein Geburtstag ist im März.</b></p> <p><b>Ich bin 30 Jahre alt und wohne in Weimar.</b></p> <p><b>Ich bin Musiker und spiele oft Orgel.</b></p> <p><b>Meine Frau ist meine Cousine Maria.</b></p> <p><b>Das ist meine Familie.</b></p> <p><b>Wir singen und spielen zusammen.</b></p> <p><b>Ich bin auch Komponist und komponiere sehr gern.</b></p> <p><b>Mein Haus in Weimar ist Gelb.</b></p> <p><b>Es hat einen großen Garten.</b></p>			

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<b>Year 9</b>	<b>Tourist destinations in Thüringen</b>	<b>Advertising captions</b>	<b>To persuade, encourage tourists to visit To inform about what one can see and do there</b>	<b>Use of</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Imperative e.g. Fahren Sie nach ..... Besuchen Sie</li> <li>• Es gibt...+acc.e.g. ein Museum einen Zoo</li> <li>• Man kann ....e.g. ins Kino gehen schwimmen</li> </ul>	Eye catching captions plus 5 to 10 sentences	Poster A4 to A2 size To include a picture(s) downloaded from a free website or a drawing(s) done by the student
Use the list below and, using a website that allows free use*, find a picture of an interesting building in one of the following towns. Use this picture to start your entry.						
Erfurt Gera Jena Weimar Gotha Eisenach Nordhausen Suhl Altenburg Mühlhausen Saalfeld Ilmenau Arnstadt Rudolstadt Apolda Greiz	Sonneberg Sondershausen Meiningen Sömmerda Leinefelde-Worbis Bad Langensalza Schmalkalden Zeulenroda- Triebes Heiligenstadt Bad Salzungen Pößneck Schmölln Zella-Mehlis Hildburghausen Eisenberg Waltershausen	*e.g. Flickr.com  <b>Creative Commons</b> Many Flickr users have chosen to offer their work under a Creative Commons license, and you can browse or search through content under each type of license.	<b>SAMPLE SENTENCES BELOW</b>  <b>FAHREN SIE NACH EISENACH!</b>  <b>Besichtigen Sie die Wartburg!</b> <b>Besuchen Sie das Lutherhaus und das Bachhaus!</b> <b>Schauen Sie das schmale Haus an!</b> <b>Man kann den Rennsteig entlang wandern.</b> <b>Es gibt viele gute Cafes in der Stadt.</b> <b>Im Museum Automobilwerk kann man viele alte Autos anschauen.</b> <b>Die Drachenschlucht ist eine Reise wert.</b>			

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<b>Year 10</b>	A holiday in Thüringen	Blog/email– an online diary/journal with several entries over an imaginary (or real) period of time	To relate, inform and express opinion	Use of <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Saying where you went e.g. in die Berge, aufs Land etc.</li> <li>• Talk about what you did</li> <li>• Perfect tense</li> <li>• Conjunctions- und, aber, weil, denn</li> <li>• Variety of adjectives</li> <li>• Variety of verbs</li> <li>• Modal verbs</li> <li>• Expressions of time e.g. abends, am Anfang der Woche, gestern</li> <li>• Words/phrases to indicate a succession of activities e.g. Zuerst, danach,</li> <li>• Expressing opinion e.g. Ich finde....</li> <li>• Comparisons and superlatives</li> <li>• Use of accusative case</li> <li>• Use of dative case following prepositions</li> <li>• Different word order to provide variety in structure</li> </ul>	100 to 150 words	Poster <u>A4 to A2</u> size With pages of “blog” printed out, needs to include appropriate photographs which can be downloaded from creative commons etc.

