

**Formular:
Kurzbeschreibung W-Seminar**

Jahrgang 2022-2024



Max-Born-Gymnasium

Lehrkraft: Steiner

Leitfach: Englisch

Rahmenthema: The Beatles

Zielsetzung des Seminars:

Although they only played together for one decade, the Beatles are regarded as the most successful band in pop history. With songs like “Yesterday”, “Help”, “Hey Jude” “I am the Walrus” or “Let it be”, they had an overwhelming influence on modern pop and rock music.

In class, we will take a look at their most famous songs and analyse their musical development. We will also watch movies and documentaries about them and study the lives of John Lennon, Paul McCartney, George Harrison and Ringo Starr after their breakup.

Mögliche Themen für die Seminararbeiten:

- Pete Best – the fifth Beatle
- Brian Epstein – the genius behind the Beatles
- Performances at the “Star Club”: The Beatles in Hamburg
- John Lennon and Yoko Ono: “The Ballad of John and Yoko”
- “Give Peace a Chance”: John Lennon between Violence and Pacifism
- The “Liverpool Institute of performing Arts”: Paul McCartney’s Heritage
- The Beatles and The Rolling Stones: A Famous Rivalry
- David Mark Chapman: John Lennon’s Murderer
- Maraishi: The Spiritual Leader of the Beatles
- The Relationship between John Lennon and Paul McCartney
- George Harrison: An Underestimated Genius
- Ringo Starr as an Actor

Vorgeschlagene Leistungserhebungen in

Q11,1: Referate, Moderationen, Diskussionsbeiträge

Q11,2: Gliederungen, Exzerpte, Rahmenvorstellungen der Themen

Weitere Bemerkungen:

The lessons will be held in English. Obviously, the paper will be supposed to be written in English, too.