Europacurriculum am Erftgymnasium Bergheim: Englisch, Stand: 02/2022

Jahrgangsstufe	Themen
5	Unit 2: Homes and families
	• Families: My (multicultural) family
	• Food and drinks across Europe (auch digital möglich via book
	creator)
	Unit 3: Clubs and hobbies
	• Sports in other European countries
	> Possible Project
	• Writing a letter to a British/ European pen pal (e.g. write about yourself and your family/ your hobbies and free time activities/ your town/ festivals/ etc.)
6	Unit 1: In the summer holidays
	• My summer holidays (in Europe)
	• A day at the Eden project vs. planning a field trip in Germany
	> Unit 2: A school day
	• Everyday English: At the cinema (European short films)
	> Unit 4: On Dartmoor
	• Writing a poem about a place in the countryside
	> Unit 5: Celebrate
	• Festivals in the UK, in Ireland and Europe
7	Unit 1: London
	• London and other European capitals (sights and attractions)
	Unit 2: Welcome to Snowdonia
	• Wales: country, industry, language and culture
	• Adam's video blog: the importance of Welsh/ the Gaelic
	languages
	Unit 3: Liverpool
	• The city and its past: Liverpool as an example of European
	involvement in slave trade
	• Liverpool as one of the cultural capitals in Europe
	• The F.C. Liverpool and its eventful history (in Europe)
	Unit 4: My trip to Ireland
	• Ireland – between St Patrick and the leprechaun
	Planning a trip to Ireland/ Northern Ireland
	Different British accents
	Unit 5: Edinburgh and the Highlands
	• Scotland's exceptional, pro-European role in the UK
8	> Arrival in the USA
	Differences between America and Germany/ Europe
	Unit 1: New York
	• Immigration to the USA from Europe (e.g. the Irish Diaspora)
	Unit 2: New Orleans
	• Food and drinks in the US and Europe
	• Access to cultures: Meeting new people, having a conversation
	and being polite (differences between Europe and the US)
	Unit 3: California
	• Entertainment and everyday life in the USA vs. in
	Germany/Europe (cultural differences, focus on mediation skills)
	Unit 4: South Dakota
	• American high schools, school life in the US and
	Germany/Europe

9	Unit 1: Australia – continent and country
	European colonisation of Australia
	A German/European student's impression of Australia
	Unit 2: Relationships
	A German/ European in New Zealand
	Refugees in Berlin and London
	Unit 3: Big dreams – small steps
	• Applying for a job in English/ job opportunities in Europe
	Unit 4: It's up to you
	• Minoritiy groups in Europe (e.g. the Roma)
	Teenage activists (in Europe)
EF	An email project (e.g. with a Scandinavian school): Meeting
	people online and offline
	➢ Going places − intercultural encounters abroad (Main focus on
	Ireland)
Q1/Q2	> The American Dream: US-European relations; the American
	Dream vs. "the European Dream"
	Multi-ethnic communities in Britain: e.g. Main focus on Polish communities
	 Global challenges: Main focus on a European country/ region (economic, ecological, social, cultural, political aspects)
	 Science - Enhancing Life: genetic engineering laws – differences and similarities in European countries; the global demand for energy
	 Shakespeare's power of language: Shakespeare adaptations for different European countries; the impact of European poetry today