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Topic 8 *Tage und Tageszeiten*

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Days and parts of the day

- The aim of the eighth topic is to introduce students to the days of the week and to the parts of the day in German.
- Expected Outcome
 - At the end of the eighth topic, students will know the days of the week and the parts of the day in German.



Tage und Tageszeiten – Days and parts of the day

Montag	Monday
Dienstag	Tuesday
Mittwoch	Wednesday
Donnerstag	Thursday
Freitag	Friday
Samstag	Saturday
Sonntag	Sunday



Tage und Tageszeiten – Days and parts of the day

The preposition to be used with days is ‘am’ (which comes from ‘an’ + ‘dem’). However, if we write the names of the day small and add an -s to end of the word, they refer to a habitual action, e.g:

Am Montag gehe ich zur Uni. - On Monday, I am going to the university.

Ich gehe **montags** zur Uni. – On Monday, I usually go to the university.



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Morgen	Morning
Vormittag	Before noon
Mittag	Noon
Nachmittag	Afternoon
Abend	Evening
Nacht	Night
Mitternacht	Midnight



Tage und Tageszeiten – Days and parts of the day

The usage of prepositions is slightly different, when it comes to the parts of the day; however, the additional -s signalizes habitual actions here too:

am Morgen	in the morning
am Vormittag	before noon
am / zu Mittag	noon
am Nachmittag	in the afternoon
am Abend	in the evening
in der Nacht	in the night
um Mitternacht	at midnight



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