

Should I join the English LK?

English LK is the right choice for you if your English skills are good and you...

... are not shocked about the fact that this information is written in English,

... understand that it goes without saying to speak English during the lessons consistently (also in group work),

... are interested in a profound scholarly exchange about literature,

... are willing to read Shakespeare (although this dramatist was born in the second half of the 16th Century and it will be linguistically challenging for you)

... are persistent when it comes to reading long and difficult texts – even whole novels which contain more than 200 pages– until the end,

... are eager to write analytical, argumentative, and creative texts,

...are willing to revise your writing critically,

... are ready to improve your language skills intensively on your own – esp. learning and revising vocab consequently. That means you will not always get lists of vocabulary, but you will have to build up your own vocabulary from the literature dealt with in class.

... managed to read this whole info page without being annoyed and looked up unknown words that are necessary for understanding in a dictionary as if it were the most natural thing in the world.

For differences between English LK and GK, take a look at

<https://www.standardsicherung.schulministerium.nrw.de/cms/zentralabiturgost/faecher/getfile.php?file=5164> (If you are too lethargic to open the link and read the information, you should not pick English LK!)