



SHORT & SWEET



Our secondary school, the Friedrich-Ebert-Gymnasium, is named after the first president of the Weimar Republic. In this tradition, democracy, equal rights and equal opportunities are the basic values that are important to us. They also shape our cooperation and our actions in our profile classes of music and MINT.



Music and MINT

Our **music classes** experience that what we have in common is more than the sum of the individual parts. Our class orchestras and music ensembles enrich our school life with fantastic concerts in our Friedrich-Ebert-Halle. All children in our music classes learn a classical orchestral instrument and play together in the class orchestra every week. Attending music workshops (three choirs, two orchestras or the big band) completes the special, intensive learning experience.



With our **MINT profile** we encourage girls and boys to face the challenges of the modern world, to find ways together to preserve the world, to improve it and to take their rightful place in it. In the MINT subjects of mathematics, computer science, natural sciences and technology, our children learn the basics in a hands-on approach. Participation in competitions, e.g. „Jugend forscht“ (a youth science competition), our MINT Congress for schoolchildren, the school garden and our various school clubs offer many opportunities to face challenges.



Foreign languages & school exchanges

Understanding beyond one's own national borders unites people, opens horizons and secures our peaceful coexistence. At the Ebert-Gymnasium students learn English from grade 5 on and then choose between Latin, French and Spanish in grade 6. From grade 8 on we also offer Russian. We maintain exchange partnerships with England, France, Spain, the USA and Mexico as well as encounter projects in Poland and Denmark, because we believe in mutual understanding!

Full day care at EBERT

For all students of the 5th and 6th grades a common lunch break structures the day. Our spacious canteen "Mamma's Canteen" offers a daily buffet with freshly prepared meals and salads. Moreover, the children can borrow sports and play equipment and let off steam



outside or in the gymnasium. In addition to the study time for homework children up to 14 years of age, who are registered for the afternoon, are offered a varied range of courses with art, sports and leisure activities until 4 p.m.



Support & challenges

At the Ebert performance pays off! In our profiles Music and MINT there is scope to grow beyond oneself: in ensembles, competitions and projects. In addition, a diverse range of extracurricular activities awakens potential and satisfies scientific curiosity. As one of three secondary schools, our school has been included in the "Talent Pilots" project of the school authorities. Should students require support in individual subjects, our coordinator will find a solution together with the language learning consultant.

Social learning

Helping our students to acquire social skills is of particular concern to us. In two fixed training weeks in grades 5 and 7, students learn strategies to resolve conflicts appropriately and peacefully.

Students and teachers, who are especially trained in mediation, and media scouts support this process.



**A large house for higher education with a tradition of 90 years:
The Friedrich-Ebert-Gymnasium in Heimfeld.**

It is time to get to know us better!

Jörg Isenbeck, school principal