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Ingrid Stritzelberger is head of the English department and is responsible for various European contacts and partnerships of the Otto-Hahn-Gymnasium in Ostfildern.

As a teacher of English and French she places emphasis on communicative language learning and teaching. As often as possible she includes other institutions like museums, theatres and schools abroad as partners in her lessons to widen the students' horizons and to make her teaching more authentic and relevant.

Media also play a significant part in her language teaching, for example by interpreting poems or stories with digital cameras, making cartoons to show a short story's intention, recording and editing audio sequences, creating and presenting short poems, and making short films. She has expert knowledge of teaching languages by means of multimedia and has thus won several prizes with her classes. She gives courses and seminars on task-based language learning.

Enabling students to communicate with other young people in Europe is a main focus of her work, as well as propagating and promoting teaching conceptions in languages.