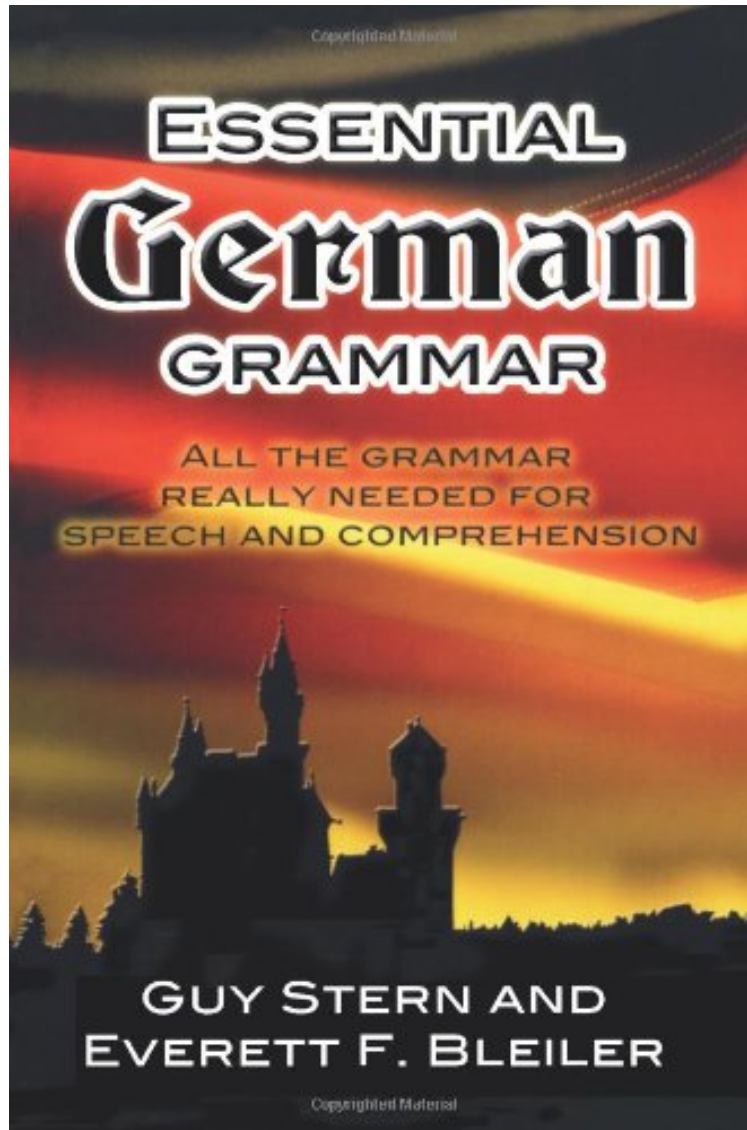


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1 of 1 people found the following review helpful. Great condition By Raul Ramos I had been looking for a good grammar book--not too large, not too small. I believe that grammar is important in learning a language, but it is not

extremely necessary on the first stage of such a process. I would recommend you to spend about four months with the Assimil book of your choice (apply Luca Lampariello's "full circle method"), do one lesson a day, six days a week. At the same time try to listen to radio, watch TV, and even read the news in that language. Soon your brain will start to adjust to your new language. It would be helpful to speak to natives of that language just to practice, although it also helps to speak to yourself, and even record and listen to yourself to correct your accent mistakes. Within a year to a year-and-a-half, you will have a great understanding of the language you started learning a while ago. Of course you could use other courses, you just have to have the motivation to learn a language. Most people have to work or go to school, so they don't have a lot of time to spend on language learning. An hour a day would work perfectly. I wouldn't recommend Rosetta Stone or Pimsleur approach; I have tried them both; "you can't say something's not good only because it is popular." You must realize that, say, Rosetta Stone is popular because of all the propaganda. You don't believe me? Go ahead and spend \$400 on the course and come back within a year telling me how fluent you've become. Too much talk. The "Essential Grammar" book arrived in a great condition. 0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. Excellent, very helpful, streamlined compact. By JayBeLike the other Dover 'Essential \_\_\_ Grammar' books, and excellent, surprisingly in-depth grammar. Very helpful if you're suddenly confronted with (re-) learning the language in a hurry (e.g. being assigned to a German-speaking country). The French Italian versions are just as good. Full of practical information and insights to get you speaking comprehending the language. No, these do not substitute for a full-blown course of study, but they're the best way to get (re-) started quickly, but with enough info detail that you'll keep going back to them for years (or as I do, using them to help new learners). 0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. This is a great little grammar book that I'll take with me where ... By Helena Lundgren This is a great little grammar book that I'll take with me where ever I go, in fact this is the second one I bought since the first one was stolen from me while vacationing in Santa Cruz, I'm sure the thief was disappointed....! It was in a purse together with a Bible.

This is the first German grammar which has been specifically designed for the adult with limited learning time who wishes to be able to express himself with reasonable accuracy, yet does not wish to be burdened with archaic, highly literary, or seldom used forms. It covers the most important points of German grammar in the clearest possible manner, stressing regularities rather than irregularities and concentrating upon the constructions and expression-modes that you would be most likely to use. It has been created for readers who prefer the phrase-approach, and all grammatical points are illustrated with phrases and sentences that you can use immediately. Hints are included throughout the book on replacing difficult constructions with easier ones. The basic presentation technique has been able to evoke the strong similarities between English and German, rather than the differences. As a result it is easier for you to understand and imitate German speech patterns. Among other unusual features of this grammar are: a means of avoiding most of the intricacies of noun declension; a logical, easily followed presentation of verbs compounded with separable or inseparable prefixes; a statement on word order that enables you to see English parallels; and an immediately useful presentation of basic German grammar. This grammar does not assume knowledge of grammatical terms (a supplement explains English grammatical terms) or of German grammar.