



Course syllabus

Faculty Board of Humanities and Social Sciences
School of Language and Literature

1EN02U Engelska I, 15 högskolepoäng
English I, 15 credits

Main field of study

English

Subject Group

English

Level of classification

First Level

Progression

GXX

Date of Ratification

Approved by the Board of the School of Language and Literature 2011-05-30

The course syllabus is valid from spring semester 2011

Prerequisites

English, equivalent to level B1 in the Common European Framework of Reference (GERS/CEFR).

Expected learning outcomes

After completing the course, the student should be able to compose elementary, coherent texts on familiar subjects or on subjects that are of a personal character. The student is able to write personal letters and describe experiences and impressions in writing.

The student is able to verbally connect phrases in an uncomplicated manner in order to describe experiences and events, dreams, expectations and future plans. The student is also able to verbally justify and explain his or her views and plans, and tell a story or relate the course of events from a book or film.

The student is able to read and listen to English texts that contain ordinary language used in everyday life and at the workplace. The student understands a large part of the content in radio and TV shows as well as newspaper articles about current events or subjects of personal interest.

The student can also handle most situations that occur when travelling and can, without preparation join in a conversation on a subject that is of personal interest or associated with everyday life.

The student has basic knowledge about cultures and traditions in Swedish society.

In order to receive the grade of *Pass with Distinction*, the student must also be able to communicate in English with linguistic certainty.

Content

The course includes exercises in speaking, conversation, writing, reading and listening in English. The student composes texts and gives oral presentations that address relevant subjects and subjects in which the student is interested. The student reads and listens to English texts and makes comments on them. Vocabulary and grammatical exercises are also included.

The course also includes lectures on Swedish culture and Swedish traditions.

Attendance is mandatory during the parts of the course marked as seminar on the course schedule.

Type of Instruction

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Examination

The course is assessed with the grades Fail (U), Pass (G) or Pass with Distinction (VG).

Student grades for the course are Fail, Pass or Pass with Distinction.

Examination and grading occurs via continuous assessment of the student's language skills and knowledge.

Course Evaluation

Teaching is continually evaluated throughout the semester.

At the end of the course, a written course evaluation is performed and compiled into a report. The evaluation report is available to students and is filed and stored according to departmental regulations.

Other

Upon request, students who have successfully passed all course requirements may receive a course certificate.

Required Reading and Additional Study Material

Carter, Ronald & McCarthy, Michael. 2006. *Cambridge Grammar of English: A Comprehensive Guide – Spoken and Written English Grammar and Usage* [With CDROM]. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press. 973 pp. ISBN: 978-052167433

Fawcett Susan. 2010. (9th edition) *Evergreen: A Guide to Writing with Readings*. 656 pp. ISBN: 978-0495898597

McCarthy, Michael & O'Dell, Felicity. 2006. *English Vocabulary in Use: Upper-Intermediate* [With CDROM]. 309 pp. ISBN: 978-0521677431

Redstone, Chris & Cunningham, Gillie. 2007. *Face2face Upper intermediate Student's book* [With CDROM and CD (Audio)]. 160 pp. ISBN: 978-0521603379

Tidholm, Po & Agneta Lilja. 2004. *Traditions and Festivities: Celebrating the Swedish Way*. Stockholm: Svenska Institutet. 50 pp. ISBN: 978-91-520-0793-8

Material provided by the department, ca 100 pages.