



## Course syllabus

Faculty of Arts and Humanities

Department of Swedish Language

1SV81U Svenska för nybörjare, del 1, 7,5 högskolepoäng

Beginners' Swedish, part 1, 7.5 credits

### **Main field of study**

Swedish Language

### **Subject Group**

Swedish/Nordic Languages

### **Level of classification**

First Level

### **Progression**

G1N

### **Date of Ratification**

Approved by Faculty of Arts and Humanities 2021-08-20

The course syllabus is valid from autumn semester 2021

### **Prerequisites**

General entry requirements

## Objectives

After completing the course, the student should be able to

- understand and use common expressions and basic phrases in Swedish
- introduce themselves and pose and answer questions about personal circumstances
- have simple conversations with support from the interlocutor
- write short, simple sentences with a personal content.

## Content

The course deals with basic spoken and written language use in concrete, everyday situations and personal contexts.

## Type of Instruction

Teaching is delivered in the form of lectures and exercises in speaking, listening and writing, individually and in groups.

## Examination

The course is assessed with the grades A, B, C, D, E, Fx or F.

The course is examined through a written examination and oral presentations.

In order to receive the grade of pass, the student must achieve the course objectives. The grade of A is the highest grade and the grade of E is the lowest grade for passing the course. The grade of F means that the student has failed the course. Grading criteria

for the A–F scale are available in a separate document, communicated to the students when the course starts, at the latest.

If the university has decided that a student has the right to special educational support due to a disability, the examiner may offer an adapted test or allow the student to conduct the test in an alternative form.

For students who do not pass their first examinations, retake examinations are provided in accordance with Local regulations for courses and examinations at the first and second levels at Linnaeus University.

### Course Evaluation

During or shortly after the course, a course evaluation is conducted. Results and analysis of the course evaluation are promptly communicated to the students who have taken the course. Students who are taking the course when it is offered the next time are informed of the results at the start of the course. The evaluation is anonymous.

### Required Reading and Additional Study Material

#### Required Reading

Levy Scherrer, Paula. & Lindemalm, Karl. The latest edition. *Rivstart A1+A2 Textbok*. Stockholm: Natur och Kultur. Ca 150 pages in selection. ISBN 9789127666856

Levy Scherrer, Paula. & Lindemalm, Karl. The latest edition. *Rivstart A1+A2 Övningsbok*. Stockholm: Natur och Kultur. Ca 156 p in selection. ISBN 9789127434219

Practice material. Available at [www.nok.se/rivstart](http://www.nok.se/rivstart) (exercises, glossaries, tests and keys to the text and practice books).

Material provided by the department, ca 100 pages.

#### Additional Study Material

*NE:s stora engelska ordbok: engelsk-svensk, svensk-engelsk*. First edition (2018). Malmö: NE. ISBN: 9789188423290

or

*Prismas engelska ordbok: engelsk-svensk/svensk-engelsk*. 2nd ed. (2008). Stockholm: Norstedts akademiska förlag. ISBN: 9789172275751

Viberg, Åke., Ballardini, Kerstin. & Stjärnlöf, Sune. 1986. *A Concise Swedish Grammar. Svensk grammatik på engelska*. Stockholm: Natur & kultur. 145 p. ISBN 912750252X.