

30421 - English grammar

Syllabus Information

Academic Year: 2021/22

Subject: 30421 - English grammar

Faculty / School: 103 - Facultad de Filosofía y Letras

Degree: 455 - Degree in Modern Languages

ECTS: 6.0

Year: 2

Semester: Second semester

Subject Type: Compulsory

Module:

1. General information

2. Learning goals

3. Assessment (1st and 2nd call)

4. Methodology, learning tasks, syllabus and resources

4.1. Methodological overview

The methodology followed in this course is oriented towards the achievement of the learning objectives. It is based on active methodologies that favor the development of critical thinking. A wide range of teaching and learning tasks are implemented, such as lectures, practice sessions, autonomous work and assessment tasks.

Students are expected to participate actively in the class throughout the semester.

Classroom materials will be available via Moodle. These include a repository of the lecture notes used in class, the course syllabus, as well as other course-specific learning materials, including a discussion forum.

Further information regarding the course will be provided on the first day of class.

4.2. Learning tasks

This is a 6 ECTS course organized as follows:

? **Lectures** (1.2 ECTS: 30 hours). The teacher will present the selected theoretical contents and the techniques to analyse the contents of the subject.

? **Practice sessions** (1.2 ECTS: 30 hours). Students are expected to use ICTs for their assignments and create documents individually and collaboratively.

? **Directed activities** (0.3 ECTS: 7.5 hours). Individual or group tutoring sessions.

? **Individual study** (2.6 ECTS: 65 hours). Study and reflection about the subject's contents.

? **Autonomous work** (0.6 ECTS: 15 hours). Preparation of the individual assignment.

? **Assessment tasks** (0.1 ECTS). A set of written and oral assignments and exams.

4.3. Syllabus

The course will address the following topics:

1. Introduction to grammar. What is grammar? Grammatical units.

2. Introduction to word classes and phrase classes.
3. Nouns and pronouns.
4. Determiners: articles, possessives and demonstratives.
5. Adjectives and Adverbs. Comparison and degree.
6. Verbs. Types of verbs. Main and auxiliary functions.
7. The verb phrase: tense, aspect, voice and modality.
8. Basic sentence structures.
9. Conjunctions and Discourse markers
10. Reported Speech
11. Relative clauses. Restrictive and Non-restrictive clauses

4.4. Course planning and calendar

Further information concerning the timetable, classroom, office hours, assessment dates and other details regarding this course will be provided on the first day of class or please refer to the "Facultad de Filosofía y Letras" website and Moodle (<http://fyl.unizar.es><https://moodle2.unizar.es> ,).

4.5. Bibliography and recommended resources

<http://psfunizar10.unizar.es/br13/egAsignaturas.php?codigo=30421>