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Erasmus+

ERASMUS+ INCOMING STUDENTS
ACADEMIC OFFER - COURSES TAUGHT IN ENGLISH
ENGLISH STUDIES
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English Studies

The focus of the programme is the English language in different contexts and different communicative situations. Students broaden their knowledge in the field of literature, culture and history of English-speaking countries, linguistics, and practical English. Moreover, our programme includes subjects addressed at students planning to become English language teachers and translators.

1st year, 2nd semester

Practical English B1+ : Integrated skills – tutorials

The aim of the course is to teach the student to communicate in the language of the specialty at the B1+ level according to the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages (CEFR).

3 ECTS

Practical English B1+ : grammar – tutorials

The purpose of the course is to equip students with knowledge of grammar of a foreign language (in terms of word structure and word group structure), to show the relationship between knowledge of structures and effective communication, as well as to develop the ability to convey information with the help of learned tools in the form of grammatical constructions grammar.

2 ECTS

Practical English B1+ : writing – tutorials

2 ECTS

The aim of the course is to develop students' language skills and to develop the ability to compose free, reflective texts in English

Practical English B1+ : phonetics – tutorials

The purpose of the course is to familiarize the student with phonetic symbols and principles of phonetic transcription. During the course, the student will become acquainted with the rules of English and American pronunciation, will also practice voice recognition, distinguish minimal pairs, recognize word accent, sentence accent. In addition, the subject will allow the student to improve pronunciation in the field of consonants, vowels, diphthongs. It will also improve pronunciation in terms of intonation, word and sentence accent.

Language acquisition – lecture

The purpose of the course is to familiarize the student with the knowledge of L1 assimilation theory, L2 assimilation theory and individual differences between students. After passing the course, the student will be able to point out the differences between learners due to age and their implications for the process of language acquisition. In addition, the student will be able to review research on acquisition, analyze theories on L1 and L2 acquisition or analyze individual differences between students.

Language acquisition – project

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Introduction to literary studies – lecture

The goal of the course is for students to acquire basic knowledge of language and to familiarize students with the most important linguistic theories and the theses and methodological assumptions of selected linguistic schools. During the course, the student will gain knowledge of tools that facilitate the analysis of natural language.

Business English- basics of business language - tutorials 4

The aim of the course is to equip the student with basic knowledge about the functioning of the business environment

To get acquainted with the basic concepts related to the business environment in the language of the specialty. The student will also become familiar with the basic processes in the functioning of a business: production, services, finance, marketing, competition.

Business English- case study – workshops

The class will allow students to put into practice the basic concepts used in a business environment. The classes are designed to prepare students to participate and conduct meetings in the company, communicate with co-workers, subordinates and superiors in the company and customers in the language of the specialty. Students will develop the ability to think logically and creatively, to apply the acquired knowledge to work in the company.

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Business English- specialized vocabulary – tutorials

The classes are designed to equip the student with basic knowledge of the functioning of the business environment, to familiarize the student with the basic concepts related to the business environment in the language of the specialty or introducing specialized language in the field of business. In addition, students will develop listening, speaking, reading and writing skills specific to business work. During the course, students will learn about the basic processes in the operation of a business.

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2nd year, 2nd semester

Practical English B2+ : Intensive Integrated skills – tutorials

The aim of the course is to teach the student to communicate in the language of the specialty at the B2+ level according to the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages (CEFR).

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Practical English B2+ : Practical grammar – tutorials

The purpose of the course is to equip students with knowledge of grammar of a foreign language (in terms of word structure and word group structure), to show the relationship between knowledge of structures and effective communication, as well as to develop the ability to convey information with the help of learned tools in the form of grammatical constructions grammar.

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Practical English B2+ : Writing – tutorials

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The aim of the course is to develop students' language skills and to develop the ability to compose free, reflective texts in English.

Practical English B2+ : Speaking – tutorials

The goal of the course is for students to achieve the ability to produce oral statements at the B2+ level. At the end of the class, the student will have a structured knowledge of the language structure of the specialty studied. The student will have the ability to prepare oral speeches on topics of everyday life and popular science topics in the language of the studied specialty. The student will be able to communicate using various communication techniques in the field of the chosen specialty in Polish and in the language of the studied specialty.

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History of Literature II – lecture

The purpose of the course is to introduce basic knowledge of leading literary works, to equip students with basic literary terminology, and to introduce basic literary trends and the direction of English-language writing in the Britain and the United States from the 16th to the 20th centuries.

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History of Literature II – tutorials

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Business meetings – workshops

The aim of the class is for students to master lexical-grammatical structures and specialized vocabulary at the B2 level. Students will learn the principles of telephone conversations, learn how to conduct business negotiations in English. They will also gain basic knowledge of techniques for memorizing passages of text, segmentation, notation, and basic interpreting techniques (including a'vista, consecutive and simultaneous whispered -chuchotage).

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Business plan – project

The purpose of the course is to familiarize students with the essence of the business plan, its scope and practical applications. In addition, students will become familiar with the knowledge of the role of the business plan in business management with emphasis on Its role during the establishment of a company. The subject will help orient students to think in an entrepreneurial way.

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Intercultural communication in business – tutorials

The class is designed to equip students with basic knowledge of intercultural communication in a business environment business environment. They will help students better understand the relationship between behaviors in different cultures and their impact on the course of business cooperation. In addition, the classes will influence the formation of an attitude of openness towards other cultures.

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3rd year, 6th semester

Practical English C1: integrated skills – tutorials

The aim of the course is to teach the student to communicate in the language of the specialty at the C1 level according to the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages (CEFR).

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Practical English C1: writing – tutorials

The aim of the course is to develop students' language skills and to develop the ability to compose free, reflective texts in English.

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Practical English B2+ : Speaking – tutorials

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Practical English C1: advanced vocabulary – tutorials

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Students will learn the correct use in written and oral form of adjectives, compound nouns, phrasal verbs, idioms. In addition, they will learn to correctly identify "false friends" and meaning differences conditioned by word stress and pronunciation. They will learn to use prefixes and suffixes correctly.

ENGLISH STUDIES MASTER	
1st year, 2nd semester	

Practical English C2: Integrated skills – tutorials

The aim of the course is to teach the student to communicate in the language of the specialty at the C2 level according to the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages (CEFR).	3
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Practical English C2: academic writing – tutorials

The purpose of the course is to improve the academic written language, practice the basic principles of correct editing of academic text, quoting, paraphrasing and documenting sources, improve the scientific workshop used in academic texts.	2
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Practical English C2: conversation – tutorials

The goal of the course is for students to achieve language proficiency at the CEFR C2 level.	2
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Contemporary literature – tutorials

The purpose of this class is to acquaint students with information about contemporary literature of English-speaking countries. Students will gain skills to conduct a comparative analysis of two short stories.	3
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Philological lecture I – lecture

The purpose of the course is to equip students with the ability to understand the mechanisms governing student motivation, knowledge of neurodidactics and psychology in the functioning of the reward system and physiological factors underlying and necessary for feeling motivation. Students will also gain skills in recognizing and adapting work methods to specific types of students' personalities. In addition, the course focuses on	2
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the factors and educational contexts that act to demotivate from a physiological as well as psychological perspective. In addition, the course offers the opportunity to take a holistic view of student functioning in and out of school, and observe the variety and complexity of factors that shape motivation.

Business meetings – workshops

Specialization: translation-business specialization

Students during the course will master lexical-grammatical structures and specialized vocabulary at the C2 level. Students will learn the rules of telephone conversation and how to conduct business negotiations in English. 2

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Business Correspondence – tutorials

Specialization: translation-business specialization

The purpose of the course is to learn specialized concepts and document formats that facilitate understanding of the content of messages in business correspondence. Students will gain knowledge of drafting specific import/export related letters that are advanced in difficulty. Students will have the opportunity to refine their ability to convey a clear, coherent message using available linguistic means. During the course of the course, 2

students will improve their writing skills, find and use tools to facilitate the editing and translation of documents.

2nd year, 4th semester

Practical English C2: academic presentation – project

The learning goal of the course is for students to achieve correctness, fluency and confidence in oral communication at the C2 level. An additional aim is to show the relationship between knowledge of structures and effective communication analysis of read source materials, free discussion on a selected topic covering the curriculum content of the subject of language proficiency at the C2 level according to CEFR. **2**

Practical English C2: academic writing – tutorials

The aim of the course is to develop students' language skills and to develop the ability to compose free, reflective texts in English. **2**

TEACHER TRAINING MODULE (available in both semesters):

Alternative educational trends

The aim of the course is to familiarize the students with pedagogical approaches differing from mainstream pedagogy, such as Waldorf and Montessori schools, Freinet's pedagogy etc. in order to provide the students with a wider choice of their teaching repertoire.

The course will cover the presentation and discussion of such alternative educational approaches as: Montessori method, Waldorf education, Freinet's pedagogy, Froebel's pedagogy, democratic education. On completion of the course, the students will propose their own ideas for classes based on the discussed alternative approaches towards education.

2 ECTS

ATTENTION!

Please note that BA studies are available in two formats: Monday – Friday classes OR Saturday – Sunday classes. Erasmus students are automatically assigned to Monday – Friday classes, however in case of overlaps you have possibility change certain subject for Saturday – Sunday classes. MA studies are (as for now) offered only in on-line format with very little classes conducted at the venue of the university (regardless pandemic situation). Practical English should be chosen according to your current year of studies. Schedules will be released in October.