

SPN 101 Spanish for beginners (1) 101

Academic organisation: Modern European Languages

Contact time: 1 lpw, 4 dpw

Period of presentation: Semester 1

Language of tuition: English

Credits: 12

Module content:

*No previous knowledge of Spanish is required.

Please note: Students with an advanced knowledge of Spanish (eg levels B1, B2 or higher) are not allowed to register for this module.

An introductory study of the Spanish language focusing on the acquisition of basic communication skills, namely listening, reading, speaking and writing. It also offers a brief introduction to the culture of Spanish-speaking countries. This module complies with the requirements for level A1 set by the "Common European Framework of Reference for Languages".

SPN 102 Spanish for beginners (2) 102

Academic organisation: Modern European Languages

Prerequisite: SPN 101

Contact time: 1 lpw, 4 dpw

Period of presentation: Semester 2

Language of tuition: English

Credits: 12

Module content:

Please note: Students with an advanced knowledge of Spanish (eg levels B1, B2 or higher) are not allowed to register for this module.

An intensive introductory study of the Spanish language focusing on the acquisition of basic communication skills, namely listening, reading, speaking and writing. It also offers a brief introduction to the culture of Spanish-speaking countries. This module complies with the requirements for level A2 set by the "Common European Framework of Reference for Languages".

SPN 211 Spanish: Intermediate (1) 211

Academic organisation: Modern European Languages

Prerequisite: SPN 102

Contact time: 1 lpw, 4 dpw

Period of presentation: Semester 1

Language of tuition: English

Credits: 20

Module content:

This module focuses on the further development of communicative skills with special emphasis on the receptive activities of the language, namely listening and reading. Careful attention is given to critical aspects of Spanish grammar. Short fictional and non-fictional texts are used for comprehension as well as for demonstrating cultural aspects of the Spanish-speaking countries. This module complies with the requirements for level B1.1 set by the "Common European Framework of Reference for Languages".

SPN 221 Spanish: Intermediate (2) 221

Academic organisation: Modern European Languages

Prerequisite: SPN 211

Contact time: 1 lpw, 4 dpw

Period of presentation: Semester 2

Language of tuition: English

Credits: 20

Module content:

This module continues with the development of communicative skills of the language. Special attention is given to the comprehension of written texts, spoken and audio-visual inputs. This module complies with the requirements for level B1.2 set by the "Common European Framework of Reference for Languages".

SPN 311 Spanish: Intermediate (3) 311**Academic organisation:** Modern European Languages**Prerequisite:** SPN 221**Contact time:** 1 lpw, 4 dpw**Period of presentation:** Semester 1**Language of tuition:** English**Credits:** 30**Module content:**

A comprehensive review of Spanish grammar is presented in order to increase language proficiency with special emphasis on the productive activities of the language, namely speaking and writing. It also offers an introductory approach to Hispanic history. This module complies with the requirements for level B2.1 set by the "Common European Framework of Reference for Languages".

SPN 321 Spanish: Intermediate (4) 321**Academic organisation:** Modern European Languages**Prerequisite:** SPN 311**Contact time:** 1 lpw, 4 dpw**Period of presentation:** Semester 2**Language of tuition:** English**Credits:** 30**Module content:**

This module continues with the presentation of a comprehensive review of Spanish grammar in order to increase language proficiency with special emphasis on the interactive activities of the language, namely spoken and written interaction. It also offers an introductory approach to Hispanic literature. This module complies with the requirements for level B2.2 set by the "Common European Framework of Reference for Languages".