



DEPARTMENT OF LANGUAGES AND LITERATURES

EN1002 Writing and Speaking in English, 7.5 higher education credits

Engelska i tal och skrift, 7,5 högskolepoäng

First Cycle

Confirmation

This course syllabus was confirmed by Department of Languages and Literatures on 2016-09-07 and was last revised on 2016-09-19 to be valid from 2017-01-16, spring semester of 2017.

Field of education: Arts 100%

Department: Department of Languages and Literatures

Position in the educational system

Main field of studies

English

Specialization

G1N, First Cycle, has only upper-secondary level entry requirements

Entry requirements

General entrance requirements

Learning outcomes

On successful completion of the course the student will be able to:

Knowledge and understanding

- show knowledge of the basic rules of grammar, sentence structure and punctuation in English;

Skills and abilities

- apply basic rules of grammar, sentence structure and punctuation in speech and writing;

- independently write short texts in English with a good structure and without disturbing deviations from the standard language;

- do an oral presentation in grammatically acceptable English;

Judgement and approach

- show academic integrity and honesty in using different sources.

Course content

The importance of English for communication in different spheres- academic studies, working life and leisure time- is increasing along with continued globalisation. This course gives students the possibility to strengthen their knowledge of English and improves all four communicative skills (reading, speaking, listening and writing). The course is based on research in second language learning and prepares students for further studies in the subject English as well as other fields where English is the language of teaching and examination.

Form of teaching

The teaching is conducted in the form of seminars.

Language of instruction: English

Assessment

The course is examined orally and in writing.

Students who have failed any part of the course are given the possibility of a new test. Those who have passed a subtest may not undergo a new test for a higher grade. Nor do students have the right to withdraw a submitted test and in such a way avoid being graded.

If a student, who has failed the same examined component twice, wishes to change examiner before the next examination, a written application should be sent to the department responsible for the course and be granted unless there are special reasons to the contrary (Chapter 6, Section 22 of Higher Education Ordinance).

In cases where a course has been discontinued or has undergone major changes, the student should normally be guaranteed at least three examination occasions (including the ordinary examination) during a period of at least one year from the last time the course was given.

Grades

The grading scale comprises: Pass with Distinction (VG), Pass (G) and Fail (U).

Course evaluation

The students are given the opportunity to make a written evaluation of the course. The results of the evaluation are published digitally.

Additional information

There is no requirement for Swedish in the entry requirements.

This course lies outside the progression within English as the main field of study and can only be included in a degree as an elective course.

Equality aspects should be taken into consideration in content, literature, teaching and evaluation. In addition, where relevant, the course should make students aware of and problematise ecological, economic, cultural and socially sustainable development.