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30401 - Oral and written communication in German I

Syllabus Information

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Subject: 30401 - Oral and written communication in German I

Faculty / School: 103 - Facultad de Filosofía y Letras

Degree: 455 - Degree in Modern Languages

ECTS: 12.0

Year: 1

Semester: First semester

Subject Type: Basic Education

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 learning process designed for this subject is based on following aspects:

A foreign language acquisition has an eminently practical character. Therefore, different types of tasks and exercises will be put into practice. Language skills will be developed in a supervised as well as in an autonomous way. Grammatical, lexical and sociocultural contents and exercises will be presented. Students will be able to acquire self-learning and self-assessment habits and strategies. The different tasks and exercises will be integrated into a file, in order to promote a continuous learning and assessment. Specific regular assessment exercises are planned as well.

4.2. Learning tasks

Guided, supervised and autonomous activities comprehend following types of tasks and exercises:

- Reading and writing.
- Comprehension of oral texts and audiovisual material.
- Spoken interaction and production.
- Grammatical, lexical and sociocultural contents.
- Learning and self-assessment strategies development.
- Assessment.

These activities will be practiced individually as well as in groups, depending on the task and the group.

4.3. Syllabus

Unit 1: Simple personal information. Greetings and introductions. Present tense. Affirmative and interrogative sentences (*W-Fragen*). Personal pronouns.

Unit 2: Everyday activities: free time and work. Articles and nouns. Personal pronouns and present tense. *Ja-/Nein-Fragen*. Singular and plural. Numbers.

Unit 3: In the city. Definite and indefinite articles. Imperative with *Sie*. Adjectives with *sein*.

Unit 4: Everyday activities: eating, drinking, buying. Simple sentences. Irregular verbs in the present tense. The accusative.

Unit 5: Everyday life and family. Time expression. Possessive articles. Modal verbs: *müssen, können, wollen*.

Unit 6: Everyday activities: free time. Invitations. Restaurants. Dates. Separable verbs. *Haben* and *sein*: past tense. Personal pronouns in accusative.

Unit 7: Everyday activities: professional life. Compound sentences. Dative prepositions.

Unit 8: Everyday activities: health and illness. Physical descriptions. Imperative. Modal verbs: *dürfen, sollen*.

Unit 9: Everyday activities: home. Responding to an invitation. *Sein* + adjectives. Two-Way prepositions.

4.4. Course planning and calendar

Schedule of presential sessions and works' presentation:

Presential activities (including those referring to the continuous assessment): they will be developed during the teaching period, during the class time established by the University at the beginning of the academic year. Additional sessions will be programmed for the supervised activities, which will be communicated sufficiently in advanced.

Final written test: it will take place during the exams period, in the date, time and place established at the beginning of the academic year.

Final oral test: it will take place in the same date as the written test, in the time and place which will be communicated to the students at the appropriate time.

4.5. Bibliography and recommended resources

<http://psfunizar10.unizar.es/br13/egAsignaturas.php?codigo=30401>