

# Course Specifications

Valid in the academic year 2023-2024

# Modern Greek: Language Acquisition I (A000966)

Course size	(nominal values; actual values	may depend on progra	nmme)		
Credits 5.0	Study time 150	h			
Course offerings and teaching methods in academic year 2023-2024					
A (Year)	Dutch, Greek	Gent		seminar	
Lecturers in academic y	ear 2023-2024				
De Herdt, Katja			LW07	lecturer-in-	charge
Offered in the followin	g programmes in 2023-2024			crdts	offering
Bachelor of Arts in	Linguistics and Literature(main s	ubject Dutch - English)	)	5	А
Bachelor of Arts in	Linguistics and Literature(main s	ubject Dutch - French)		5	А
Bachelor of Arts in	Linguistics and Literature(main s	ubject Dutch - German	)	5	А
Bachelor of Arts in	Linguistics and Literature(main s	ubject Dutch - Greek)		5	А
Bachelor of Arts in	Linguistics and Literature(main s	ubject Dutch - Italian)		5	А
Bachelor of Arts in	Linguistics and Literature(main s	ubject Dutch - Latin)		5	А
Bachelor of Arts in	Linguistics and Literature(main s	ubject Dutch - Spanish	)	5	Α
Bachelor of Arts in	Linguistics and Literature(main s	ubject Dutch - Swedish	1)	5	Α
Bachelor of Arts in	Linguistics and Literature(main s	ubject English - Germa	in)	5	Α
Bachelor of Arts in	Linguistics and Literature(main s	ubject English - Greek)	)	5	А
Bachelor of Arts in	Linguistics and Literature(main s	ubject English - Italian	I)	5	А
Bachelor of Arts in	Linguistics and Literature(main s	ubject English - Latin)		5	А
Bachelor of Arts in	Linguistics and Literature(main s	ubject English - Spanis	ih)	5	А
Bachelor of Arts in	Linguistics and Literature(main s	ubject English - Swedis	sh)	5	А
Bachelor of Arts in	Linguistics and Literature(main s	ubject French - English	1)	5	А
Bachelor of Arts in	Linguistics and Literature(main s	ubject French - Germai	n)	5	А
Bachelor of Arts in	Linguistics and Literature(main s	ubject French - Greek)		5	А
Bachelor of Arts in	Linguistics and Literature(main s	ubject French - Italian)	)	5	А
Bachelor of Arts in	Linguistics and Literature(main s	ubject French - Latin)		5	А
Bachelor of Arts in	Linguistics and Literature(main s	ubject French - Spanish	h)	5	А
Bachelor of Arts in	Linguistics and Literature(main s	ubject French - Swedis	h)	5	А
Bachelor of Arts in	Linguistics and Literature(main s	ubject German - Greek	.)	5	А
Bachelor of Arts in	Linguistics and Literature(main s	ubject German - Italiar	- 1)	5	А
Bachelor of Arts in	Linguistics and Literature(main s	ubject German - Spanis	sh)	5	А
Bachelor of Arts in	Linguistics and Literature(main s	ubject German - Swedi	ish)	5	А
Bachelor of Arts in	Linguistics and Literature(main s	ubject Latin - Greek)	-	5	А
Bachelor of Arts in	Linguistics and Literature(main s	ubject Latin - Italian)		5	А
	Linguistics and Literature(main s			5	А
	Linguistics and Literature(main s			5	А
	East European Languages and Cu			5	А
	nme Linguistics and Literature			5	А
	e Master of Arts in Linguistics and	Literature(main subje	ct Greek)	5	А
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Teaching languages

Dutch, Greek

Keywords

Modern Greek, language acquisition.

### Position of the course

This introductory course aims at giving students a basic knowledge of Modern Greek (listening, speaking, reading and writing). It introduces both elementary grammar and vocabulary. Students alos get in touch ith some aspects of modern Greek culture and society.

#### Contents

Intensive language acquisition course aiming at level A1/A2 (common European framework of reference for languages).

#### Initial competences

No specific previous knowledge required, but knowing some Ancient Greek is an asset. For those who have never learned (any form of) Greek before, the study load will be a lot higher than average.

# **Final competences**

- 1 correct modern Greek pronunciation
- 2 applying correctly basic rules of Modern Greek grammar
- 3 having acquired a basic modern Greek vocabulary
- 4 reading skills: Greek CEFR level A2
- 5 speaking and listening skills: Greek CEFR level A1
- 6 writing skills: Greek CEFR A2

#### Conditions for credit contract

Access to this course unit via a credit contract is unrestricted: the student takes into consideration the conditions mentioned in 'Starting Competences'

# Conditions for exam contract

This course unit cannot be taken via an exam contract

#### Teaching methods

Seminar

#### Extra information on the teaching methods

Weekly lectures both on campus and online. Active participation and homework are required. The students are made to speak Greek as much as possible. Students prepare exercises and writing assignments at home.

#### Learning materials and price

- Manual: L. Triantafillidou e.a. (2021- revised edition. Ellinika sto p + f. Entatika mathimata ellinikon gia to epidpedo A. Athene: Gutenberg. ISBN: 978-960-01-2285-5.

- Extra texts and exercises ara provided via Ufora.

#### References

Greek Language Course Books, eBooks, Audiobooks: <u>https://www.omilo.</u> <u>com/publications/</u>.

#### Course content-related study coaching

Lots of feedback during classes. Personal feedback on speaking and writing skills.

# Assessment moments

end-of-term and continuous assessment

# Examination methods in case of periodic assessment during the first examination period

Oral assessment, Written assessment

#### Examination methods in case of periodic assessment during the second examination period

Oral assessment, Written assessment

#### Examination methods in case of permanent assessment

Skills test

#### Possibilities of retake in case of permanent assessment

examination during the second examination period is possible in modified form

#### Extra information on the examination methods

Non-periodical (25%): two tests in the autumn semester (5% written +10% oral),

one test in spring (10% written assignment). Both knowledge of vocabulary and grammar and the four skills are covered. Only those who are legitimately absent are allowed to catch up.

# Calculation of the examination mark

Non-periodical: 25% Periodical: oral (25%) and written examination (50%).

# Facilities for Working Students

Compulsory attendance during seminars on Friday afternoons. Work students should schedule these in their work schedule.