

Ukrainian (A005676)

Course size *(nominal values; actual values may depend on programme)*

Credits 5.0

Study time 150 h

Course offerings in academic year 2026-2027

A (semester 1)

Dutch, Russian, Ukrainian Gent

Lecturers in academic year 2026-2027

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Teaching languages

Ukrainian, Russian, Dutch

Keywords

Ukrainian, linguistics, language skills

Position of the course

During this introductory language course, students with prior knowledge of Russian will learn the basics of Ukrainian phonetics, vocabulary and grammar.

Contents

The focus is on comparative phonetics, morphology and syntax Ukrainian - Russian as well as on the Ukrainian verb system and the morphology of numerals and pronouns, basic vocabulary and simple colloquial expressions. The different forms of language use - reading, listening, speaking and writing - play an important role in this course. Receptive skills - reading and listening - are further developed on the basis of authentic written and spoken texts on various topics. The productive skills - speaking and writing - are trained through oral resp. written assignments for the texts mentioned. In all language lessons, we work on actively expanding vocabulary.

The aim of the course is to achieve level A1 (active language use) / A2 (passive language use) of the European reference framework.

Initial competences

Having successfully completed the course "Russian: Language and Text II" or "Russian: Grammar III" and "Russian: Language Proficiency IV" (VTC) or having acquired the intended competencies in another way.

Final competences

- 1 Have a basic knowledge of Ukrainian grammar and apply it; know the grammatical terminology (grammar).
- 2 Understanding texts that mainly consist of high-frequency and everyday words (reading).
- 3 Use simple expressions and sentences to discuss everyday topics. Participate in a simple conversation, ask and answer simple questions on familiar topics (speaking).
- 4 Global understanding of not too difficult, not fast spoken texts in Ukrainian. Finding information in simple narrative and informative texts (listening).
- 5 Knowing and being able to apply the Ukrainian spelling rules (orthography).
- 6 Write a short, simple text, both by hand and on the computer. (to write).

7 Through language you also get to know culture in the broadest sense of the word.

Conditions for credit contract

Access to this course unit via a credit contract is determined after successful competences assessment

Conditions for exam contract

This course unit cannot be taken via an exam contract

Teaching methods

Seminar, Independent work

Extra information on the teaching methods

Seminar in which the course material is explained and exercises are made.

Independent work: homework.

No recordings will be made available.

Study material

Type: Handbook

Name: Ya vyvchu ukrayinsku movu.Ternopil, 2019

Indicative price: Free or paid by faculty

Optional: no

Language : Other

Author : Yushchuk I.P

ISBN : 978-9-66104-666-4

Number of Pages : 320

Oldest Usable Edition : 2019

Online Available : No

Available in the Library : No

Available through Student Association : No

Usability and Lifetime within the Course Unit : regularly

Usability and Lifetime within the Study Programme : one-time

Usability and Lifetime after the Study Programme : occasionally

Type: Handbook

Name: Yabluko. Bazovyy riven. Lviv, 2015.

Indicative price: Free or paid by faculty

Optional: no

Language : Other

Author : Burak M.

ISBN : 978-9-66277-837-3

Number of Pages : 268

Oldest Usable Edition : 2015

Online Available : No

Available in the Library : No

Available through Student Association : No

Usability and Lifetime within the Course Unit : intensive

Usability and Lifetime within the Study Programme : one-time

Usability and Lifetime after the Study Programme : occasionally

Type: Other

Name: Own learning material available via Ufora

Indicative price: Free or paid by faculty

Optional: no

Language : Other

Available on Ufora : Yes

Online Available : No

Available in the Library : No

Available through Student Association : No

Usability and Lifetime within the Course Unit : regularly

Usability and Lifetime within the Study Programme : one-time

Usability and Lifetime after the Study Programme : occasionally

References

Course content-related study coaching

Guidance both personally and in groups, interactive support via Ufora, e-mail and MS Teams during working hours.

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

Oral assessment, Written assessment

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

The student's progress is evaluated on a regular basis through interim tests, tasks and assignments. If the student has missed a written or oral test due to demonstrable, serious circumstances (e.g. illness), he/she will be given the opportunity to take this test; If there are no demonstrable, compelling reasons, he/she will not be given that opportunity.

Calculation of the examination mark

Periodic evaluation (70%):

The exam consists of:

- a written part (grammar, reading skills, listening skills, writing skills);
- an oral part (speaking skills).

Non-periodical evaluation (30%):

interim tests, tasks and assignments.

The passed marks from the non-periodical or periodic evaluation are transferred to a possible second examination period. If you have not passed, you will be given the opportunity to retake the components (NPE and/or PE) for which you did not pass. For the NPE it is only possible in the modified form.

Facilities for Working Students

1. Attendance is mandatory for a number of teaching moments (tests).
2. No possibility to take an exam at a different time.
3. Possibility of feedback at another time: by appointment.