

## Russian: Grammar B (A703072)

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

**Credits 4.0**

**Study time 120 h**

**Course offerings and teaching methods in academic year 2023-2024**

A (semester 2)

Dutch, Russian

Gent

seminar

independent work

**Lecturers in academic year 2023-2024**

Hautekiet, Johanna

LW22

lecturer-in-charge

Namestnikov, Anna

LW22

co-lecturer

**Offered in the following programmes in 2023-2024**

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**offering**

Bachelor of Arts in Applied Language Studies: a combination of at least two languages(main subject Dutch, English, Russian)

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Bachelor of Arts in Applied Language Studies: a combination of at least two languages(main subject Dutch, French, Russian)

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Bachelor of Arts in Applied Language Studies: a combination of at least two languages(main subject Dutch, German, Russian)

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Preparatory Course Master of Arts in Interpreting: a combination of at least two languages, Master of Arts in Translation: a combination of at least two languages and

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Master of Arts in Multilingual Communication: a combination of at least two languages(main subject Dutch, English, Russian)

Preparatory Course Master of Arts in Interpreting: a combination of at least two languages, Master of Arts in Translation: a combination of at least two languages and

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Master of Arts in Multilingual Communication: a combination of at least two languages(main subject Dutch, French, Russian)

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Master of Arts in Multilingual Communication: a combination of at least two languages(main subject Dutch, German, Russian)

**Teaching languages**

Russian, Dutch

**Keywords**

Russian; Grammar: Morphology

**Position of the course**

The study unit "Russian Grammar B" aims to expand the basic knowledge and skills acquired in "Russian Grammar A". The grammar rules are applied in the study units "Russian Language Practice A" and "Russian Language Practice B". Students are introduced to new, fundamental elements of Russian morphology. Gradually, aspects of Russian grammar are examined in more detail.

**Contents**

- the declension of nouns, adjectives and pronouns in the plural;
- verbs of movement;
- the short form and the comparative degree of the adjective;
- pronouns (expansion);
- conjugations, tenses, aspects and modes of the verb (repetition and expansion);
- the basic use of nouns and adjectives in conjunction with numerals, the basic use of verbs of movement, adjectives, pronouns;
- systematisation of fonological rules.

### Initial competences

Average general knowledge that can be expected from someone who has completed secondary education; no specific starting competences required.

### Final competences

- 1 Having a command of Russian at A2 level of the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages for grammar (in as far as the competences of RISA have also been acquired). (B.1.2. ; assessed)
- 2 Having a basic knowledge of the general vocabulary of Russian. (B.1.2. ; assessed)
- 3 Having a command of the basic grammar of Russian in the areas of morphology of verbs, adjectives, nouns (plural form) and pronouns and of the use of verbs of movement. (B.1.2. ; assessed)
- 4 Having a command of the basic terminology of Russian grammar (with regard to the formation and use of cases, conjugations, verb aspect, the short form of the adjective, the comparative degree of the adjective). (B.1.3. ; assessed)
- 5 Having an understanding of grammatical structures in Russian (with specific emphasis on analysis of word classes and cases and with attention to contrastive aspects compared to Dutch). (B.1.3. ; not assessed)

### Conditions for credit contract

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

### Conditions for exam contract

Access to this course unit via an exam contract is unrestricted

### Teaching methods

Seminar, Independent work

### Extra information on the teaching methods

Independent work: preparation of exercises that need to be handed in, exercise sessions and tests

### Learning materials and price

- Syllabus
- Estimated total price: 5 à 7 €

### References

- Houtzagers, Peter (ed.) (2003) *Russische grammatica*. Bussum: Coutinho.
- Isačenko, A.V. (1982) *Die Russische Sprache der Gegenwart – Formenlehre*. München: Max Hueber Verlag.
- Pul'kina, I.M. & Sachava–Nekrasova, J.B. (1991) *Russisch – Praktische Grammatik mit Übungen*. Moskau: Verlag Russkij jazyk.
- Wade, Terence. (1993) *A Comprehensive Russian Grammar*. Oxford: Blackwell.
- Шлегель, Ханс. (1992) *Компендиум лингвистических знаний*. Berlin: Volk und Wissen Verlag.

### Course content-related study coaching

Handing in of exercises with collective and individual feedback  
Non-obligatory collective exercise sessions and/or test sessions with individual feedback  
Individual support on demand

### Assessment moments

end-of-term assessment

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

Written assessment

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

Written assessment

### Examination methods in case of permanent assessment

### Possibilities of retake in case of permanent assessment

not applicable

### Calculation of the examination mark

written examination (100%)

**Facilities for Working Students**

Exemption from class attendance is possible. No additional learning material is provided.  
Examinations can be re-scheduled only to the officially planned date for catch-up exams.  
Feedback on request.

**Addendum**

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