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Faculties of Humanities and Theology

RYSB02, Russian: Elementary Course II, 15 credits

Ryska: Nybörjarkurs II, 15 högskolepoäng

First Cycle / Grundnivå

Details of approval

The syllabus was approved by the programmes director by delegation from the pro-dean for first- and second-cycle studies on 2008-09-09 and was last revised on 2015-06-02 by The pro-dean for First-Cycle Studies at the Faculties of Humanities and Theology. The revised syllabus applies from 2015-06-02, spring semester 2015.

General Information

The course is offered as a freestanding course. It can normally be included in a first or second cycle degree.

Language of instruction: Swedish and Russian

Main field of studies

Russian

Depth of study relative to the degree requirements

G1F, First cycle, has less than 60 credits in first-cycle course/s as entry requirements

Learning outcomes

On completion of the course, the students shall be able to

Knowledge and understanding

- identify key declension patterns in Russian
- understand and describe the contents of a simplified Russian text at a level that corresponds to CEFR A2

Competence and skills

- master a vocabulary sufficient to be able to communicate in most everyday situations
- describe the contents of Russian that is spoken slowly and clearly and deals with familiar subjects

- apply key Russian declension patterns and constructions in speech and writing
- translate simple Swedish into Russian
- correctly spell words in set texts
- read simplified Russian texts aloud with correct pronunciation that allows for good comprehension
- engage in simple conversations about familiar subjects and demonstrate skills that correspond to the level of CEFR A2

Judgement and approach

- critically review, discuss and take a position on language norms, and take a scholarly approach to language.

Course content

The course provides students with further training in vocabulary and grammatical structures through a study of simplified texts. The texts are slightly more advanced than in the previous course. The text study is combined with simple written exercises. The training in oral proficiency focuses on communication skills. The course also includes intensified training in pronunciation and intonation.

The course consists of the following modules:

1. Russian Grammar and Text Study II, 7.5 credits,
2. Oral and Written Proficiency II, 7.5 credits.

Course design

The teaching consists of exercises, lessons and lectures.

Assessment

Module 1 is assessed on the basis of a written exam. Module 2 is assessed on the basis of an oral exam and a written assignment.

Other types of assessment may be decided by the lecturer and students in consultation.

Subcourses that are part of this course can be found in an appendix at the end of this document.

Grades

Marking scale: Fail, Pass, Pass with distinction.

For a grade of Pass on the whole course, the student must have been awarded this grade on all modules. For a grade of Pass with Distinction on the whole course, the student must have been awarded this grade on all modules.

Entry requirements

To be admitted to the course, students must have passed the course RYSB01 or satisfy the general entry requirements and have passes in Swedish B/Swedish as second language B and Russian stage 2 from Swedish upper secondary school or the equivalent.

Further information

1. The course replaces RYSC02.
2. The credits allocated for course content that in whole or in part is commensurate with another course can only be credited once for a degree. For further details see the current registration information and other relevant documentation.
3. The course is offered at the the Centre for Languages and Literature, Lund University.
4. Module titles in Swedish:
 1. Rysk grammatik och textläsning II,
 2. Muntlig och skriftlig färdighet II.

Subcourses in RYSB02, Russian: Elementary Course II

Applies from H15

- 1501 Examination, 7,5 hp
Grading scale: Fail, Pass, Pass with distinction
- 1502 Examination, 7,5 hp
Grading scale: Fail, Pass, Pass with distinction

Applies from H08

- 0801 Examination, 7,5 hp
Grading scale: Fail, Pass, Pass with distinction
- 0802 Examination, 7,5 hp
Grading scale: Fail, Pass, Pass with distinction