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Faculties of Humanities and Theology

BIVB26, Biblical Studies: The New Testament in Greek - Level 2 B, 15 credits

*Bibelvetenskap: Nya testamentet på grundspråk - fortsättningskurs
II, 15 högskolepoäng*
First Cycle / Grundnivå

Details of approval

The syllabus was approved by The pro-dean for First-Cycle Studies at the Faculties of Humanities and Theology on 2016-04-27 to be valid from 2016-08-29, autumn semester 2016.

General Information

The course is offered as a freestanding course. It can be selected as a specialisation course in the Bachelor's programme in Religious Studies and Theology. It can be included in a first or second cycle degree.

Language of instruction: Swedish

Main field of studies

Religious Studies and Theology with
specialization in Biblical Studies

*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, students shall be able to

Knowledge and understanding

- account for and explain elementary features of the morphology and syntax of New Testament Greek
- identify forms of Greek words and syntactic constructions in accordance with grammatical terminology

Competence and skills

- master the central vocabulary of New Testament Greek
- apply the knowledge acquired of the morphology and syntax of New Testament Greek by translating simple New Testament texts
- use dictionaries and encyclopedias in the work on New Testament texts
- present a minor interpretation assignment in speech and writing

Judgement and approach

- reflect on the consequences of translation for the interpretation of individual words or expressions in the past and present

Course content

The course deals with the morphology, syntax and vocabulary of New Testament Greek, while focus is placed on translation and interpretation exercises of New Testament texts in Greek. The two modules enable the students to expand and specialise their knowledge of New Testament Greek. The second module also contains a minor interpretation assignment.

The course consists of the following modules:

1. New Testament Greek 1, 7.5 credits,
2. New Testament Greek 2, 7.5 credits.

Course design

The teaching consists of lectures, translation exercises and seminars.

Assessment

The assessment of module 1 is based on a written exam.

The assessment of module 2 is based partly on written and oral presentation of an interpretation assignment and partly on a final written exam.

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.

To be awarded a grade of Pass on the whole course, the student must have been awarded this grade on all assessed components. To be awarded a grade of Pass with Distinction on the whole course, the student must have been awarded this grade on both modules.

Entry requirements

To be admitted to the course, the student must have passed Religious Studies and Theology: Level 1 (CTRA12/CTRD12) **and** Biblical Studies: Level 2 A (BIVB23/BIVD23) **or** the equivalent.

Further information

1. 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.
2. The course is offered at the Centre for Theology and Religious Studies, Lund University.
3. Module titles in Swedish: 1. New Testament Greek 1, 2. New Testament Greek 2.

Subcourses in BIVB26, Biblical Studies: The New Testament in Greek -
Level 2 B

Applies from H16

- 1601 New Testament Greek 1, 7,5 hp
Grading scale: Fail, Pass, Pass with distinction
- 1602 New Testament Greek 2, 7,5 hp
Grading scale: Fail, Pass, Pass with distinction