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Faculties of Humanities and Theology

TYSB02, German: Beginner's Course 2, 15 credits

Tyska: Nybörjarkurs 2, 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 2007-04-24 to be valid from 2007-04-24, autumn semester 2007.

General Information

The course is offered as a single course. It can normally be included as part of a general degree at both the undergraduate and graduate levels.

Language of instruction: Swedish and German

Main field of studies

German

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 student shall

Knowledge and understanding

- be able to account for the main features of German morphology and syntax from a contrastive perspective
- be able to comprehend the links between the lexical structures of German and Swedish
- be able to exemplify basic aspects of the cultural, political and social conditions of German-speaking countries

Competence and skills

- be able to understand and use spoken and written German in selected communicative situations
- be able to identify grammatical and lexical problems with some autonomy and be able to apply the rules to resolve them.

Course content

The course provides a systematic study of central grammatical phenomena and basic features of German vocabulary. The students develop their abilities to use and comprehend spoken and written German by studying texts and through a variety of oral and written exercises. The course also provides an insight into the social conditions of German-speaking countries, primarily through the reading of simple texts.

The course consists of the following two sub-courses:

1. Basic Grammar and Reading Comprehension, part II, 7.5 credits,
2. Oral Proficiency, 7.5 credits.

Course design

Teaching takes the form of lectures with practical exercises and seminars. The seminars in sub-course 2 are obligatory and the performance of the students in them is assessed.

Assessment

Examinations can take the following forms: written examinations on the completion of the sub-courses, home assignments and continuous assessment during seminars.

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 Pass on the whole course the student shall have passed all sub-courses. To be awarded a grade of Distinction on the whole course the student shall have achieved the grade of Distinction for at least 7.5 higher education credits on the course and the grade of Pass on the remainder of the course.

Entry requirements

To be eligible for the course requires the successful completion of TYSB01, or the equivalent.

Further information

1. This course together with TYSB01 replace TYS411.
2. This course also constitutes two sub-courses in TYSB11.
3. The points 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.
4. The sub-course names in Swedish:
 1. Grundläggande grammatik och textförståelse, påbyggnadsdel,
 2. Muntlig språkfärdighet.

Subcourses in TYSB02, German: Beginner's Course 2

Applies from H07

- 0701 Basic Grammar and Reading Comprehension, Part II, 7,5 hp
Grading scale: Fail, Pass, Pass with distinction
- 0702 Oral Proficiency, 7,5 hp
Grading scale: Fail, Pass, Pass with distinction