

Faculties of Humanities and Theology

YIDA13, Yiddish: Level 3 A for Teachers, 15 credits Jiddisch: Fortsättningskurs I för lärare, 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 2022-12-15 to be valid from 2023-03-15, autumn semester 2023.

General Information

Subject: Yiddish

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

Language of instruction: Swedish

Teaching is conducted in Swedish and Yiddish, and where appropriate in English.

Main field of studies Depth of study relative to the degree

requirements

G2F, First cycle, has at least 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

- account for relevant research on multilingualism and didactics,
- describe and reflect on a chosen issue of Yiddish subject-specific didactics,

Competence and skills

- use key concepts of heritage language learning and associated teaching methods to develop and apply strategies for their work as a teacher and study advisor of heritage language learners,
- critically discuss and reflect on the current conditions of heritage language

Judgement and approach

- take a position on basic values with regard to mother tongue instruction by adopting a democratic, inclusive and intercultural approach,
- reflect on the expectations, difficulties and development of students of the target language.

Course content

Based on proven experience and research, the course communicates knowledge of how considered heritage language teaching in accordance with school syllabi and curricula can affect and improve the learning of multilingual pupils. The course provides knowledge in fields that are central for teaching of heritage languages from the perspectives of multilingualism and didactics. The course covers linguistic and knowledge development methods and didactic tools.

The course consists of 4 modules:

- 1. Heritage language acquisition and multilingualism, 7.5 credits
- 2. Language didactics II, 7.5 credits

Course design

The course is offered as a distance learning course supported by an online virtual learning environment and digital tools. Students are required to participate under these conditions, and to have access to a computer (or touchpad) including a webcam and headset. The modules have scheduled lectures and seminars. The teaching consists of lectures, group exercises and seminars.

Assessment

Module 1 is assessed through an oral group discuss and an individual written takehome exam.

Module 2 is examined through oral group discussion and 3 written assignments.

The examiner, in consultation with Disability Support Services, may deviate from the regular form of examination in order to provide a permanently disabled student with a form of examination equivalent to that of a student without a disability.

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 the 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 also have been awarded this grade for at least 15 of the course's credits.

Entry requirements

To be admitted to the course, students must have successfully completed YIDA12 Yiddish: Intermediate Course II for Teachers, or possess equivalent knowledge.

Further information

- The course is offered by the Centre for Languages and Literature, Lund University.
- 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 current registration and information materials.
- Module titles in Swedish:
 - Arvsspråksinlärning och flerspråkighet
 - Språkdidaktik II

Subcourses in YIDA13, Yiddish: Level 3 A for Teachers

Applies from H23

2301 Heritage Language Acquisition and Multilingualism, 7,5 hp Grading scale: Fail, Pass, Pass with distinction

2302 Language Didactics II, 7,5 hp Grading scale: Fail, Pass, Pass with distinction