

COURSE DESCRIPTION

HIGHER VOCATIONAL STATE SCHOOL IN WLOCLAWEK

Course: Practical English –
Grammar

Field of study:		English Studies				
Unit supervising the course:		Institute of Humanities				
Course orientation:		practical				
Language of instruction:		English				
Course type:		principal				
Course status:		obligatory				
Level: I		Year: 1-3			Semester: 1 – 6	
The number of teaching hours on the full-time programme:						
Total	lectures	classes	laboratory	projects	tutorials	practicum
180		180				
Learning outcomes:			Knowledge:			
			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The student knows the structure of English • The student knows differences between language registers and characteristic grammatical structures used in those registers 			
			Skills:			
			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The student's command of English is at level C1 (Common Reference Levels) • The student knows how to compose practical written texts in English • The student knows how to compose written texts and oral presentations in English about everyday topics 			
			Social competences:			
			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The student can work on language skills in a group, assuming various roles in it • The student is aware of the need of continuous work on developing language skills 			
Full description of the course:			<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Nouns 2. Adjectives 3. Adverbs 			

	4. Articles 5. Prepositions 6. Tenses 7. Modal verbs 8. Gerund vs infinitive 9. Unreal clauses 10. Conditional clauses 11. Passive voice 12. Reported speech 13. Relative pronouns 14. Multi-word verbs 15. Emphasis	
Methods:	Explaining theory by the teacher, exercises done both in class under the supervision of the teacher and as homework	
The student's workload/ ECTS credits:	Types of activity	Average number of hours
		Lectures Active Forms
	Contact hours	250
	Self-study:	150
	1Preparation for classes	55
	2.Preparation for tests and exams	65
	3Preparation for presentations and discussion	30
	Total	400
	ECTS credits for this type of activity	16
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The type and mode of obtaining the credit and marking criteria or requirements:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A written exam after semesters 2 and 5 • A final grade based on tests taken within the semester and active participation in class after semesters 1, 3, 4 and 6 	
Literature:	Prescribed reading: Graver, B.D. [(1963) 1997] <i>Advanced English Practice</i> , Oxford: OUP Hewings, M. (2005) <i>Advanced Grammar in Use</i> . Cambridge: CUP	

Swan, M. [(1980) 1997] *Practical English Usage*, Oxford:
OUP

Vince, M. (1994) *Advanced Language Practice*. Heinemann

Recommended reading:

Evans, V. *FCE Use of English*. Express Publishing

Murphy, R. (2004) *English Grammar in Use*, Cambridge:
CUP

Thomson, A.J.; Martinet, A.V. [(1960) 1990] *Practical
English Grammar*, Oxford: OUP

Vince, M. (1996), *First Certificate Language Practice*,
Heinemann