

OSTİM TECHNICAL UNIVERSITY
SCHOOL OF FOREIGN LANGUAGES
DIVISION OF BASIC ENGLISH
(COURSE CODE / SECTION) SYLLABUS

COURSE INFORMATION

Module : School of Foreign Languages – English
Title : New Languo Foundation
Structure : 8 Week * 8 Hours = Total 64 hours per module

INSTRUCTOR INFORMATION

Name, Surname, Title :
E-mail :
Office Location :

COURSE PREREQUISITES

This course is designed for learners with little or no previous knowledge of English. Students are expected to be at a Pre-A1 level according to the CEFR. They should be able to recognize and use a limited range of simple words and phrases, and demonstrate readiness to develop basic communication skills in familiar and everyday contexts. No prior formal study of English is required.

COURSE GOALS AND CONTENT

The primary goal of this course is to provide students with a solid foundation in English by following the *Foundation New Languo* coursebook. The content is based on communicative activities that integrate listening, speaking, reading, and writing skills. The book introduces everyday topics such as personal information, family, daily routines, food, city life, and basic cultural elements. The course also incorporates study skills and functional language use to prepare students for real- life communication. By the end of the module, learners will be able to understand and use familiar expressions, introduce themselves and others, ask and answer simple questions about personal details, and interact in a simple way when the other person speaks slowly and clearly.

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COURSE OBJECTIVES

Upon completion of the course, students will:

1. Recognize and use everyday words and expressions related to immediate needs (e.g., personal information, family, daily activities).
2. Understand and respond to very simple spoken and written texts with familiar vocabulary.
3. Introduce themselves and provide basic personal details (name, nationality, age, family, likes/dislikes).
4. Ask and answer simple questions in predictable, routine situations.
5. Develop confidence in participating in classroom activities through role-play, pair work, and guided tasks.
6. Begin to use simple strategies for learning, such as asking for clarification or repetition.

SPECIFIC COURSE OBJECTIVES

By the end of each unit in *Foundation New Languo*, students will be able to:

1. Greet people, say goodbye, introduce themselves, spell names, ask and answer questions about personal details
2. Talk about family members, describe people's physical appearance, use possessive forms
3. Talk about daily routines and habits, express frequency with adverbs, describe a room using prepositions
4. Identify food and drinks, talk about sports, give and follow simple recipes, express likes/dislikes
5. Describe places in town, talk about houses and rooms, ask and give directions
6. Name common animals, talk about environmental problems in simple terms, use *can/can't* and *should/shouldn't* for advice
7. Use simple past tense to talk about famous people, share short biographical details
8. Read short passages about history and culture, talk about past events using simple past forms

TEXTBOOKS AND MATERIALS

- New Languo - Foundation

WEEKLY OPERATIONAL PLAN

Week 1: Unit 1- Verb to be in present, subject pronouns, wh- questions

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Week 2: Unit 2- Have got & has got, possessive “s”, whose, singular & plural, possessive adjectives

Week 3: Unit 3- Simple present tense, adverbs of frequency, this-that-these-those, prepositions

Week 4: Unit 4- Countable & uncountable nouns, quantifiers, will & be going to

Week 5: Unit 5-There is-there are, possessive pronouns, object pronouns, linkers

Week 6: Unit 6- Can & can’t, should & shouldn’t, gerunds for like & dislike

Week 7: Unit 7- Simple past tense: was, were, regular verbs

Week 8: Unit 8- Simple past tense: was, were, irregular verbs

GRADING POLICY

- Mid-term Exam 25 %
- End of the module exam 40 %
- Tasks 20 %
 - Written Outcome Task (10%)
 - Spoken Outcome Task (10%)
- Online Homework 10 %
 - Languo Homework (5%)
 - New Interactions Online Assignment (5%)
- Participation 5 %

COURSE POLICIES

- Active participation is an essential component of this course, as it integrates all language skills through interactive tasks and group work. Students are expected to attend at least 85% of classes to be eligible for successful completion of the course. Regular attendance ensures consistent progress and equal opportunity for participation.
- Respectful and engaged participation contributes to both individual learning and the collaborative classroom environment.
- The use of mobile phones and other electronic devices is strictly limited to course-related purposes; non-academic use during class time is not permitted.
- Students are responsible for bringing all required course materials (textbook, notebooks, and other assigned resources) to each class.

PLAGIARISM POLICY

All work submitted must be the student’s own. Plagiarism, cheating, or using unauthorized sources is a serious academic offense and will not be tolerated. Any instance of plagiarism

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may result in a failing grade for the assignment and further disciplinary action. Students are required to obey the regulations of the Higher Education Council (YÖK) and all related university rules & regulations regarding academic integrity including OSTİM Technical University Student Disciplinary Regulations*. Upholding these standards is essential for fair evaluation and academic success.

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