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# OSTIM 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 A1

Structure : 8 Week \* 8 Hours = Total 64 hours per module

# **INSTRUCTOR INFORMATION**

Name, Surname, Title :

E-mail :

Office Location :

# **COURSE PREREQUISITES**

This course is intended for learners who have completed Pre-A1 English or possess basic familiarity with the English alphabet, numbers, and very simple words and phrases. Students are expected to be able to introduce themselves, recognize familiar everyday expressions, and ask/answer short questions with support. The course assumes readiness to expand vocabulary, grammar, and functional language for daily communication at the A1 level.

# **COURSE GOALS AND CONTENT**

The goal of this course is to guide students from Pre-A1 to A1 level according to the CEFR, using the *A1 New Languo* coursebook. The content is designed around communicative, content-based activities that integrate listening, speaking, reading, and writing skills. The course covers a variety of everyday topics such as countries and nationalities, family, jobs and routines, food and clothing, places in town, animals, free time activities, past experiences, and cultural themes. Students practice functional language for introducing



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themselves, describing people, talking about routines, asking for directions, expressing preferences, and narrating past events. By the end of the course, learners will be able to communicate in simple, routine situations, understand short texts, write short messages and emails, and participate in basic conversations on familiar topics.

## **COURSE OBJECTIVES**

- 1. Understand and use familiar everyday expressions and simple sentences to satisfy basic needs.
- 2. Introduce themselves and others, and ask and answer questions about personal details (e.g., residence, family, possessions).
- 3. Participate in short social interactions provided the other person speaks slowly and clearly.
- 4. Read and understand short, simple texts on familiar topics.
- 5. Write simple notes, short personal messages, and structured guided texts (e.g., emails, short descriptions).
- 6. Develop strategies for communication, including asking for repetition, clarification, or help when needed.

## SPECIFIC COURSE OBJECTIVES

By the end of each unit in A1 New Languo, students will be able to:

- 1. Greet people, introduce themselves, ask and answer questions about nationality, age, and personal details, and use the verb *to be* and *Wh-questions* to exchange personal information.
- 2. Talk about family members and relationships, describe people's physical appearance, and use possessives, singular/plural forms, and ordinal numbers to give and request information about people.
- 3. Describe jobs and workplaces, talk about daily routines and habits, tell the time, and use the simple present tense with adverbs of frequency to express regular activities.
- 4. Identify and talk about food and clothing, order meals in restaurants, give simple recipes, and use countable/uncountable nouns, quantifiers, and *there is/are* to describe preferences and quantities.
- 5. Describe houses and furniture, talk about towns and neighborhoods, and ask for and give directions using prepositions of place as well as basic modal verbs such as *can* and *should* to express abilities and advice.
- 6. Talk about animals and their features, describe free-time activities, express likes and dislikes using gerunds, and make simple predictions about the future with *will* and *be going to*.
- 7. Use adjectives to describe personality, talk about extraordinary people and basic human rights, and narrate simple past events using *was/were* and regular past tense verbs.
- 8. Read short cultural and historical texts, describe important people, and narrate past events by using irregular verbs in the simple past tense.



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#### **TEXTBOOKS AND MATERIALS**

New Languo - A1

## **WEEKLY OPERATIONAL PLAN**

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

**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, telling the time

Week 4: Unit 4- Countable & uncountable nouns, there is & there are

quantifiers (a, an, some, any, much, many)

Week 5: Unit 5- Object & possessive pronouns, modal verbs (can & should)

Week 6: Unit 6- Simple future tense (will & be going to), gerunds for likes & dislikes

linking words (and, so, but, because)

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 %
  - o Written Outcome Task (10%)
  - Spoken Outcome Task (10%)
- Online Homework 10 %
  - o Languo Homework (5%)
  - o 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.



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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 courserelated 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 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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