

ANL11005BA - The English Sentence

offered for part-time students in the BA program in English Studies
Fall 2021

Course description

This lecture course is aimed at improving students' knowledge of English grammar. Our main goal will be to acquire a deep understanding of how clauses are structured in English and how they form more complex sentences. The topics that we cover include: internal versus external arguments, the complement-adjunct distinction, the functional structure of the extended adjectival and adpositional projection, negation, non-finite clauses, subordination, coordination, passive clauses, extraposition, existential clauses, the *it*-cleft construction, pseudo-clefts, and dislocation.

Required reading

Huddleston, Rodney and Geoffrey K. Pullum. 2005. *A Student's Introduction to English Grammar*. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.

Chapters 4, 6, 7, 8, 10, 11, 13, 14, 15

Grading policy

This course will culminate in a written exam at the end of the semester. Students will have access to two mock exams in UD's e-learning platform for a week before the final exam is due to be written.

The grading scale in this course will be as follows:

91% - 100% - 5
81% - 90% - 4
71% - 80% - 3
61% - 70% - 2
0% - 60% - 1

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