

Department of English

College of Languages

University of Salahaddin

Subject: Grammar I

Course Book –2nd Year

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Academic Year: 2023/2024

Course Book

1. Course name	Grammar
2. Lecturer in charge	Sangar Othman Ibrahim.
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5. Time (in hours) per week	9
6. Office hours	8
7. Course code	
8. Teacher's academic profile	PhD in English language and Linguistics.
9. Keywords	Prefer, would rather, reported speech, etc.

10. Course overview:

The course aims at teaching students the construction of tenses in English and practicing them and learns the difference in time expression in each tense.

11. Course objective:

The goal of teaching the Grammar of 2nd year students is to develop their ability to recognize English tenses and when they are used. Also they will be able to analyse English sentences and be familiar to use modals properly.

Students are supposed to be able to produce sentences correctly regarding tenses and the topics that will be covered in this academic year. This will be helpful not only in this subject but also in other subjects, in particular composition and comprehension.

12. Student's obligation

Regular attendance and daily preparation including doing the related exercises on their own besides doing further reading are basics to master the subject and use the material properly when needed.

13. Forms of teaching:

Lecture Method.

Books and board and the use of slides if needed. Group work activities.

The mentioned methods of teaching cannot be done without using projector and whiteboard. The instructor of this module uses PowerPoint slides to prepare all subjects for students and give them a copy of every subject to all students in order to read it by at least one day before coming to the class so as to have enough information about what they study before starting their classes.

14. Assessment scheme

Students are evaluated through written examinations, quizzes and activities.

Monthly exam: 40% (Midterm exam, daily activities, presentations and quizzes).

Final Exam: 60%.

15. Student learning outcome:

They are supposed to use what they study in classes in writing composition, essay and daily communication well.

16. Course Reading List and References:

- 1- Hewings, M. Advanced Grammar in Use. 3rd Ed. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.
- 2- Murphy, R. 2019. *English Grammar in Use*. 5th ed. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.
- 3-Azar, Betty Scrampfer. 1999. Understanding and Using English Grammar 2-Greenbaum and Nelson. 2002. An Introduction to English Grammar
- 4- Quirk, Randolph, Sidney Greanbaum, Geoffery Leach, and Jan Svartvik. 1998. A Comprehensive Grammar of the English Language.

17. Course of	contents	
September		
Week 1	General views about Grammar. The importance of grammar.	
Week 2	Clauses. The importance of Clauses.	
Week 3	Types of clauses and types of sentences.	
Week 4	Future continuous and future perfect. Have and have got	
October		
Week 1	If I knew and I wish I knew (Conditional sentences). If I had known, I wish I had known. Wish.	
Week 2	May, might, might as well, may as well.	
Week 3	Be able to, can, could. Could have done.	
Week 4	Have something done, get something done. Prefer and would rather. Would prefer.	
November		
Week 1	Reported speech. Prepositions.	

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Week 2	On time and in time. At the end and in the end.	
	On time, in time, just in time.	
Week 3	Must, must not, need not have done.	
Week 4	Articles. Should.	
December		
Week 1	Reviews	

18. Practical Topics (If there is any) Watching videos

19. Examinations:

Monthly Examination receives 40% and it is distributed as follows:

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Final Examination 60% points

20. Extra notes:

We will study more units if there is more time.

21. Peer review

Notes:

- 1- The first exam may be in October.
- 2- If we have enough time the second exam may be in November.

We should be aware of holidays.