

Plan 239 Lic. en Filología Inglesa

Asignatura 43334 LENGUA INGLESA III

Grupo '

Presentación

Descripción detallada de la lengua inglesa con especial referencia al grupo verbal. Teoría y práctica

Programa Básico

En este curso se estudia todo lo concerniente al grupo verbal en lengua inglesa, tratando de manera especial los usos sintácticos del mismo desde una perspectiva teórica y práctica.

Objetivos

A thorough grounding in the aspects and use of the English Verb and verbal phrase. Where applicable, there will be a contrastive analysis between the English and Spanish uses. A wide range of practical exercises will be given to supplement the theoretical classes.

Programa de Teoría

- Concepts, characteristics and forms of the verb
- 2. Often confused verbs and their translation into Spanish
- 3. Types of verbs; semantic domain, valencies, etc.
- 4. Auxiliary verbs
- 5. The different verb tenses and uses
- 6. Conditionals
- 7. Subjunctive
- 8. Verbs and verbal phrases
- 9. Phrasal & prepositional verbs
- Ellipsis
- 11. Passive voice
- 12. Reported speech
- 13. Concord

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Programa Práctico

Practical classes will be given to develop the four basic communicative skills: speaking, listening, reading & writing, with special emphasis on the oral abilities. As with "theoretical" classes, attendance at class is a basic necessity.

Evaluación

The theoretical exams will be of the grammatical-test type, which will enable the students to show their knowledge of the theory explained and their ability to put that theory into practice. For that reason, it is important to take note of the numerous examples given in class. It is hoped to set one exam -only for the theoretical part of the subject- at the end of the first cuatrimester, or thereabouts, which will examine the subject matter given up to that date, and the final exam in June, in which students who have not passed the first part of the exam have the opportunity to resit this. The second part of the June exam is obligatory for all students.

The final marks of the exam will include those of "theory" and those of "practice", both of which are equally important. Either of these two parts may be passed independently and the mark "held over" until the September resit exam.

Attendance at class will be considered a very important factor.

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Grupo 2

Presentación

Descripción detallada de la lengua inglesa con especial referencia al grupo verbal. Teoría y práctica

Programa Básico

Objetivos

The aspects and use of the English verb and verbal phrase will be reviewed during the whole academic year, paying special attention to verbal structure as well as syntactic uses. Theoretical classes will be supplemented with practical exercises.

Programa de Teoría

- 1. The verb: concepts, characteristics and forms
- 2. Types of verbs
- 3. Auxiliary verbs
- 4. Verb tenses
- 5. Conditionals
- 6. Verbals & verbal phrases
- 7. Negation & Ellipsis
- 8. Subjunctive
- 9. Passive voice
- 10. Reported speech
- 11. Phrasal & prepositional verbs
- 12. Concord

Programa Práctico

The practical classes will enable the students to show their knowledge of the theory explained as well as their ability to put it into practice. Videos, films, music will be used to trace the specific uses of the English verb in a more relaxed environment.

Evaluación

There will be two grammatical-test type exams (mid-term, and final examination). Besides, some papers will be asked for all through the year in order to complement the final grade. Class presentations will be welcome as well, in the practical classes.

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