

Plan 74 Ing.Tec.Agrí-cola Esp Hortofr y Jardinería

Asignatura 17679 INGLES TECNICO I

Grupo 1

Presentación

Programa Básico

Objetivos

Facilitar al alumno la adquisición y uso de un vocabulario específico de la hortofruticultura y jardinería así como el dominio de las estructuras gramaticales del inglés técnico con el fin de que logre destreza en la lectura de textos de carácter general o de divulgación sobre esta especialidad.

Programa de Teoría

1. Description of properties and shapes: be + adjective; have + noun; shape and derivatives; one-dimensional, two-dimensional and three-dimensional shapes; properties of materials; properties of soils; properties of plants and trees; botanical descriptions.
 2. Description of structure: active verbs used to describe structure; passive verbs used to describe structure; parts and the whole; cell structure in plants and animals; plant and tree structure; mechanical structure: the mower.
 3. Description of location: prepositions and prepositional phrases with indefinite and definite nouns; relative position; positions on two and three dimensions; parts of plants and trees and their spatial relationships; geographical positions; distribution of climates.
 4. Typology and role of definitions in scientific and technical literature: basic elements in definitions; simple definitions; complex or expanded definitions; formal, semi-formal and non-formal definitions.
 5. Measurement, quantity and proportion: measurable properties; units and quantities of measurement; qualified measurements; spatial measurements; scales and averages; rates, ranges and ratios; measuring growth in crops.
 6. Description of function and ability: verbs used to describe function, use, purpose and functioning; function in living organisms; function in instruments; function in machines.
 7. Typology and role of classifications in scientific and technical literature: basic elements in classifications; complete classifications; partial classifications; implicit classifications; taxonomy and systematics: the diversity of organisms; classification of climates.
 8. Description of process and change: time clauses; time relations; sentence connectors expressing time relations; sequences, flows and cycles; life cycles in plants and trees.
 9. Typology and role of comparisons in scientific and technical literature: simple comparisons; complex comparisons; similarities and differences in magnitude; lexical comparison; sentence connectors expressing comparison.
 10. Word-formation in engineering literature: affixation, conversion and compounding. Terms and terminology in garden literature.
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Programa Práctico

Reading comprehension
Oral comprehension
Composition work
Translation
Dictation

Evaluación

Trabajo (3 puntos)
Exposición oral en clase (1 punto)
Examen final (6 puntos)

Bibliografía

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