# Foreign Language - course description

General information	
Course name	Foreign Language
Course ID	09.0-WP-SOCDA-JOB
Faculty	Faculty of Social Sciences
Field of study	Sociology
Education profile	academic
Level of studies	Second-cycle studies leading to MS degree
Beginning semester	winter term 2020/2021

Course information	
Semester	1
ECTS credits to win	2
Course type	obligatory
Teaching language	polish
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Classes forms	ses forms					
The class form	Hours per semester (full-time)	Hours per week (full-time)	Hours per semester (part-time)	Hours per week (part-time)	Form of assignment	
Tutorial	30	2	-	-	Credit with grade	

### Aim of the course

The aim of the course is to improve language and communication competence to the extent relevant for the B2+ level according to the Common European Framework for Languages and enabling:

- the use of a foreign language for the purposes of studying, in particular the skillful use of a variety of foreign language source materials, media, popular science and specialist literature,
- continuation of studies within the selected specialization at foreign universities,
- the use of English for professional or scientific purpose.

## Prerequisites

B2 level of English

### Scope

- 1. Selected issues concerning sociological phenomena in the contemporary world.
- 2. Problems and threats of the modern world.
- 3. Current social trends.

## Teaching methods

Communication method, discussion, work with a scientific text in English, group work, brainstorming, presentations.

# Learning outcomes and methods of theirs verification

Outcome description	Outcome symbols	Methods of verification	The class form
The student can independently determine the directions of their own development and	<ul> <li>K_U08</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>activity during the classes</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Tutorial</li> </ul>
training in the field of communication in a foreign language.		<ul> <li>an exam - oral, descriptive,</li> </ul>	
		test and other	
The student has language skills in the fields of science and scientific disciplines, relevant to	• K_U05	activity during the classes	Tutorial
the studied field of study, in accordance with the requirements set for the B2 + level of the		<ul> <li>an exam - oral, descriptive,</li> </ul>	
European System of Language Description.		test and other	
The student is ready to critically evaluate information from various sources in a foreign	• K_K01	activity during the classes	Tutorial
language (regarding important social issues).		<ul> <li>an exam - oral, descriptive,</li> </ul>	
		test and other	

#### Assignment conditions

The requirement to pass is active participation in class discussions (30% of general grade) and writing two mid-term tests (60%) containing open and closed questions and obtaining a minimum of 50% of correct answers; student receives a grade of a mid-term test by the following points thresholds:

50-65%- satisfactory

66-74%- satisfactory plus

75-84%- good

85-91%- good plus

92-100%- very good

Classes grade will be the arithmetic mean of all partial grades.

Final grade: the final grade is the grade of the classes

### Recommended reading

- Oxenden C., Latham-Koenig C., English File 3rd ed. Advanced, Oxford University Press, 2015
- Oxenden C., Latham-Koenig C., English File 3rd ed. Intermediate, Oxford University Press, 2016
- Oxenden C., Latham-Koenig C., English File 3rd ed. Upper intermediate, Oxford University Press, 2016
- Oxenden C., Latham-Koenig C., English File 3rd edition intermediate plus, Oxford University Press, 2016
- Treger A., Treger B., Psychology Vocabulary in Use. Poltext, Warszawa 2016
- Matasek M., Powtórka przed egzaminem, Opracowania tematyczne, Handy Books Studio, 2014
- Matejko I., John-Jankowska B., A Selection of Sociological Problems in English, Tychy 2006
- Cieślak M., English Special, repetytorium leksykalno-tematyczne, Wydawnictwo "Wagros", Poznań 2007.
- Cieślak M., English, repetytorium leksykalno-gramatyczne, Wydawnictwo "Wagros", Poznań 2009.

### Further reading

- Vince M., Intermediate Language Practice, Macmillan, 2003
- Murphy R., English Grammar in Use, Cambridge University Press, 1997
- Longman Dictionary of Contemporary English, Longman, 2004

#### **Notes**

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