

Language Acquisition and Cultural Knowledge I

<i>Model type:</i>	Elective module
<i>Module Number:</i>	536002000
<i>ECT credits:</i>	10
<i>Hours per week:</i>	8 hrs.
<i>Semester:</i>	1 st and 2 nd semester
<i>Frequency:</i>	Begins every fall semester
<i>Length:</i>	2 semester
<i>Attendance time:</i>	120 hrs.
<i>Self-Study:</i>	180 hrs.
<i>Total Workload:</i>	300 hrs.
<i>Qualification goal:</i>	<p>Students can communicate fluently and articulately orally in French.</p> <p>They have a practice-oriented basic knowledge of French grammar and phonology and can also apply these spontaneously. The students have optimised their French pronunciation. Furthermore, the students possess the ability to independently read different types of texts of shorter length that provide them with basic information about the culture, history, society and politics of selected Francophone countries. They are also able to express themselves appropriately in writing in French.</p> <p>Furthermore, in their text production they take into account the different character of oral and written texts.</p>
<i>Course content:</i>	<p>Basic practical mastery of French grammar; French pronunciation with as few accents as possible; knowledge of the elementary basics of French prosody, sensitivity to French speech sounds; reading competence in different types of texts and thus basic knowledge of the country; ability to express oneself adequately orally and in writing.</p>

<i>Methodological competence:</i>	Ability to apply theoretical basic knowledge in language action and to act in a communicatively competent way; ability to read and analyse different types of texts. Students have analytical skills which they use adequately in text production and text reception; knowledge of methods of obtaining/evaluating information.
<i>Social and Self-competence:</i>	Sensitivity to constructive criticism of one's own competence in the French language.
<i>Learning methods:</i>	Willingness and ability to try out the French language in phonetic language games, also in groups, and to improve each other's skills.
	Individual, pair and group work; mediation and presentation exercises; discussions; Impulse lectures
<i>Module Coordinator:</i>	Prof. Dr. Cordula Neis
<i>Applicability of the Module:</i>	B.A. Educational Sciences
<i>Notes:</i>	TM 1 and TM 2 are only offered in the autumn semester, TM 3 and TM 4 only in the spring semester. Please note that only module components 1 and 2 are available for international students.

Module Components*

Oral Communication I (Listening Comprehension, Listening-Seeing Comprehension)

Module Number	536002100	Instruction type	Exercises
Hours per week	2 hrs	Attendance time	30 hrs
Module type	mandatory	Self- study	30 hrs
Group size	40	Total hours	60 hrs

Grammar

Module Number	536002200	Instruction type	Exercises
Hours per week	2 hrs	Attendance time	30 hrs
Module type	mandatory	Self- study	30 hrs
Group size	40	Total hours	60 hrs

Oral communication II (speaking competence; conversation)

Module Number	536002300	Instruction type	Exercises
Hours per week	2 hrs	Attendance time	30 hrs
Module type	mandatory	Self- study	30 hrs
Group size	40	Total hours	60 hrs

Written Communication and Reading Competence I

Module Number	536002400	Instruction type	Exercises
Hours per week	2 hrs	Attendance time	30 hrs
Module type	mandatory	Self- study	40 hrs
Group size	40	Total hours	70 hrs

Exam

Module Number	536002500	Exam duration	Oral exam- 30 mins
Exam type	Oral examination and reading comprehension	Exam preparation time	50 hours
Graded exam?	yes		