Informačný list predmetu

Akademický rok 2026/2027

Vysoká škola	Univerzita sv. Cyrila a Metoda v Trnave
Fakulta	FF UCM
Kód predmetu	KAA/beLex-AJ/23
Názov predmetu	lexikológia AJ
Rozsah	1P + 2S
Počet kreditov	5
Vyučujúci	PhDr. Marianna Hudcovičová, PhD., univ. doc. (hodnotiaci), PhDr. Marianna Hudcovičová, PhD., univ. doc. (prednášajúci)

Podmienky na absolvovanie predmetu

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Výsledky vzdelávania

The course provides students with the fundamentals of the word theory and of the main problems associated with English vocabulary, its characteristics and subdivisions. The focus is made on the features of the vocabulary as an adaptive system ever changing to meet the demands of thought and communication. The aim of the course is to summarize, systematically organize and extend basic theoretical and practical knowledge of contemporary English vocabulary, to acquaint students with basic terminology and to introduce practical skills enabling them to work with lexicographic sources more effectively. Students will be acquainted with the systematic description and analysis of the formal and semantic aspects of the English word as a basic unit of the vocabulary, with the complex nature of word meaning and the methods of its investigation, ways of replenishing the English vocabulary.
Upon successful completion of this course, the students are expected to apply theoretical knowledge to

carry out competent analysis of different lexical phenomena. At the end of the course, students will be able to understand better the “inner mechanism”, which makes the huge lexical system of the English language work and to apply theoretical knowledge and practical skills in their future teaching, translation, and research activities.

Stručná osnova predmetu

Lectures:
1. Lexicology: basic problems and terminology.
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Jazyk, ktorého znalosť je potrebná na absolvovanie predmetu

English, Slovak

Poznámky

150 hodín, z toho:
Prezenčné / Kombinované štúdium (P, S, C): 36
samoštúdium: 114