

Isra University Faculty of Arts Course Calendar 2015/2016

Department of English/Translation

First Semester

* Course Title: Grammar 3

* Course No.: 102321

* Instructor : Dr. Issa Al-Zoubi

* Office hours: 11-12 sun/tues/thurs + 10:45-12:30

* E-mail: issarazag@isra.edu.jo

* Course Description: Grammar 3 is an advanced course that continues from G1 and G2. First, it refreshes areas that have been previously studies and capitalizes on those where students have not mastered skillfully. The course also covers topics that have not been included in the previous courses with a focus on grammars at phrase, clause and sentence levels.

* Objectives:

ensuring students' command of previous grammar topics,

Ability to deal with more sophisticated levels of grammar

Develop new skills towards syntactic structures

* General Outcome: Mastery of English grammars at different levels starting from word level to sentence level. Ability to analyze and resolve grammatical errors.

Ability to practice the acquired skills in written and spoken English.

Week	Dates	Ch. & PP.	Remarks
First	18-22/10/2015	Introduction	
Second	25-29/10/2015	Ch1 tenses - present	practice
Third	1-5/11/2015	Ch2 tenses - future	=
Fourth	8-12/11/2015	Ch3 modals	=
Fifth	15-19/11/2015	Ch4 linking verbs, passives, questions	=
Sixth Seventh Eighth	22-11 up to 6-12/2015	Ch4 continues First exam	The first Exam
Ninth	13-17/12/2015	Ch5 Verb complementation	=
Tenth	20-24/12/2015	Ch6 reporting	=
Eleventh Twelfth Thirteenth	27-12-2015 up to 10-1-2016	2 nd exam	The second Exam
Fourteenth	17-21/1/2016	Ch7 Nouns: subj-verb Agr	
Fifteenth	24-28/1/2016	Ch8 : Clauses	
Sixteen	31-1 up to 11-2-2016		The Final Exam

* Assessment instruments

- **1.** Short reports and / or presentation, and / or short research projects.
- **2.** First and second exams
- **3.** Attendance and participations
- 4. Final exam

Grade Distribution		
Assessment instruments	Marks	
First examination	25	
Second Examination	25	
Participation	10	
Final examination	40	
Total	100	

* Textbook and Supporting Material

Advanced Grammar in Use 3: 2013 by Martin Hewings

Understanding and Using English Grammar by B. Azar 3rd Ed.