

Isra University Faculty of Arts Course Calendar 2015/2016

Department of English/Translation

First Semester

* Course Title: Grammar (1)

* Course No.: 102121

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* Course Description: the course aimsatproviding students with knowledge of basic structures, morphological components and language functions of English language.

* Objectives: to enable students:

- 1. Identify countable and uncountable nouns, and their agreements with verbs.
- 2. Differentiate between personal pronouns according to function and form.
- 3. Use interrogative, relative, and demonstrative pronouns.
- 4. Identify structural description of verbs.
- * General Outcome: the end of the course students will be able to
- 1. Recognize and use specific verb forms.
- 2. Identify and use count and non-count nouns.
- 3. Recognize the structural description of pronouns and how to use them correctly.

Week	Dates	Ch. & PP.	Remarks
First	18-22/10/2015	Unit 1	
Second	25-29/10/2015	Unit 1	
Third	1-5/11/2015	Unit 2	
Fourth	8-12/11/2015	Unit 2	
Fifth	15-19/11/2015	Unit 2	
Sixth Seventh Eighth	22-11 up to 6-12/2015	30/11/2015	The first Exam
Ninth	13-17/12/2015	Unit 3	
Tenth	20-24/12/2015	Unit 3	
Eleventh Twelfth Thirteenth	27-12-2015 up to 10-1-2016	4/1/2016	The second Exam
Fourteenth	17-21/1/2016	Unit 3	
Fifteenth	24-28/1/2016	Unit 3	
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

- 1. Jeremy Butterfield, (2008) *Damp Squid: The English Language Laid Bare*, Oxford University Press, Oxford. 978-0-19-923906. p. 142.
- 2. O'Grady, William; Dobrovolsky, Michael; Katamba, Francis (1996). <u>Contemporary Linguistics: An Introduction</u>. Harlow, Essex: Longman. pp. 4–7; 464–539.

- 3. Holmes, Janet (2001). <u>An Introduction to Sociolinguistics</u> (second ed.). Harlow, Essex: Longman. pp. 73–94. .; for more discussion of sets of grammars as populations, see: <u>Croft, William</u> (2000). <u>Explaining Language Change: An Evolutionary Approach</u>. Harlow, Essex: Longman. pp. 13–20
- **4.** Rodney Huddleston and Geoffrey K. Pullum, 2002, The Cambridge Grammar of the English Language. Cambridge (UK): Cambridge University Press, p. 627f.
 - **5.** Lundin, Leigh (September 23, 2007). <u>"The Power of Prepositions"</u>. On Writing. Cairo: Criminal Brief.
- 6. <u>Harper, Douglas</u>. <u>"Grammar"</u>. Online Etymological Dictionary. RetrievedApril 8, 2010
- 7. G. Khan, J. B. Noah, The Early Karaite Tradition of Hebrew Grammatical Thought (2000)
- **8.** Pinchas Wechter, Ibn Barūn's Arabic Works on Hebrew Grammar and Lexicography (1964)
- **9.** Gussenhoven, Carlos; Jacobs, Haike (2005). <u>Understanding Phonology</u>(second ed.). London: Hodder Arnoldd.
- 10. Jeremy Butterfield, (2008) *Damp Squid: The English Language Laid Bare*, Oxford University Press, Oxford. 978-0-19-923906. p. 142.
- **10.** O'Grady, William; Dobrovolsky, Michael; Katamba, Francis (1996). <u>Contemporary Linguistics: An Introduction</u>. Harlow, Essex: Longman. pp. 4–7; 464–539.
- 11. Holmes, Janet (2001). <u>An Introduction to Sociolinguistics</u> (second ed.). Harlow, Essex: Longman. pp. 73–94. .; for more discussion of sets of grammars as populations, see: <u>Croft, William</u> (2000). <u>Explaining Language Change: An Evolutionary Approach</u>. Harlow, Essex: Longman. pp. 13–20
- **12.** Rodney Huddleston and Geoffrey K. Pullum, 2002, The Cambridge Grammar of the English Language. Cambridge (UK): Cambridge University Press, p. 627f.
- **13.** Lundin, Leigh (September 23, 2007). <u>"The Power of Prepositions"</u>. On Writing. Cairo: Criminal Brief.
- **14.** <u>Harper, Douglas</u>. <u>"Grammar"</u>. Online Etymological Dictionary. RetrievedApril 8, 2010
- 15. G. Khan, J. B. Noah, The Early Karaite Tradition of Hebrew Grammatical Thought (2000)
- **16.** Pinchas Wechter, Ibn Barūn's Arabic Works on Hebrew Grammar and Lexicography (1964)
- **17.** Gussenhoven, Carlos; Jacobs, Haike (2005). <u>Understanding Phonology</u>(second ed.). London: Hodder Arnoldd.
 - **18.** Modern English Part 1: by Marcella Frank Grammar in use: by Raymond Murphy Fundementals of English Grammar: Betty S. Azar and Stacy A. Hagen
 - 19. http://www.grammarbook.com/
 - **20.** www.pearsonlongman.com/ae/postcards2e/pdf/.../Postcards_Gram
- 21. www.edufind.com/english-grammar/english-grammar-guide