

Tamkang University Academic Year 113, 1st Semester Course Syllabus

Course Title	LANGUAGE LEARNING STRATEGIES FROM THEORY TO APPLICATIONS	Instructor	GUY MATTHEW REDMER
Course Class	TFLXB3P DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH, 3P	Details	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ General Course ◆ Selective ◆ One Semester ◆ 2 Credits
Relevance to SDGs	<p>SDG4 Quality education</p> <p>SDG16 Peace, justice and strong institutions</p>		
Departmental Aim of Education			
<p>I. Cultivate diverse research specialists with abilities in language, literature, culture, and English teaching.</p> <p>II. Carry on and further the excellent tradition of domestic language instruction and literary research to be a department contributing equally to research and language teaching.</p> <p>III. Foster a holistic learning process by putting equal emphasis on language and literature, theory and practice.</p> <p>IV. Strategies</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Train students' abilities in five skills: English listening, speaking, reading, writing and translation. 2. Promote technologicalization and internationalization. 3. Upgrade the quality and quantity of those students who participate in the Junior Year Abroad program. 4. Launch a common English Proficiency Test and enhance students' competitiveness in the job market. 5. Enrich international video conferencing. 6. Promulgate such areas of research as English and American literature, cultural studies, ecocriticism, and English Teaching. 			
Subject Departmental core competences			
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> A. Strengthen students' abilities in English listening, speaking, reading, writing and translation. (ratio:20.00) B. Develop students' critical thinking skills in an English language learning context.(ratio:20.00) C. Strengthen students' workplace English ability.(ratio:10.00) D. Develop students' professional abilities in linguistics and English teaching.(ratio:20.00) E. Develop students' ability to appreciate Anglophone and Western literatures in cultural and historical contexts.(ratio:30.00) 			

Subject Schoolwide essential virtues

1. A global perspective. (ratio:20.00)
2. Information literacy. (ratio:10.00)
3. A vision for the future. (ratio:10.00)
4. Moral integrity. (ratio:10.00)
5. Independent thinking. (ratio:30.00)
6. A cheerful attitude and healthy lifestyle. (ratio:10.00)
7. A spirit of teamwork and dedication. (ratio:5.00)
8. A sense of aesthetic appreciation. (ratio:5.00)

Course Introduction

This course explores strategies of successful language learners.

The correspondences between the course's instructional objectives and the cognitive, affective, and psychomotor objectives.

Differentiate the various objective methods among the cognitive, affective and psychomotor domains of the course's instructional objectives.

I. Cognitive : Emphasis upon the study of various kinds of knowledge in the cognition of the course's veracity, conception, procedures, outcomes, etc.

II.Affective : Emphasis upon the study of various kinds of knowledge in the course's appeal, morals, attitude, conviction, values, etc.

III.Psychomotor: Emphasis upon the study of the course's physical activity and technical manipulation.

No.	Teaching Objectives	objective methods
1	To assist students in applying language learning strategies and choosing suitable ones for themselves	Affective
2	Become proficient in language learning strategies for personal application	Cognitive

The correspondences of teaching objectives : core competences, essential virtues, teaching methods, and assessment

No.	Core Competences	Essential Virtues	Teaching Methods	Assessment
1	ABCDE	12345678	Lecture, Discussion, Practicum	Study Assignments, Discussion(including classroom and online), Report(including oral and written)
2	ABCDE	12345678	Lecture, Discussion, Practicum	Report(including oral and written)

Course Schedule

Week	Date	Course Contents	Note
1	113/09/09 ~ 113/09/15	Course introduction	
2	113/09/16 ~ 113/09/22	Self-Regulation	
3	113/09/23 ~ 113/09/29	Self-Regulation	
4	113/09/30 ~ 113/10/06	Stories of successful learners	
5	113/10/07 ~ 113/10/13	Language Learning Strategy Surveys	
6	113/10/14 ~ 113/10/20	Listening strategies	
7	113/10/21 ~ 113/10/27	Stories of successful learners	
8	113/10/28 ~ 113/11/03	Stories of successful learners	
9	113/11/04 ~ 113/11/10	Midterm Exam/Midterm Assessment Week (teachers can adjust the week as needed)	
10	113/11/11 ~ 113/11/17	Vocabulary strategies	
11	113/11/18 ~ 113/11/24	Speaking strategies	
12	113/11/25 ~ 113/12/01	Speaking strategies	
13	113/12/02 ~ 113/12/08	Affective strategies	
14	113/12/09 ~ 113/12/15	Affective strategies	
15	113/12/16 ~ 113/12/22	Affective Strategies	
16	113/12/23 ~ 113/12/29	Presentations Due	
17	113/12/30 ~ 114/01/05	Final Exam/Final Assessment Week (teachers can adjust the week as needed)	

18	114/01/06~ 114/01/12	Flexible Teaching Week: Generally, no in-person classes; teachers may arrange teaching activities or final assessments, among other options.	
Key capabilities	self-directed learning		
Interdisciplinary	In addition to teaching content of the teacher's professional field, integrate other subjects or invite experts and scholars in other fields to share knowledge or teaching		
Distinctive teaching	Special/Problem-Based(PBL) Courses		
Course Content	Logical Thinking Self-awareness		
Requirement	This course is taught entirely in English. All materials are in English and students are required to participate and complete any assignments in English		
Textbooks and Teaching Materials	Using teaching materials from other writers:Textbooks		
References			
Grading Policy	<p>◆ Attendance : 20.0 % ◆ Mark of Usual : % ◆ Midterm Exam : 20.0 %</p> <p>◆ Final Exam : 40.0 %</p> <p>◆ Other 〈Quizzes〉 : 20.0 %</p>		
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