



MODELLO SCHEDA INSEGNAMENTO

Corso di L/LM/LMCU	Biotechnology
Denominazione insegnamento:	English Language
Numero di Crediti:	4
Semestre:	first
Docente Titolare:	Benedetta Miracolo
Dottorandi/assegnisti di ricerca che svolgono attività didattica a supporto del corso:	
Orario di ricevimento:	Thursday from 3 pm to 4 pm
Indirizzo:	

COURSE PLANNING

The English Language Course deals with the main grammatical and linguistic structures as well as topics and contents related to the specific micro-language. Following the course, the student will be facilitated in understanding and interpreting the messages in that language.

TRAINING AIMS

The course is structured to provide the student with knowledge and understanding skills at a secondary level (knowledge and understanding).

Through the use of grammar and grammar textbooks, the student will be able to discuss topics related to their English competence and learning- (applying knowledge and understanding);

At the end of the course, the student will be able to use the knowledge acquired during the course, which will allow him / her an appropriate professional approach to work and the ability to face job interviews in English - (making judgments).

The student will have the ability to express his own ideas and opinions and will be able to communicate with English speaking people - (communicationskills).

At the end of the course, the student will have the ability to learn and comprehend texts in specific language, by himself - (learningskills).

PREVIOUS KNOWLEDGE

No previous knowledge is required. At the beginning of the course, an entry test will be given the students to check base knowledge.

SESSION ATTENDANCE

The attendance of the course is recommended to ensure the student to get his abilities and competences at the best.

COURSE CONTENTS

Articles. Simple and continuous. Order of words in questions; Possessive "' s "; Adverbs of frequency; Quantifiers; Comparative and superlative adjectives; Can / can' t / be able to; Intentional Future; Future Simple and Future Scheduled; Verb + Infinity vs. verb + ger; Common verbs and placements.

Micro language: cell, DNA, differences between DNA and RNA, genetics, biotechnology and genetic engineering, skeleton, internal organs, food and health, the cloning.

TEACHING METHODS

The English course will be held through frontal lessons. In grammar lessons, the use of the blackboard will be useful to explain concepts by means of examples. As to the scientific topics and micro-language, every lesson will be supported by ppt slides to provide the students with the faculty of interacting with the teacher in English.

BOOKS

English Tools, B. Franchi Martelli - H. Creek, Minerva Scuola

Latham-Koenig, Christina, Clive Oxenden, and Paul Seligson, 2012, English File Elementary Student's Book, Oxford University Press, Oxford, UK.

Latham-Koenig, Christina, Clive Oxenden, and Paul Seligson, 2012, English File: Pre-intermediate

Student's book, Oxford University Press, Oxford, UK.

EXAMINATION

The Profit Exam includes a written test and an oral exam. The written test will focus on the grammar topics and its passing is necessary for the the oral test.

Written and oral exams are set on grammatical and linguistic structures and may include text comprehension exercises, completion exercises, and multiple answer questions for a total of 30 multiple-choice questions + 5 exercises. The duration of the exam is three hours.

In the case of a correct multiple response, a score of 0.5 is given. In case of correct exercise, 3 points are awarded (30 correct multiple answers = 15 points, 5 correct exercises = 15 points, maximum score is 30).

At the oral interview, the evaluation will take into account the relevance of the answers to the questions asked and the linkage capacity between the scientific issues to be addressed.

EXAM CALENDAR

Winter session: January and March

Summer session: May and June

Autumn session: September and October

BOOKING

Send an e-mail to:

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TOPICS	TIME	bibliografy	Teaching Methods
Grammar	12	English grammar book	Frontal lessons / blackboar
Micro language	20	Guide line book	Frontal lessons / laptop