

Course Code and Number: LCS 101

Teaching Method: In-person

Target Group: Undergraduate students at Yarmouk University

Prerequisites: None

Course Description:

This introductory course focuses on the fundamental skills of Spanish. Students will develop four basic language skills: listening comprehension, reading comprehension, spoken fluency, and written fluency. The course introduces students to basic grammar rules, including pronoun, adjective, and preposition use, as well as present tense verb conjugation. Students will also learn to pronounce words and phrases used in everyday conversation. The course uses a practical teaching approach involving dialogue, role-play, group activities, and interactive use of Spanish to build a foundation for future language study.

Course Objectives:

- Recognize and pronounce the Spanish alphabet and basic vocabulary.
- Participate in fundamental dialogue in Spanish, including greetings, introductions, and other common phrases.
- Comprehend short written texts and simple conversations in Spanish.
- Apply basic grammar rules, including present tense verb conjugation, as well as adjective and pronoun usage.
- Develop speaking skills through Spanish audio and dialogue-based activities.

Skills Acquired:

- Everyday Spanish communication.
- Compose simple written and spoken sentences in Spanish.
- Comprehension of simple written and spoken messages.

- Expression of basic needs and everyday topics in Spanish.
- Correct pronunciation and basic listening ability.

Course Code and Number: LCS 102

Teaching Method: In-person

Target Group: Undergraduate students at Yarmouk University

Prerequisites: Successful completion of LCS 101

Course Description:

This course builds on the concepts covered in LCS 101 by focusing on more advanced vocabulary and language structures. Students learn verb conjugation for the past, future, and near past tenses to describe past events, express opinions, and discuss future plans in Spanish. The course also covers grammar elements, including indirect pronoun usage, descriptive and conditional sentence structures, and comparative and speculative forms. Students will achieve greater fluency and application of concepts through interactive discussions, simulations, and other activities.

Course Objectives:

- Produce and comprehend more complex conversations.
- Write short- to medium-length texts with greater fluency.
- Expand and apply Spanish vocabulary in new contexts.
- Master verb conjugation in different tenses and more complex structures.
- Improve listening comprehension through authentic audio content.
- Coherently express emotions and opinions.

Skills Acquired:

- Engage in more complex conversations on various topics.
- Comprehend more advanced written and spoken texts.
- Write clear and coherent short to medium-length texts.
- Use grammar more accurately and effectively.
- Greater confidence in everyday Spanish communication.

Course Code and Number: LCS 103

Teaching Method: In-person

Target Group: Undergraduate students at Yarmouk University

Prerequisites: Successful completion of LCS 102

Course Description:

This course builds on the concepts covered in LCS 102 by focusing on advanced Spanish spoken and written fluency and reading and listening comprehension. Course topics include discussions of social and cultural issues, presentation preparation, essay writing, and storytelling. Students are introduced to literary and cultural texts to enhance their understanding of Spanish in more complex contexts and to encourage critical and analytical thinking.

The course will also cover advanced grammar topics, present perfect and imperfect tense verb conjugation. Students also develop greater familiarity and facility with advanced conditional structures, passive voice, exclamations, and logical connectors. Language acquisition is reinforced through practical activities such as discussions, group projects, and textual analysis in academic and professional contexts.

Course Objectives:

- Develop advanced spoken and written Spanish.
- Analyze and comprehend literary and cultural texts.
- Apply complex grammatical structures with fluency and accuracy.
- Produce advanced oral and written texts.
- Debate and express opinions clearly and in depth.

Skills Acquired:

- Communicate fluently and clearly on a variety of topics.
- Read and analyze advanced Spanish texts.
- Write coherent formal and academic texts.
- Express opinions and ideas using advanced language structures.
- Effectively use advanced grammatical and narrative styles.

Course Code and Number: LCS 104

Teaching Method: In-person

Target Group: Undergraduate students at Yarmouk University

Prerequisites: Successful completion of LCS 103

Course Description:

This course builds on the concepts covered in LCS 103 by developing advanced critical thinking and communication skills in Spanish. Students will learn to apply language fluently and flexibly in professional and academic contexts, including complex discussions, academic essays, and cultural texts. Oral and written expression is also enhanced through simulation of real-life scenarios, such as making oral presentations, writing analytical reports, and debating social and cultural issues.

Course topics include social and political issues, cultural trends in the Spanish-speaking world, and Spanish and Latin American literature. Students receive intensive practice in listening, reading, and writing, which includes analyzing journalistic, literary, and academic texts. Course instruction includes advanced conditional forms, reported speech, passive voice, persuasive techniques, advanced connectors, and narrative, explanatory, and justificatory structures. Successful completion of the course enables students to effectively communicate in both academic and professional settings with clarity and precision.

Course Objectives:

- Discuss complex topics in Spanish fluently and confidently.
- Write coherent academic and analytical texts using advanced structures.
- Analyze and critique Spanish literary and cultural texts.
- Use advanced grammar structures in written and spoken contexts.
- Build negotiation and persuasion skills across various scenarios in Spanish.
- Develop speaking and listening skills through extended dialogue and discussion.
- Analyze cultural and social contexts within journalistic and literary texts.

Skills Acquired:

- Hold fluent conversations in academic and professional settings.
- Analyze social and cultural issues in texts and critical discussions.
- Produce high-quality formal and informal texts.
- Apply advanced grammar in everyday and academic communication.
- Use Spanish in professional settings, such as report writing, interviews, and formal communication.

• Deliver persuasive oral presentations in clear, accurate Spanish.