



## COURSE INFORMATION FOR CURRENT SEMESTER/TERM

**Department** : English (S1)  
**Classes** : C11.1.11-3, C11.1.15  
**Course Title** : Intro. to General Linguistics  
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**Course description:** This course introduces you to the basic linguistic concepts necessary for understanding how sounds, words, sentences, and texts are structured and helps you use these concepts to contrast the structure of English with the structure of other languages.

### Teaching Schedule

WEEK	LECTURE / TUTORIAL / ASSIGNMENT TOPIC	REFERENCES / TEACHING MATERIALS / EQUIPMENT
1	Introduction Why study linguistics?	Course information, teaching schedule Ppt Slides, Lecture Notes
2	The study of language	IEL: Ch. 1, LF: File 1.4 – 1.6, File 2
3	Language change, language development, and language death	IEL, Ch. 2
4	Sounds: Phonetics	IEL: Ch. 7, ITL: Ch. 4
5	Sounds: Phonology	IEL: Ch. 7, ITL: Ch. 5
6	Sounds: Phonology	IEL: Ch. 7, ITL: Ch. 5
7	Review: Meeting 1 – 6	Ppt Slides, Textbooks, Lecture Notes
MID-TERM EXAM		
8	Words: Morphology	IEL: Ch. 6, ITL: Ch.1
9	Sentences: Syntax	ITL: Ch. 2, LF: File 6
10	Sentences: Syntax	ITL: Ch.2, LF: File 6
11	Meaning: Semantics	ITL: Ch. 3
12	Meaning: Pragmatics	LF: File 8
13	Other branches of linguistics Research in linguistics	ITL, LF
14	Review: Meeting 8 – 13	Ppt Slides, Textbooks, Lecture Notes
FINAL EXAM		



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**Assessment Methods:** Final exam 35%, mid-term exam 25%, assignments and class activities 40%

**Textbooks:**

LF: Dept of Linguistics of Ohio State University. 1998. *Language Files 7e*. Ohio: Ohio State University Press

ITL: Fromkin, Rodman, Hyams. 2011. *An Introduction to Language 9e*. Canada: Cengage

IEL: Meyer, Charles F. 2009. *Introducing English Linguistics*. New York: Cambridge University Press

(Other sources on introduction to linguistics are also helpful.)

**NOTE:**

- The schedule above is subject to change at any time. Some of the topics may not be covered in much detail.
- You are highly encouraged to study independently or in group to get a good grasp of the materials.
- Students MUST comply with a minimum attendance level of 75% to be allowed to take the final exam.
- There are no excused absences (you are already excused for three absences), so DO NOT offer "notes" or text messages from doctors, parents, or you yourselves.
- You cannot sign the attendance list if you enter the class after me.
- You can send me messages (SMS, Whatsapp). Remember, always use STANDARD and POLITE language.