

## Russian - Elementary level

9.0 credits

90.0 h

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Teacher(s) :	Zakharkevitch Andréi ;
Language :	Français
Place of the course	Louvain-la-Neuve
Prerequisites :	None (basic course). The course is open to everyone (UCL students, UCL staff, students not otherwise registered at UCL). Condition: to have no prior knowledge of Russian.
Main themes :	 The course tackles different topics (such as leisure, travel, home, advertising).
	 Code: ability to master the basic vocabulary and the basic structures of the Russian language. Oral expression: focus on the ability to communicate in Russian rather than on language correctness. However, phonetic correctness will be specifically stressed.
	 Culture: special care will be given to raise students' awareness of the Russian-speaking cultures at all skill levels.
Aims :	 Reading comprehension: reading short simple texts and short simple personal letters, finding specific expected information in everyday material & t; CEFR A2
	 Listening comprehension - individually: understanding most frequent sentences and vocabulary; Listening comprehension - interactively: catching the main point in short, clear, simple messages and announcements & t; CEFR A2
	Oral expression - individually: describing in simple terms one's family and other people,one's living conditions, educational background, and present or most recent activity; Oral expression - interactively: simple and direct exchange of information on familiar topics and activities; very short social exchanges & t; CEFR A2
	 Written expression: short, simple messages; filling in very simple forms & t; CEFR A1 The contribution of this Teaching Unit to the development and command of the skills and learning outcomes of the programme(s) can be accessed at the end of this sheet, in the section entitled "Programmes/courses offering this Teaching Unit".
Evaluation methods :	Different marks are taken into account in the global mark.
	Continuous assessment is based on tests and self-evaluative tests during the year (no certificative assessment). Assessment methods will be adapted to the situation of the student. Evaluation (with the help of ICT) will also be carried out regularly by the teacher during the student's stay abroad.
	 Final written and oral exams in June and/or September.
	 Students enrolled in ILV for this course who pass the exam are eligible for the elementary Russian level certificate delivered by the ILV (CEFR A2 level).
Teaching methods :	Learning is contextualized by original or edited texts (reading or listening comprehension). Vocabulary and basic grammatical structures are trained, consolidated and extended via written and oral exercises (drills, roleplays, interviews, conversations in groups of 2 or 4 people).
Content :	Objectives:
	 level A2 of the CEFRL for oral expression, listening and reading comprehension
	 level A1 of the CEFRL for written expression. Methods and content:
	extension and consolidation of vocabulary and grammar structures
	 listening and reading exercises 
	oral exercises (individual and interactive)

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	written exercises
	activities on general topics.
Bibliography :	Didactic Materials:
	Textbook : Russe Methode 90.
	 Tapes and videos
	 Self-tuition CD-Rom.
Other infos :	 Workload : classroom hours : 90; Homework and self-study : 120 hours.  The teacher is available during his/her office hours and can be contacted by e-mail.  Guidance at the multimedia room of the ILV.
Cycle and year of study :	<ul> <li>&gt; Bachelor in Ancient Languages and Literatures: Oriental Studies</li> <li>&gt; Preparatory Year for Master in Ancient Languages and Literatures: Oriental Languages</li> <li>&gt; Bachelor in Ancient and Modern Languages and Literatures</li> <li>&gt; Bachelor in Information and Communication</li> <li>&gt; Bachelor in Pharmacy</li> <li>&gt; Bachelor in Ancient languages and Literatures: Classics</li> <li>&gt; Bachelor in Modern Languages and Literatures: Classics</li> <li>&gt; Bachelor in Motor Languages and Literatures: German, Dutch and English</li> <li>&gt; Bachelor in Motor skills : General</li> <li>&gt; Bachelor in Motor skills : General</li> <li>&gt; Bachelor in Modern Languages and Literatures : General</li> <li>&gt; Bachelor in Modern Languages and Literatures : General</li> <li>&gt; Bachelor in Political Sciences: General</li> <li>&gt; Bachelor in History of Art and Archaeology : General</li> <li>&gt; Bachelor in Mathematics</li> <li>&gt; Bachelor in Mathematics</li> <li>&gt; Bachelor in Biomedicine</li> <li>&gt; Bachelor in Biomedicine</li> <li>&gt; Bachelor in religious studies</li> </ul>
Faculty or entity in charge:	ILV