

Due to the COVID-19 crisis, the information below is subject to change, in particular that concerning the teaching mode (presential, distance or in a comodal or hybrid format).



5 credits	45.0 h + 45.0 h	Q1 and Q2
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Teacher(s)	Bulon Amélie (compensates Meunier Fanny) ;De Cock Sylvie ;Dupont Maité (compensates De Cock Sylvie) ;Meunier Fanny ;
Language :	English
Place of the course	Louvain-la-Neuve
Prerequisites	<i>The prerequisite(s) for this Teaching Unit (Unité d'enseignement – UE) for the programmes/courses that offer this Teaching Unit are specified at the end of this sheet.</i>
Aims	<i>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".</i>
Evaluation methods	<p>Due to the COVID-19 crisis, the information in this section is particularly likely to change.</p> <p>Certificate evaluation. Exam in June: five main parts:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Oral production (with and without interaction; conversation and pronunciation): 20% of the final mark • Written production: 20% of the final mark • Listening comprehension: 20% of the final mark • Reading comprehension: 20% of the final mark • Focus on forms/accuracy (vocabulary, error detection and correction, grammar exercises): 20% of the final mark <p>• Students who get a grade lower than 8/20 for one of the five parts of the exam (oral production, written production, listening comprehension, reading comprehension, focus on forms/accuracy) will fail the course overall (7/20 or less if the mean is lower).</p> <p>Continuous assessment:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • active participation in the conversation classes and short group presentations followed by debates during the academic year • portfolio of written assignments: five individual assignments and one group assignment will be set throughout the year (3 written assignments per term). • exemption vocabulary test during the January session (exemption: 10/20): one third of the final mark for the 'focus on forms' part of the written exam in June. <p>Students who have to resit the June exam (September session) need to redo the exam parts for which they did not get 10/20 in June (oral production, written production, listening comprehension, reading comprehension, focus on forms/accuracy).</p> <p>Words of caution</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • At the end of the academic year, some parts of the exam will take place before the official exam session. No 'catch-up' session will be organized for these parts. • Students who do not hand in the written assignments of the portfolio on time or who do not give the group presentation will be penalised: one mark per missing assignment will be deducted from the final grade for the written production part of the course and/or five marks will be deducted from the final grade for the oral production part (no presentation).
Teaching methods	<p>Due to the COVID-19 crisis, the information in this section is particularly likely to change.</p> <p>Lectures and exercise sessions.</p> <p>Self-study: Gairns, R. and Redman, S. (2008) Oxford Word Skills (Advanced). Oxford University Press.</p> <p>The lectures and exercise sessions are given face to face (or online via Teams or using dual mode teaching if face to face teaching is not possible in case of a health crisis for example).</p>
Content	In order to achieve the objectives of the course, the participants will be faced to a wide range of audio-visual, written and oral material about both familiar and unfamiliar topics belonging to personal, social, cultural, professional and academic everyday life.
Inline resources	Moodle

Bibliography	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Course notes and teaching material on Moodle. Please bring them to class (paper or electronic version). • Exercices et documents de travail sur Moodle (plateforme e-learning) • Gairns, R. & Redman, S. (2008) <i>Oxford Word Skills (Advanced)</i>. Oxford: Oxford University Press. (with CD-ROM).
Faculty or entity in charge	ELAL

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Teaching methods	Online teaching (on Teams) if face-to-face teaching is not possible
Evaluation methods	Exemption vocabulary test during the January session: on Moodle Written exam on Moodle if a written exam on campus is not possible. Oral exam (pronunciation and conversation) on Teams if an oral exam on campus is not possible

Programmes containing this learning unit (UE)				
Program title	Acronym	Credits	Prerequisite	Aims
Bachelor in Modern Languages and Literatures: German, Dutch and English	GERM1BA	5	LANGL1720 AND LGERM1126	
Minor in English Studies	MINANGL	5		
Bachelor in Modern Languages and Literatures : General	ROGE1BA	5	LANGL1720 AND LGERM1126	