

Modern Greek as a Foreign Language B: Extra-curricula (elective) course offered to Erasmus and other international students.

<b>Course title:</b> Modern Greek as foreign language B		
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Course code:	<b>Type of course:</b> Lectures	<b>Level of course:</b> Intermediate (B1)
	<b>Duration:</b> for each semester (winter and spring), 52 teaching hours	<b>Number of credits:</b> 4
<p>This course aims at the B1 level of the Common European Framework of Reference (CEFR). The students can:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• understand the main points of clear standard input on familiar matters regularly encountered in work, school, leisure, etc.</li> <li>• deal with most situations likely to arise whilst travelling in an area where the language is spoken.</li> <li>• produce simple connected text on topics which are familiar or of personal interest.</li> <li>• describe experiences and events, dreams, hopes &amp; ambitions and briefly give reasons and explanations for opinions and plans.</li> </ul>		
<b>Prerequisites:</b> Modern Greek as foreign language A (Beginner level)		
<p><b>Course contents:</b></p> <p>The teaching of grammar includes basic declination of nouns, and new noun groups, as well, i.e. feminine in -ος -&gt;-οι, -η -&gt;εις. Also, it includes the use of Present Tense (πηγαίνω/πάω, τρώω), Simple Past (Aoristos), Simple Future Tense (θα πάω) and Ypotaktiki (θέλω να πάω/να πηγαίνω), the difference in the moods of the verb (να πάω/να πηγαίνω) and Imperative form (γράψε, άκουσε), for verbs in active and mediopassive morphology.</p> <p>These grammatical units and the vocabulary are introduced within language activities (speaking, listening, reading, writing) and language functions (ask for information, apologize, introduce, describe, narrate etc) in combination with communicative situations, i.e. buying things from the market, asking information about direction/time, introducing themselves, tell a story etc.</p>		
<p><b>Recommended reading:</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1) Catsimali, Georgia et. al <i>Ellinika me tin pareia mou 1 &amp; 2</i> , OEDB &amp; EDIAMME (University of Crete)</li> <li>2) Arvanitakis, Kleanthis <i>Epikoinoniste Ellinika</i>, v.1 &amp; 2</li> <li>3) Teachers' material</li> </ol>		
<p><b>Teaching methods:</b></p> <p>The teaching method is a combination of teaching basic grammatical parts of Modern Greek and communicative use of the language</p>		
<b>Assessment methods:</b> exams in the end of the semester		
<b>Language of instruction:</b> Greek and some English		