

# Lecture plan for ENG 1100: ENGLISH GRAMMAR

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Tuesdays 9.15-10 in Auditorium 1, Sophus Bugges Hus

<i>Date</i>	<i>Topic</i>	<i>Reading</i>
1. 23 Aug	What is grammar? Grammatical units: words and phrases	ch. 1 ch. 2
2. 30 Aug	Clauses and clause elements	ch. 2 + ch. 9 pp 248-265
3. 6 Sep	Words and their meaning NB: in Kristine Bonnevis hus (Biologi), Aud 3	ch. 3
4. 13 Sep	Nouns and noun phrases	ch. 4
5. 20 Sep	Determiners and pronouns	ch. 5
6. 27 Sep	Verbs and verb phrases Concord	ch. 6 ch. 9 pp 265-273
7. 4 Oct	Tense, time reference, aspect	ch. 7 pp 176-194
<i>Week 41: Study break</i>		
8. 18 Oct	Modality	ch. 7 pp 186-205
9. 25 Oct	Adjectives and adverbs Adverbials	ch. 8 ch. 10
10. 1 Nov	Sentence form and communicative function Word order I (fronting and inversion)	ch. 14 ch. 11 pp 298-311
11. 8 Nov	Word order II (focus + passive voice, <i>it/there</i> )	ch. 11 pp 311-328
12. 15 Nov	Co-ordination and subordination Finite subordinate clauses	ch. 12
13. 22 Nov	Non-finite clauses	ch. 13
14. 29 Nov	Grammar in text + Revision	ch. 15
9 Dec	Exam	

## Required reading

Hilde Hasselgård, Stig Johansson and Per Lysvåg: *English Grammar: Theory and Use*. Oslo: Universitetsforlaget, ch. 1-15

## Recommended study aids

H. Hasselgård and P. Lysvåg: *English Grammar: Theory and Use. A Key to Exercises*. Universitetsforlaget. (Has a chapter on how to write grammar papers.)

H. Hasselgård: *A Glossary of Grammatical Terms*. <http://folk.uio.no/hasselg/terms.html>

## Fronter (<http://fronter.uio.no>)

The room for ENG1100 will contain lecture handouts and relevant links for the course.

Further material can be found at the **Grammar Website**:

<http://folk.uio.no/hasselg/grammar/>

## Oslo Interactive English (OIE)

OIE provides interactive exercises for students of English at the University of Oslo, as a supplement to the courses ENG-1100, ENG-1102, and ENG-1111. All exercises can be solved by the use of a text corpus. <http://folk.uio.no/signeo/OIE/>

Also try **Trivial Corpus Pursuit** at <http://folk.uio.no/signeo/OIE/tcp.php>. Both resources are accessed via USERNAME corpus PASSWORD pursuit

## Recommended supplementary literature

Biber, Douglas, Susan Conrad and Geoffrey Leech. 2002. *Longman Student Grammar of Spoken and Written English*. Pearson Education.

Bækken, Bjørg. 2006. *English Grammar*. Bergen: Fagbokforlaget.

Carter, Ronald & Michael McCarthy. 2006. *Cambridge Grammar of English*. Cambridge University Press.

Crystal, David. 1988. *Rediscover Grammar*. London: Longman. (An easy reference book with cartoons and very clear lay-out.)

Crystal, David. 2004. *Making Sense of Grammar*. Harlow: Pearson Longman.

Dypedahl, Magne, Hilde Hasselgård & Berit Løken 2006. *Introducing English Grammar*. Bergen: Fagbokforlaget.

Greenbaum, Sidney & Gerald Nelson. 2009. *An Introduction to English Grammar*. Third edition. Harlow: Pearson Longman

Johansson, Stig & Per Lysvåg. 1986/1987. *Understanding English Grammar*. Vols. I & II. Oslo: Universitetsforlaget

## Assessment

Within specified dates students are asked to submit 2 obligatory assignments to their group teachers. Deadlines for submission will be announced at the beginning of term. There will be a 4-hour written exam at the end of the term. The obligatory assignments have to be approved by the group teacher in order for the student to sit the exam. The language of examination is English.