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#### **TECHNICAL SHEET OF THE SUBJECT**

Data of the subject		
Subject name	English for Education I	
Subject code	E000004466	
Mainprogram	Bachelor's Degree in Primary School Education	
Involved programs	Grado en Educación Primaria [First year]	
Level	Reglada Grado Europeo	
Quarter	Anual	
Credits	12,0 ECTS	
Туре	Optional	
Department	Centro de Enseñanza Superior Alberta Giménez (CESAG)	
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Schedule	-	
Office hours	-	
Course overview	-	

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#### SPECIFIC DATA OF THE SUBJECT

# **Contextualization of the subject**

## Contribution to the professional profile of the degree

European integration and globalization are matters of great importance related to the linguistic and communicative competence in English language. The subject English for Education I provides students with a basic and instrumental knowledge of the English language. Working on the four skills, the subject aims at reviewing students' prior knowledge of English and reinforcing initial fluency. The level of competence to be achieved by the students as regards the four skills will range from B1 to B2. Moreover, this subject will help future graduates achieve a good communicative competence in English language and be able to know and apply the appropriate methodological tools and strategies for teaching English in Primary Education.

#### **Prerequisites**

All the lectures will be taught in English therefore students are expected an intermediate level of English.

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Compet	Competencies - Objectives			
Compet	Competencies			
CGI03	Organization and planning ability.			
	RA1	Plans personal work in a systematic way.		
	RA2	Integrates and participates in the organized development of group work.		
CGP08	Group w	ork		
	RA1	Participates actively in group work sharing information, knowledge and experiences.		
	RA3	Contributes to establish and apply processes and procedures of teamwork.		
CGS13 Ability to work autonomously.		work autonomously.		
	RA2	Searches for and finds adequate resources to support and carry out tasks.		
CGS15	Understands other cultures and customs.			
	RA2	Shows respect for cultural diversity.		
Specific C	ompetences	s		
CEC15	Ability to use a second language in the classroom context (English-Level B2).			

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СМ01	Able to use the second language in the context of the classroom (B2 Level).  Fulfils the competences of the European Portfolio of Languages according to the level that is needed at the end of the Degree (B2).		
	RA3	Develops the English curricular contents in English	
СМ03	Able to express themselves orally and in writing in the target language		
	RA1 Fulfils the competences of the European Portfolio of Languages according to the level (A2, B1, B2 or C		
RA3 Capable of communicating in English about a		Capable of communicating in English about a previously prepared subject.	

# THEMATIC BLOCKS AND CONTENTS

## **Contents - Thematic Blocks**



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The course contents will be divided into three main sections:

- Use of language: verb tenses, modal verbs, conditional sentences, passive sentences, reported speech, articles, countable and uncountable nouns, adjectives and adverbs, comparatives and superlatives and prepositions (time and place).
- Receptive skills: listening and reading comprehension
- Productive Skills: speaking (interaction and production) and writing
- Specific vocabulary: holidays and travelling, hobbies and sports, cinema and TV, describing people, food ...

#### **Objectives**

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- Improve linguistic and communicative competence.
- Understand and comprehend spoken messages from various sources.
- Read and understand texts on various topics.
- Write clear and structured texts on different topics.
- Use strategies to learn independently.

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#### **TEACHING METHODOLOGY**

#### General methodological aspects of the subject

Theory / Practical classes: reading seminars, individual /group work.

# **In-class Methodology: Activities**

- Reading seminars
- Compositions
- Video
- Presentation
- Individual / Group classroom activities

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Theory / Practical classes: reading seminars, presentations, individual /group work.

# Non-Presential Methodology: Activities

- Exercises and activities
- Study

## **SUMMARY STUDENT WORKING HOURS**

CLASSROOM HOURS			
Lecciones magistrales	Ejercicios prácticos/resolución de problemas	Seminarios y talleres (casos prácticos)	Trabajos grupales
25.00	75.00	40.00	40.00
	NON-PRESENTIAL HOURS		
Ejercicios prácticos/resolución de problemas	Estudio personal y documentación		
75.00	105.00		
ECTS CREDITS: 12,0 (360,00 hours		(360,00 hours)	

# **EVALUATION AND CRITERIA**

Evaluation activities	Evaluation criteria	Weight
EXAM: final written exam (50%, minimum standards 25%, can be retaken in July)	Correct usage: grammar and lexis according to corresponding B1/B2	50
Speaking Skills (25%, cannot be retaken):  5 reading seminars  - The reading seminar group/timetable assigned cannot be modified without the lecturer's consent.  - Writing notes are not allowed in any speaking assessment activity.	Aspects to be assessed:  Quality and clarity of information Correct usage: grammar, syntax, lexis and pronunciation according to corresponding B1/B2  •	25
Writing Skills (25%, cannot be retaken)		



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- 2 individual compositions: If a student does not follow the composition instructions, s/he will receive a 0 (zero) grade for the composition.
- 1 writing task (pair/ group work):
  Compulsory attendance is required when preparing the writing task in class. \*\*\*If any student fails compulsory attendance on any of these days, he/ she will be evaluated writing a composition in class on a date given by the lecturer but just being able to get the minimum standards (5) to retake this activity.

Aspects to be assessed:

- Quality and clarity of information
- Correct usage: grammar, syntax and lexis according to corresponding B1/B2.

25

### **Ratings**

- One decimal place is just taken into account in grades.
- Plagiarism / on line translator / help from a third party will be penalized with a zero ("0") of that activity.
- Attendance to class and classroom teaching activities are compulsory (see schedule 2018-19). If a student fails 66% compulsory attendance (artículo 15 de la Normativa Académica), s/he may not be allowed to take the final written exam.
- A medical certificate specifying illness dates is required to retake any continuous assessment activity.

\*Your mails will only be answered if they include the appropriate greeting forms and they are written in English.

#### **WORK PLAN AND SCHEDULE**

#### 1st term

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٧	Vee	k	Continuous assessment tasks	
. 1		17-19 Sept		
2		26-30 Sept		
3		3-7 Oct		
4		10-14 Oct	Reading 1	
		12		
5		17-21 Oct		
6		24-28 Oct		
7		31-4 Nov	Writing 1	
		31-1		
8		7-11 Nov		
9		14-18 Nov		
1	0	21-25 Nov	Reading 2	
1	1	28-2 Dec		
1	2	5-9 Dec		
		6-7-8-9		
1	3	12-16 Dec		
1	4	19-23 Dec	Reading 3	

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	Week		Continuous assessment tasks
	1	31-3 Feb	
	2	6-10 Feb	Reading 4
•	3	13-17 Feb	

4	20-24 Feb	
5	27-3 March	Writing 2
	28-1	
6	6-10 March	
7	13-17 March	Reading 5
8	20-24 March	
9	27-31 March	Writing 3 (group work)
10	3-5 April EASTER	Writing 3 (group work)
		Delivery date: 5th April
11	17-21 April	
12	24-28 April	

# **BIBLIOGRAPHY AND RESOURCES**

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