



NEAR EAST UNIVERSITY - FACULTY OF EDUCATION						
		Department of English Language Teaching SYLLABUS 2015-2016 Fall Semester				
Course Code ELT 253/ TRN 107	Course Name Linguistics 1	Classroom R13-8	Weekly Course Hours T A L 3 0 0		Credit s 3	ECTS 5
Prerequisite: None			Weekly Time Schedule Monday 9-10:50 Wednesday 3-3:50			
Language of instruction: English		Course Type: Compulsory		Year: Second Year (Sophomore)		Semester: Fall
Instructor: Asst. Prof. Dr. Nurdan Atamtürk E-mail:nurdan.atamturk@neu.edu.tr				Office Hours: Monday 11-13.00 Tuesday 10-12.00 Office / Room No: 5-H 111 Office / Room Phone: 22 36 464-252		
Learning Outcomes	After the completion of this course, the student will be able to ► understand the nature, structure and use of language ► become aware of linguistic features ► discuss place and manner of articulation ► develop an understanding in phonetics, phonology and sound patterns ► understand morphology ► understand the relationship between language and the brain and how languages are learnt					
Course Description	Introduction to linguistics is a survey of the study of language and its structure					
Course Objectives	The students are expected to be equipped with the inner working of language					
Textbooks and/or References	1. An Introduction to Language and Linguistics Ralf W. Fasold ,Jeff Connor-Linton 2. Lecturer's notes 3. Handouts 4. https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=JoL4HhFjWoe 5. https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=v5rysWFeo74 6. https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=syjbhT45J14 7. https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=5k8JwC1L9_k 8. https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Q-B_ONJIEcE					
Course Content	The sounds of language,words and their parts,the structure of sentences, discourse					
Methods and Techniques Used in the Course			Lecture, individual and pair work			
WEEKLY OUTLINE						
Week	Date	Activities			Notes	Reference
1	14 Sept – 18 Sept	Introduction to the courses				
2	21 Sept – 23 Sept	The Sounds of Language Phonetics ;Voiced and voiceless sounds;Place of articulation				1,2,3
3	28 Sept – 2 Oct	Articulatory phonetics:the tools of phonetics, the vocal tract			Portfolios	1,2
4	5 Oct – 9 Oct	Suprasegmentals, acoustic phonetics			Portfolios	3,1,2
5	12 Oct – 16 Oct	Sounds and suprasegmentals			Portfolios, Quiz	3,1,2
6	19 Oct – 23 Oct	Phonology Phonemic alphabet			Portfolios	1,2,4,5
7	26 Oct – 30 Oct	Words and their parts				1
8	2 Nov – 7 Nov	Midterm Exams				
9	9 Nov – 13 Nov	Morphology: the study of word structure Free and bound morphemes;Morphological description;Problems in morphological description Inflectional and Derivational morphemes			Portfolios	1,6
10	16 Nov – 20 Nov	Some morphological operations of the world's languages			Portfolios	1,2
11	23 Nov – 27 Nov	Two purposes of morphology;Derivation and inflection Inflectional and Derivational morphemes			Portfolios	1

12	30 Nov – 4 Dec	Language and the brain	Portfolios	1,2,3,8		
13	7 Dec – 11 Dec	The neurology of Language The biology of the brain Lobes;Convolutionsand fissures;Broca’s Area;Wernicke’s Area; Supplementary Motor Cortex	Portfolios	1,7		
14	14 Dec – 18 Dec	Methods in the study of the biology of the brain;the Lesion Method;Hemodynamic neuroimaging	Portfolios	1,3		
15	21 Dec – 31 Dec	Final Exams				
Attendance: Minimum 70 %						
Assessment Breakdown:	Type		Date	%	Reference	
	1	Quiz	14 Oct.			
	2	Portfolios				
	3	Midterm Exam	2 Nov.			
	4	Final Exam	21 Dec.			
Learning Programme						
Educational Tool		Quantity	Student Workload Hours	Educational Tool	Quantity	Student Workload Hours
Activities		10	10*2=20	Final Exam	1	1*2=2
Portfolios		12	12*4=48	Final Exam Preparation	1	1*10=10
Lectures		12	12*3=36	Quiz	1	1*6=6
Exercises		10	10*2=20			
Midterm Exam		1	1*2=2			
Midterm Exam Preparation		1	1*10=10	Total		154
		Recommended ECTS Credit (Total Hours / 30) :				/30 = ~