

Course Outcome Summary

Standard Course

GERMN 251 Second Year German I

Course Information

Division Humanities/Social Sciences

Contact Hours 60 Total Credits 4

Prerequisites

German 152 or two years of high school German

Course Description

The student will learn additional structures and vocabulary of the target language and will continue practicing the four basic language skills: reading, writing, listening and speaking. Students will be introduced to authentic materials and literature. This course is a continuation of German 152. This course is a satisfier course for the Global Studies Degree Designation.

Course Outcomes

In order to evidence success in this course, the students will be able to:

- 1. Identify useful strategies for reading text in other languages
- 2. Recognize the use of various tenses and tense forms in German
- 3. State the rationale for the use of various adjective endings
- 4. State the purposes of subjunctive forms
- 5. Recognize subjunctive forms
- 6. Identify the meanings of subjunctive forms when he/she encounters them in conversation or reading passages
- 7. Demonstrate the ability to describe and compare many kinds of things in conversation and in short papers
- 8. Demonstrate the ability to talk and write about events in the past using appropriate verb tenses
- 9. Demonstrate the ability to use subjunctive forms correctly
- 10. Demonstrate the ability to read and understand short, relatively easy, literary passages of authentic text
- 11. Demonstrate the ability to use common prepositions and put prepositional objects in the correct case when writing

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