



COURSE INFORMATION FORM

Course Name	Course Code
CURRENT ISSUES IN ENGLISH II	801212064

Semester	Number of Course Hours per Week		Credit	ECTS
	Theory	Practice		
2	2	0	2	3

Course Category (Credit)				
Basic Sciences	Engineering Sciences	Design	General Education	Social
			1	2

Course Language	Course Level	Course Type
Turkish	Undergraduate	Elective

Prerequisite(s) if any	None
Objectives of the Course	Teaching speaking techniques Ensuring words are understood within the context they are used Teaching how to grasp the main idea of a text or documentary Improving English communication skills Improving students' critical thinking skills
Short Course Content	A course focused on discussing current global events to improve students' English vocabulary, particularly their speaking, listening, and reading skills. Students are expected to research a current topic, prepare a presentation, and actively participate in presentations and subsequent discussions.

Learning Outcomes of the Course	Contributed PO(s)	Teaching Methods *	Measuring Methods **
1. Improvement in English speaking skills	7d,	1, 2, 12, 15	G
2. Improvement in reading skills	7a, 7b	2	A
3. Improvement in vocabulary and comprehension	7a, 7b	2	A
4. Improvement in listening skills	7a, 7b	2	A
5. Awareness of current global issues	8, 11,12	15	A,G
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***Teaching Methods** 1:Expression, 2:Discussion, 3:Experiment, 4:Simulation, 5:Question-Answer, 6:Tutorial, 7:Observation, 8:Case Study, 9:Technical Visit, 10:Trouble/Problem Solving, 11:Individual Work, 12:Team/Group Work, 13:Brain Storm, 14:Project Design / Management, 15:Report Preparation and/or Presentation

****Measuring Methods** A:Exam, B:Quiz, C:Oral Exam, D:Homework, E:Report, F:Article Examination, G:Presentation, I:Experimental Skill, J:Project Observation, K:Class Attendance; L:Jury Exam

Main Textbook	None
Supporting References	Articles taken from the internet, documentaries from CNN, BBC, and DW television channels
Necessary Course Material	English - English dictionary

Course Schedule	
1. Introduction and explanation of the method	
2. Discussion techniques	
3. Article 1 on a current topic and discussion	
4. Article 2 on a current topic and discussion	
5. Article 3 on a current topic and discussion	
6. Article 4 on a current topic and discussion	
7. Article 5 on a current topic and discussion	
8. Mid-Term Exam	
9. Article 6 on a current topic and discussion	
10. Article 7 on a current topic and discussion	
11. Article 8 on a current topic and discussion	
12. Article 9 on a current topic and discussion	
13. Oral presentation techniques	
14. Oral discussions	
15. Oral discussions	
16,17 Final Exam	

Calculation of Course Workload			
Activities	Number	Time (Hour)	Total Workload (Hour)
Course Time (number of course hours per week)	14	2	28
Classroom Studying Time (review, reinforcing, prestudy,...)	14	2	28
Homework	3	7	21
Quiz Exam			
Studying for Quiz Exam			
Oral exam			
Studying for Oral Exam			
Report (Preparation and presentation time included)			
Project (Preparation and presentation time included)			
Presentation (Preparation time included)			
Mid-Term Exam	1	2	2
Studying for Mid-Term Exam	1	8	8
Final Exam	1	1	1
Studying for Final Exam	1	8	8
Total workload			96
Total workload / 30			3.2
Course ECTS Credit			3

Evaluation	
Activity Type	%
Mid-term	40
Quiz	
Homework	
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Final Exam	60
Total	100

RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN THE COURSE LEARNING OUTCOMES AND THE PROGRAM OUTCOMES (PO) (5: Very high, 4: High, 3: Middle, 2: Low, 1: Very low)		
NO	PROGRAM OUTCOME	Contribution
1	Ability to communicate effectively, both orally and in writing, in Turkish and English	5
2	Ability to use and improve foreign language skills	5
3	Ability to deliver effective presentations, and to give and receive clear and understandable instructions	5
4	Awareness of the necessity of lifelong learning; ability to access information, follow developments in science and technology, and continuously self-renew	5
5	Knowledge of the impacts of engineering applications on health, environment, economy, sustainability, and security at universal and societal dimensions within the framework of the UN Sustainable Development Goals; awareness of national and international legal regulations, standards, and the legal consequences of engineering solutions	4
6	Awareness of contemporary issues at local and global dimensions	5
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LECTURER(S)				
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