

INTRODUCTION

B.A. (Hons.) Turkish Language and Literature

Course Duration: Six Semesters

Course Method: Lectures and Tutorials

Credits: 72

The course, to begin with, seeks to acquaint the students with the basics of Turkish to enable them to acquire fluency in the language and grasp with ease the different aspects of literature. As the course proceeds, it proposes to elaborate the various phases of the development of Turkish as a modern language and the features that characterize the Turkish literature, classical and modern. Besides giving a proper context to the process of evolution of Turkish language and literature, the course would also assess the process of Turkish transformation, historical and modern, to view the narrative in perspective

SYLLABUS OF B.A. (Hons.) TURKISH LANGUAGE AND LITERATURE

B.A. (Hons.) Turkish Language and Literature

Semester: 1

Course Title: Turkish Language - I

Course No: TR 101

Credits: 4

The Course covers the following topics:

Basics of Turkish phonetics; structure of simple sentence and simple tense; case endings; compound tenses and their structures; cultural context of Turkish.

Reading List:

- 1.** New Hitit Turkish for Foreigners (Student's Book 1, 2, 3), Published by Ankara University TOMER.
- 2.** New Hitit Turkish for Foreigners (Work Book 1, 2, 3), Published by Ankara University TOMER.

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Semester: 1

Course Title: Turkish Grammar - I

Course No: TR 102

Credits: 4

The Course covers the following topics:

Word structure; word types and groups; structure of sentence; Turkish semantics; elementary Turkish texts.

Reading List:

1. "Turkish Grammar for Foreigners" by a teachers' committee of Gazi University TOMER, Ankara 2006.

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Semester: 2

Course Title: Turkish Language - II

Course No: TR 103

Credits: 4

The Course covers the following topics:

Turkish Morphology and syntax; complex syntactic structures; use of idioms; letter, application and invitation writing.

Reading List:

1. New Hitit Turkish for Foreigners (Student's Book 1, 2, 3), Published by Ankara University TOMER.
2. New Hitit Turkish for Foreigners (Work Book 1, 2, 3), Published by Ankara University TOMER.

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Semester: 2

Course Title: Turkish Grammar - II

Course No: TR 104

Credits: 4

The Course covers the following topics:

Turkish language and its place in the family of Turkic languages; linguistic evolution of Turkish.

Reading list:

1. Yazılı ve Sözlü Anlatım (Kompozisyon Sanatı), Şerif Aktaş, O. Gündüz, Akçağ Yay., Ankara 2003.
2. Turkish Grammar for Foreigners, (by a teachers' committee of Gazi University TOMER), Ankara 2006.

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Semester: 3

Course Title: History of Turkish Language and Literature - 1

Course No: TR 201

Credits: 4

The Course covers the following topics:

Classification of Turkish dialects in the ancient era; selected texts of the Gokturk, Uighur and Karakhani phases.

Reading List:

1. Ahmet Bican Ercilasun, Türk Dili Tarihi
2. Faruk Kadri Timurtaş, Eski Türkçenin Grameri,

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Semester: 3

Course Title: Ottoman Turkish - I

Course No: TR 202

Credits: 4

The Course covers the following topics:

Rules governing the Turkish spelling in the Arabic script the classical and modern texts; difference in writing pure Turkish words and the words of Arabic and Persian origin; detailed readings from the Ottoman Turkish texts.

Reading List:

1. Faruk K. Timurtaş, Osmanlı Türkçesi Grameri, Alfa Yay., İstanbul 2009.
2. Faruk K. Timurtaş, Osmanlı Türkçesi Metinleri, Alfa Yay., İstanbul 2008.

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Semester: 4

Course Title: Ottoman Turkish - II

Course No: TR 203

Credits: 4

The Course covers the following topics:

Rules of grammar; words and phrases in Turkish derived from Arabic and Persian; detailed readings from the Ottoman Turkish texts

Reading List:

1. Faruk K. Timurtař, Osmanlı Türkçesi Grameri, Alfa Yay., İstanbul 2009.
2. Faruk K. Timurtař, Osmanlı Türkçesi Metinleri, Alfa Yay., İstanbul 2008.

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Semester: 4

Course Title: History of Turkish Language and Literature - II

Course No: TR 204

Credits: 4

The Course covers the following topics:

Overview of the Harzem, Kipchak and Chagatai periods; perusal of the selected texts.

Reading List:

1. A. Von Gabain, Harezmi Türkçesi, Çeviren: Mehmet Akalın
2. Aysu Ata, Harezmi-Altın Ordu Türkçesi
3. Eckmann, Janos (1988), Çağatayca El Kitabı, (Çev: Günay Karaağaç)
4. Karamanlıoğlu, Ali Fehmi, Kıpçak Türkçesi Grameri
5. Reşit Rahmeti Arat, "Kıpçak", İslam Ansiklopedisi
6. Saadet Çağatay, Türk Lehçeleri Örnekleri, VIII. Yüzyıldan XVIII. Yüzyıla Kadar Yazı Dili
7. Tarihi Türk Şiveleri (Yay.: Mehmet Akalın)
8. Zeki Velidi Togan, "Harizm", İslâm Ansiklopedisi

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Semester: 5

Course Title: History of Turkish Language and Literature - III

Course No: TR 301

Credits: 4

The course covers the following topics:

Overview of the Harzem, Kipchak and Chagatai periods; perusal of the selected texts.

Reading List:

1. A. Von Gabain, Harezmi Türkçesi, Çeviren: Mehmet Akalın
2. Aysu Ata, Harezmi-Altın Ordu Türkçesi
3. Babür Divanı (1995), (Haz.: Bilal Yücel)
4. Eckmann, Janos (1988), Çağatayca El Kitabı, (Çev: Günay Karaağaç)
5. Karamanlıoğlu, Ali Fehmi, Kıpçak Türkçesi Grameri
6. Köprülü, M. Fuad (1982), Çağatay Edebiyatı, İslam Ansiklopedisi
7. Reşit Rahmeti Arat, "Kıpçak", İslam Ansiklopedisi
8. Saadet Çağatay, Türk Lehçeleri Örnekleri, VIII. Yüzyıldan XVIII. Yüzyıla Kadar Yazı Dili
9. Tarihi Türk Şiveleri (Yay.: Mehmet Akalın)
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Semester: 5

Course Title: History of Turkish Language and Literature - IV

Course No: TR 302

Credits: 4

The Course covers the following topics:-

The course proposes to study and evaluate the selected texts of the early Anatolian Turkish.

Reading List:

1. Faruk K. Timurtaş, Eski Anadolu Türkçesi, Türk Dünyası El Kitabı.
2. Muhammet Yelten, Eski Anadolu Türkçesi Metinleri, İstanbul 1995
3. Mustafa Özkan, Türk Dilinin Gelişme Alanları ve Eski Anadolu Türkçesi, Filiz Kitabevi, İstanbul 2000
4. R. Rahmeti Arat, Türk Dilinin İnkişafı (III. Türk Tarih Kongresi, Ankara),

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Semester: 5

Course Title: Divan Literature - I

Course No.: TR 303

Credits: 4

The Course covers the following topics:

Overview of the historical and social aspects of the period from thirteenth to fifteenth century; main characteristics of Divan literature; lives and works of major poets and writers of the period.

Reading List:

1. Fahir İz, Eski Türk Edebiyatında Nazım

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Semester: 5

Course Title: Divan Literature - II

Course No: TR 304

Credits: 4

The Course covers the following topics:

Overview of the historical and social aspects of the period from the fifteenth to the nineteenth century; lives and works of the Divan literary era.

Reading List:

1. Âmil Çelebiođlu, Eski Türk Edebiyatında Nesir

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Semester: 5

Course Title: Turkish Folk Literature

Course No: TR 305

Credits: 4

The Course covers the following topics:

Historical development of Turkish folk literature; poetry and other genres in Turkish folk literature.

Reading list:

1. M. Öcal Oğuz vd., Türk Halk Edebiyatı El Kitabı, Grafiker Yayınları, 2005
2. Şükrü Elçin, Halk Edebiyatına Giriş, Akçağ Yay., Ankara 1986

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Semester: 6

Course Title: Modern Turkish Literature - I (Tanzimat period)

Course No: TR 306

Credits: 4

The course studies the following themes:

Rise of modern genres in Turkish literature such as journalism, new poetry, drama, short story and novel; western impact; review of the modernist movements; socio-political events of the nineteenth century as reflected in literature.

Reading List:

1. Ahmet Hamdi Tanpınar, 19. Asır Türk Edebiyatı Tarihi, YKY, İstanbul 2006.
2. Kenan Akyüz, Modern Türk Edebiyatının Ana Çizgileri, İstanbul, 1990
-----, Batı Tesirinde Türk Şiiri Antolojisi
3. Orhan Okay, Batılılaşma Devri Türk Edebiyatı, Dergâh Yay., İstanbul 2005

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Semester: 6

Course Title: Modern Turkish Literature - II (Servet-i Funun Period)

Course No: 307

Credits: 4

The course covers the following themes:

Short stories, novels, poetries and dramas of the Servet-i Funun period; works of the eminent writers of the period such as Halit Ziya, Mehmet Rauf, Hüseyin Cahit and Ahmet Hikmet.

Reading List:

1. Kenan Akyüz, , Modern Türk Edebiyatının Ana Çizgileri, İstanbul, 1990
2. Mehmet Kaplan, Hikâye Tahlilleri I, Dergâh Yay., İstanbul 2006
3. Orhan Okay, Batılılaşma Devri Türk Edebiyatı, Dergâh Yay., İst. 2005

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Semester: 6

Course Title: National Literary Movement

Course No: TR 308

Credits: 4

The Course covers the following topics:

The view of National Literary Movement; “Genç Kalemler”; selected poetry, short story, novel and dramas written by eminent writers of the movement such as Ali Canip Yontem, Omer Seyfettin and Ziya Gökalp.

Reading List:

1. Kenan Akyüz, , Modern Türk Edebiyatının Ana Çizgileri, İstanbul, 1990
2. Mehmet Kaplan, Hikâye Tahlilleri II, Dergâh Yay., İstanbul 2006
3. Şerif Aktaş, Yenileşme Dönemi Türk Şiiri ve Antolojisi II, Akçağ Yayınları, Ankara 1998

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Semester: 6

Course Title: Turkish Literature in the Republican Period - I

Course No: TR 309

Credits: 4

The Course covers the following topics:

Short story and novel; critique of selected short stories and novels of the era.

Reading List:

1. İnci Enginün, Cumhuriyet Dönemi Türk Edebiyatı, Dergâh Yayınları, İstanbul 2008
2. Mehmet Kaplan, Şiir Tahlilleri, Dergâh Yay., İstanbul 2005.
3. Memet Fuat, Çağdaş Türk Şiiri Antolojisi, Adam Yay., İstanbul 2006.

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Semester: 6

Course Title: Turkish Literature in the Republican Period - II

Course No: TR 310

Credits: 4

The Course covers the following topics:

Poetry and drama as focus of literature; selected poems and dramas of the Republican era.

Reading list:

1. İnci Enginün, Cumhuriyet Dönemi Türk Edebiyatı, Dergâh Yayınları, İstanbul 2008
2. Mehmet Kaplan, Şiir Tahlilleri II, Dergâh Yay., İstanbul 2005.
3. Türk Edebiyatı Tarihi, 4. cilt, Kültür ve Turizm Bakanlığı Yay., Ankara 2006