

DS1348 Technical Spanish, Intermediate Level 9.0 credits

Teknisk spanska, mellannivå

This is a translation of the Swedish, legally binding, course syllabus.

If the course is discontinued, students may request to be examined during the following two academic years

Establishment

Course syllabus for DS1348 valid from Autumn 2008

Grading scale

A, B, C, D, E, FX, F

Education cycle

First cycle

Main field of study

Technology

Specific prerequisites

Language of instruction

The language of instruction is specified in the course offering information in the course catalogue.

Intended learning outcomes

EU language portfolio levels B1/B2, http://europass.cedefop.europa.eu/

After completing the course, the student should be able to:

Listening comprehension

• understand the content of clear standard speech on general subject areas/events (level B1)

Reading comprehension

• understand and give an accurate account of authentic texts dealing with topical issues on technical subjects and working life (level B2)

Speaking

- converse and discuss informally on topics of personal interest or related to studies, work or topical events (level B1)
- orally summarise texts of a general and/or specialist nature (level B1/B2)
- give an individually prepared oral presentation of a specialised nature (levelB1/B2)

Writing

- summarise texts of a general and/or specialised nature (level B1/B2)
- write a factual report or an expository/argumentation text (level B1/B2).

Course contents

Oral proficiency:

- Pronunciation, intonation, fluency.
- Discussions in Spanish, listening comprehension, oral proficiency
- Summaries of general and technical texts, reports, memos

Written proficiency:

- Free writing in Spanish
- Report writing, summaries of general and technical character, memos

Disposition

56 lessons divided into 14 sessions x 4 lessons

Course literature

Compendium

Examination

- ANN2 Examination, 3.0 credits, grading scale: A, B, C, D, E, FX, F
- ANNA Examination, 1.5 credits, grading scale: A, B, C, D, E, FX, F
- TENA Language Proficiency, 4.5 credits, grading scale: A, B, C, D, E, FX, F

Based on recommendation from KTH's coordinator for disabilities, the examiner will decide how to adapt an examination for students with documented disability.

The examiner may apply another examination format when re-examining individual students.

Other requirements for final grade

75 % attendance. Oral and written examinations (ANNA; 1,5 credits, ANNB; 1,5 credits), final examination TENA; 4,5 credits)

Ethical approach

- All members of a group are responsible for the group's work.
- In any assessment, every student shall honestly disclose any help received and sources used.
- In an oral assessment, every student shall be able to present and answer questions about the entire assignment and solution.