



**UNIVERSITY OF KYRENIA
FOUNDATION ENGLISH PROGRAMME**

COURSE SYLLABUS

Course name: CEFR B1							
Code	Year	Semester	Credit	ECTS Credit	Course application, Hour/Week		
					Theoretical	Application	Laboratory
Level 2	2019-2020	Fall	N/A	N/A	20 hrs / a week 260 hrs / total		
Course type: Compulsory				Prerequisite: Placement 60% or over		Language: English	
% Contribution to the Professional Fundamental Component						General Education	
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Course Description	This course aims at B1 level in English, as outlined by the Common European Framework of Reference (CEFR). The course content includes reading, writing, audiovisual, listening and speaking components.
Course Aims and Objectives	The aim of the course is to teach students to understand topical matters, and explain their opinions and advantages and disadvantages of a situation; read and understand routine information and articles and the meaning of information in a familiar area; and produce written work on a range of subjects.
Course Learning Outcomes	<p>By the end of the course, students will be able to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • understand the main points of clear standard input on familiar topics, regularly encountered in work, school, leisure, etc. • deal with most situations likely to arise whilst travelling

	<p>in English speaking countries</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• produce simple connected texts on topics which are familiar or of personal interest• describe experiences and events, dreams, hopes, ambitions and briefly give reasons and explanations for opinions and plans• produce clear, detailed texts on a wide range of subjects and explain a viewpoint on a topical issue, giving the advantages and disadvantages of various options
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Content of the Course

Week	Subject
1	Milestones B1 Unit 1 QSkills 1 Unit 1 & Unit 2
2	Milestones B1 Unit 1 & Unit 2 QSkills 1 Unit 3 Writing Bank 1
3	Milestones B1 Unit 3 & Unit 4 QSkills 1 Unit 5 Writing Bank 2 & 3
4	Milestones B1 Unit 4 & Unit 5 QSkills 1 Unit 6 Paragraph writing – Topic Sentence
5	Milestones B1 Unit 6 QSkills 1 Unit 7 & Unit 8 Writing Bank 4 Paragraph writing – Supporting sentences
6	Milestones B1 Unit 7 QSkills 1 Unit 9 Portfolio – Presentation (favourite city) Paragraph writing
7	Milestones B1 Unit 7 & Unit 8 QSkills 1 Unit 10 Paragraph writing
8	Milestones B1 Unit 8 Paragraph writing
9	Mid-term
10	Milestones B1 Unit 9 & Unit 10 QSkills 2 Unit 1 & Unit 2 Essay writing – introductory paragraph
11	Milestones B1 Unit 10 & Unit 11 QSkills 2 Unit 3 Essay writing – concluding paragraph
12	Milestones B1 Unit 11 & Unit 12 QSkills 2 Unit 5 & Unit 7 Portfolio - interview Problem Solution Essay
13	Milestones B1 Unit 12 additional topics – Past Perfect, Third Conditional, so/neither, linkers & tag questions QSkills 2 Unit 8 Opinion Essay
14	additional topics – Present Perfect Continuous, indirect questions & both/neither/either QSkills 1 Unit 9 & Unit 10 For & Against Essay
15	Exam Practice – all skills
16	Final

Sources

1. Pathare, Gary. *Milestones B1* (Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2016)
2. Lynn, Sarah. *Q:Skills 1 for Success Reading and Writing* (Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2011).
3. McVeighh, Joe & Jennifer Bixby. *Q:Skills 2 for Success Reading and Writing* (Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2011).
4. supplementary worksheets for listening, reading and writing skills compiled by the director

Evaluation System

Semester Requirements	Number	Percentage of Grade
Homework		10%
Quizzes	2/3	10%
Midterm Exam		30%
Final Exam		50%

Course Requirements and Policies:

- 85% student attendance is mandatory in line with the University of Kyrenia Foundation English Programme Regulations, 2019. The total attendance allowance for 2019-2020 Fall Term is 40 hours.

