

## Course Lesson-by-Lesson Syllabus 2007-08

| Date     | Lesson | Content  |
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| 24/09/08 | 1      | Course presentation  |
| 24/09/08 | 2      | Course presentation  |
| 25/09/08 | 3      | Unit 1: <i>Key terms in the field of FL/SL learning assessment</i>   |
| 01/10/08 | 5      | Unit 1: <i>Key terms in the field of FL/SL learning assessment</i>   |
| 01/10/08 | 6      | Practical 1  |
| 02/10/08 | 7      | Library study: Reading 1   |
| 03/10/08 | 8      | Library study: Reading 1   |
| 08/10/08 | 9      | Unit 2: <i>Purposes of language tests and the relation of language test type and the purpose of assessment</i> |
| 08/10/08 | 10     | Unit 2: <i>Purposes of language tests and the relation of language test type and the purpose of assessment</i> |
| 09/10/08 | 11     | Unit 3: <i>Test essential requirements: the issues of validity, reliability and practicality</i>               |
| 10/10/08 | 12     | Unit 3: <i>Test essential requirements: the issues of validity, reliability and practicality</i>               |
| 15/10/08 | 13     | Practical 2  |
| 15/10/08 | 14     | Practical 2  |
| 16/10/08 | 15     | Library study: Reading 2   |
| 17/10/08 | 16     | Library study: Reading 2   |
| 22/10/08 | 17     | Reading 1 & Reading 2 Class discussion (2%)  |
| 22/10/08 | 18     | Reading 1 & Reading 2 Class discussion   |
| 23/10/08 | 19     | Unit 4: <i>Principles of language test design</i>  |
| 24/10/08 | 20     | Unit 4: <i>Principles of language test design</i>  |
| 29/10/08 | 21     | Library study: Reading 3 ( <i>Assessing the receptive skills: methods and techniques to assess listening</i> ) |
| 29/10/08 | 22     | Library study: Reading 3 ( <i>Assessing the receptive skills: methods and techniques to assess reading</i> )   |
| 30/10/08 | 23     | Practical 4  |
| 31/10/08 | 24     | Practical 4  |
| 05/11/08 | 25     | Library study: Reading 4 ( <i>Assessing the language components: grammar</i> )                                 |
| 05/11/08 | 26     | Library study: Reading 4 ( <i>Assessing the language components: vocabulary</i> )                              |
| 06/11/08 | 27     | Unit 5: <i>Subjective and objective testing. Cloze and multiple-choice tests. Advantages and disadvantages</i> |
| 07/11/08 | 28     | Unit 5: <i>Subjective and objective testing. Cloze and multiple-choice tests. Advantages and disadvantages</i> |
| 12/11/08 | 29     | Reading 3 & Reading 4 Discussion (2%)  |
| 12/11/08 | 30     | Reading 3 & Reading 4 Discussion   |
| 13/11/08 | 31     | Practical 5  |

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| 14/11/08 | 32 | Practical 5   |
| 19/11/08 | 33 | Unit 6: <i>Historical perspectives. Integrative, discrete item, and communicative testing</i>   |
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| 21/11/08 | 36 | Unit 6: <i>Historical perspectives. Integrative, discrete item, and communicative testing</i>   |
| 26/11/08 | 37 | Library study: Reading 5 ( <i>Assessing the productive language skills: writing</i> )           |
| 26/11/08 | 38 | Library study: Reading 5 ( <i>Assessing the productive language skills: writing</i> )           |
| 27/11/08 | 39 | Practical 6   |
| 28/11/08 | 40 | Practical 6   |
| 03/12/08 | 41 | Library study: Reading 6 ( <i>Assessing the productive language skills: speaking</i> )          |
| 03/12/08 | 42 | Library study: Reading 6 ( <i>Assessing the productive language skills: speaking</i> )          |
| 04/12/08 | 43 | Practical 7   |
| 05/12/08 | 44 | Practical 7   |
| 10/12/08 | 45 | Practical 8   |
| 10/12/08 | 46 | Practical 8   |
| 11/12/08 | 47 | Unit 7: <i>Basic statistical values used in the analysis and interpretation of test results</i> |
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| 17/12/08 | 49 | Reading 5 and Reading 6 Discussion (2%)   |
| 17/12/08 | 50 | Reading 5 and Reading 6 Discussion  |
| 18/12/08 | 51 | Practical 9   |
| 19/12/08 | 52 | Practical 9   |
| 07/01/09 | 53 | Practical 10  |
| 07/01/09 | 54 | Practical 10  |
| 08/01/09 | 55 | Practical 11  |
| 09/01/09 | 56 | Practical 11  |
| 14/01/09 | 57 | Practical 12  |
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| 15/01/09 | 59 | Practical 13  |
| 16/01/09 | 60 | Practical 13  |