In the Name of God

Syllabus for Teaching Language Skills

BA Program in Teaching English as a Foreign Language (TEFL)

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This syllabus is tentative and subject to change.

A. Objectives of the Course:

The course aims to familiarize students with many different approaches and principles of teaching language skills. It also provides them with a variety of techniques which can be adopted and/or adapted in their language skills teaching.

B. Course Material:

Richards, J. C., & Renandya, W. A. (2002). *Methodology in language teaching*. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.

C. Course Requirements:

- 1. Class attendance and participation
- 2. Presentation
- 3. Midterm examination
- 4. Final examination

D. Evaluation System (allocation of points to requirements):

- 1. Class attendance and participation (2 points)
- 2. Presentation (2 points)
- 3. Midterm examination (4 points)
- 4. Final examination (12 points)

E. Course Outline:

Week 1: Introduction

Weeks 2, 3 & 4: Teaching Grammar

Weeks 5 & 6: Teaching Vocabulary

Weeks 7 & 8: Teaching Reading

Week 9: Review, Midterm Exam

Weeks 10 & 11: Teaching Speaking

Weeks 12 & 13: Teaching Writing

Weeks 14 & 15: Teaching Listening

Week 16: Review

"Tell me and I forget.

Teach me and I remember.

Involve me and I learn."

— Benjamin Franklin

Good Luck