

TITLE OF THE COURSE:	English A2
Course code:	ANK 0312
Course group:	A
Faculty:	Institute of Foreign Languages
Study program:	
Level:	Bachelor's
Semester:	Autumn / Spring
ECTS credits:	6
Language of instruction	English
Course lecturer/s:	L. Zutkienė, M. Bikmanienė, A. Čėglytė, J. Macijauskaitė-Bonda, B. Bendoraitytė-Vnęk
Short course description:	This course presents a follow-up programme of the previous lower level English courses and provides students with the Pre-Intermediate (A2) level of the English language. Based on communicative methodology and a skill-oriented approach, the course aims to present the learners with the English language system, improving phonological, orthographical, grammatical and lexical competencies and developing speaking, listening, writing and reading skills of the relevant level. The form of studies includes lectures, seminars, self-study tasks and work in SANAKO lab and in virtual MOODLE environment (on-line work, synchronous and asynchronous conversations and discussion forums, interactive tests and exercises).
Course content:	<ul> <li>Revision of Present Simple and Present Continuous tenses;</li> <li>Present Perfect tense;</li> <li>Present Perfect Continuous tense;</li> <li>Past Simple tense;</li> <li>Past Continuous tense;</li> <li>Present Simple Passive;</li> <li>Past Simple Passive;</li> <li>Articles (a/an, the, zero article);</li> <li>Comparative and superlative adjectives;</li> <li>Modal verbs;</li> <li>First and second conditionals;</li> <li>Expressing opinion;</li> <li>Learning styles and strategies;</li> <li>Writing emails;</li> <li>A comparative essay;</li> <li>Describing charts;</li> <li>Giving a short talk;</li> <li>Discussing weather;</li> </ul>





	<ul> <li>Talking about holiday activities;</li> <li>The media;</li> <li>Health and healthcare;</li> <li>Natural world;</li> <li>Family and society;</li> <li>Science;</li> <li>The night;</li> <li>Global affairs;</li> <li>Work and industry;</li> <li>The environment;</li> <li>Sport.</li> </ul>
Grading and evaluating student work in class and/or at the final exam:	Colloquium - 20 %, final test - 30%, class work - 50 %.
Required reading and additional study material	<ul> <li><i>Required study material:</i></li> <li>1. Lebeau, I., Rees. (2008). G. Language Leader</li> <li>Pre-Intermediate. Coursebook and CD -ROM.</li> <li>Harlow: Pearson Education</li> <li>2. Lebeau, I., Rees. G. (2008). Language Leader</li> <li>Pre-Intermediate. Workbook and Audio CD. Harlow:</li> <li>Pearson Education</li> <li>3. Eastwood, J. (2005). Oxford Practice Grammar.</li> <li>Oxford: Oxford University Press</li> <li>4. Teaching material in virtual Moodle environment</li> <li><i>Additional study material:</i></li> <li>Oxford Essential Dictionary for Eementary and Pre-Intermediate Learners of English. (2008). Oxford:</li> <li>Oxford University Press</li> </ul>