

Course Description

Discipline/Course: Listening Comprehension Practice
Training programme for university staff “English. Module 2”

Department of Methods of Teaching Foreign Languages

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Course Objectives:

The course “Listening Comprehension Practice” (Module 2) is addressed to TPU content teachers and researchers. Its aim is to develop the participants’ listening comprehension skills at level A2 of language proficiency according to “The Common European Framework of Reference for Languages” and to enable them to use the acquired skills in communication practice.

Course Outline:

Section 1: Strategies for Part 1 of PET Listening Test (Multiple choice).

Section 2: Strategies for Part 2 of PET Listening (Multiple choice).

Section 3: Strategies for Part 3 of PET Listening (Complete notes).

Section 4: Strategies for Part 4 of PET Listening (True/False).

Section 5: Skim listening.

Section 6: Listening for detailed comprehension.

Section 7: Listening for partial comprehension.

Section 8: Critical Listening.

Learning Outcomes:

At the end of the course the participants are expected to be able to:

- analyze and interpret a variety of authentic listening texts (short announcements, dialogues and conversations, messages containing socio-cultural information) at level A2 of language proficiency according to “The Common European Framework of Reference for Languages”;
- increase their awareness of strategies for different parts of PET Listening Test;
- use the acquired listening skills in spoken communication.

Course Delivery: one semester, 18 weeks

Prerequisites: Level of English Language Proficiency A in compliance with CEFR.

Co-requisites: Disciplines of English. Module 2.

Final Assessment: pass/fail test

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