

FACULTY OF DENTISTRY 2022-2023 FALL TERM ELECTIVE COURSES

Dear students,

You can find the list of 2022-2023 Fall Semester elective courses and brief descriptions of the courses in this list. You should only choose among the courses specified for your class, otherwise the course you take will be deemed invalid. Our first year students will take one elective course in the Fall semester. Our second year students will take 2 elective courses in the Fall semester, and one of the courses will be from Group A and the other from Group B. Our Third, Fourth, and Fifth year students will take one elective course in the Fall semester. You should act quickly to register for the courses where the quotas are limited. We wish you a successful and healthy academic year.

YEAR 1 ENGLISH PROGRAM / MONDAY 9:00-10:50

Course Code	Course Name	ECTS	Lecturer	Medium of Instruction	Quota
RUS101	RUSSIAN	2	İRİNA ALPCAN	Online	30
EMC401	ENGLISH MEDIA CLUB	2	FUNDA AŞARDAĞ	Online	50

YEAR 2 ENGLISH PROGRAM / MONDAY 9:00-10:50**GROUP A (Monday / 09.00-10.50)**

Course Code	Course Name	ECTS	Lecturer	Medium of Instruction	Quota
ACR301	ACADEMIC READING SKILLS	4	SEDA ÇAKMAK	Online	40
GEC245	HEALTH PSYCHOLOGY	4	ANAM HAYAT	Online	40

YEAR 2 ENGLISH PROGRAM / MONDAY 11:00-12:50**GROUP B (Monday / 11.00-12.50)**

Course Code	Course Name	ECTS	Lecturer	Medium of Instruction	Quota
GEC450	ACADEMIC WRITING SKILLS	4	FUNDA AŞARDAĞ	Online	40
GEC455	EMOTIONAL INTELLIGENCE	4	NDUKWE CHALLY ONWUCHEKWA	Online	40

YEAR 3 ENGLISH PROGRAM / FRIDAY 14:00-15:50

Course Code	Course Name	ECTS	Lecturer	Medium of Instruction	Quota
YİT200	TURKISH FOR FOREIGNERS	4	TÜLAY KAYA	Hybrid	30
GEC456	COMMUNICATION FOR SPECIAL NEEDS	4	FAIZA IQBAL	Hybrid	30

YEAR 4 ENGLISH PROGRAM / WEDNESDAY 09:00-10:50**GROUP A - WITHIN-FIELD ELECTIVES**

Course Code	Course Name	ECTS	Lecturer	Medium of Instruction	Quota
DEC404	ADVANCED TECHNOLOGIES IN ENDODONTICS	4	FATMA BASMACI	Online	50
DEC416	NANOTECHNOLOGY IN DENTISTRY	4	ABDULLAH SEBAL	Hybrid	40

YEAR 5 ENGLISH PROGRAM**GROUP A - WITHIN-FIELD ELECTIVES**

Course Code	Course Name	ECTS	Lecturer	Medium of Instruction	Quota
DEC504	DIGITAL IMPRESSION TECHNIQUES IN PROSTHODONTICS	4	CEMİL BİRAND	Hybrid	20
DEC506	BASIC IMMUNOLOGY AND VACCINE STRATEGIES	4	CENK SERHAN ÖZVEREL	Online	70

FACULTY OF DENTISTRY 2022-2023 FALL TERM / COURSE DESCRIPTIONS OF THE ELECTIVE COURSES

YEAR 1 ENGLISH PROGRAM

Course Code	Course Name	ECTS	Lecturer	Medium of Instruction	Quota
RUS101	RUSSIAN	2	İRİNA ALPCAN	Online	30

This course aims to teach Russian Language and Literature. It is aimed to give information about grammar, expressions, speech-writing patterns of Russian language.

EMC401	ENGLISH MEDIA CLUB	2	FUNDA AŞARDAĞ	Online	50
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This course aims to improve learners' listening and speaking skills. The online course content is presented through YouTube videos on a time-scheduled basis, such as one or two videos per week. The course emphasizes the development of fluency and intelligibility in spoken English. Students will have a chance to participate in a variety of discussions and talk about current events and issues. Through individual and group work activities students will improve their conversational strategies and oral presentation skills. They will learn to communicate effectively explaining their ideas in an organized manner using examples and details to support their viewpoint.

YEAR 2 ENGLISH PROGRAM

GROUP A (Monday / 09.00-10.50)

Course Code	Course Name	ECTS	Lecturer	Medium of Instruction	Quota
ACR301	ACADEMIC READING SKILLS	4	SEDA ÇAKMAK	Online	40

This course helps students to develop their academic reading skills. A variety of texts will be used to develop students' academic reading skills. The texts cover topics related to different fields: Studying, travelling, health, education... The course provides opportunities for reading and sharing of information and the chance to read authentic and imaginary materials for pleasure and increased self-confidence as skilled and critical readers.

GEC245	HEALTH PSYCHOLOGY	4	ANAM HAYAT	Online	40
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This course raises awareness among health science students regarding psychosocial processes that influence health and health care delivery. The course will inform students about basic principles and core concepts in areas like psychophysiological and social bases of health and illness, pain, adaptation to chronic illness, stress and coping, personality and illness, substance use, eating behaviors, health-promoting behaviors, patient adherence, physician-patient communication and using health care.

YEAR 2 ENGLISH PROGRAM

GROUP B (Monday / 11.00-12.50)

Course Code	Course Name	ECTS	Lecturer	Medium of Instruction	Quota
GEC450	ACADEMIC WRITING SKILLS	4	FUNDA AŞARDAĞ	Online	40

This online course aims to develop students' academic writing skills. It also aims to develop students' critical thinking and organizational skills while focusing on different pieces of writing. The course starts by focusing on the basic components of paragraph writing- topic sentence, supporting sentence, concluding sentence, unity and coherence. It then develops into paragraph writing emphasizing descriptive, narrative, process, logical division of ideas and opinion paragraph. The course focuses on the major principles of writing enabling students to develop their ideas fully, organize them effectively and express them clearly.

GEC455	EMOTIONAL INTELLIGENCE	4	NDUKWE CHALLY ONWUCHEKWA	Online	40
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Emotional Intelligence as a subfield of Psychology is a course that has the abilities that allow you to understand and manage your emotions. These skills are linked to a range of benefits including academic achievement, decision-making abilities, and overall success in life. Emotional Intelligence is the ability to recognise, manage and understand your emotions and that of others.

YEAR 3 ENGLISH PROGRAM / FRIDAY 14:00-15:50

Course Code	Course Name	ECTS	Lecturer	Medium of Instruction	Quota
YİT200	TURKISH FOR FOREIGNERS	4	TÜLAY KAYA	Hybrid	30

YİT is designed for students who have very little or no previous knowledge of Turkish grammar and vocabulary. The topics of the course will vary from the Turkish Alphabet to the present and continuous tenses, speech patterns, and grammar / vocabulary knowledge.

GEC456	COMMUNICATION FOR SPECIAL NEEDS	4	FAIZA IQBAL	Hybrid	30
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Every human is different and requires different approaches to communication. Using concrete language can make a big difference. This course aims to indicate the ways of communication for special needs.

YEAR 4 ENGLISH PROGRAM

Course Code	Course Name	ECTS	Lecturer	Medium of Instruction	Quota
DEC404	ADVANCED TECHNOLOGIES IN ENDODONTICS	4	FATMA BASMACI	Online	50

This course explains the last technologies developed in Endodontics field, the advanced devices and instruments for root canal treatment, and explains how to use these endodontic devices and instruments in the practical lessons. Students are allowed to learn how to overcome the complications and the disadvantages of the traditional root canal treatment's instruments by the advanced tools.

DEC416	NANOTECHNOLOGY IN DENTISTRY	4	ABDULLAH SEBAI	Hybrid	40
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The aim of this course is to give general and explanatory information about nanomaterials using biotechnology including tissue engineering and dental nano robots. It is aimed to mention the dental application areas of these nanomaterials as a result of research and development of materials and devices thanks to nanotechnology.

YEAR 5 ENGLISH PROGRAM

Course Code	Course Name	ECTS	Lecturer	Medium of Instruction	Quota
DEC504	DIGITAL IMPRESSION TECHNIQUES IN PROSTHODONTICS	4	CEMİL BİRAND	Hybrid	20

The aim of this course is to teach the working mechanisms, usage areas and features of intraoral scanners used in Prosthetic Dentistry by comparing them with each other and to gain the ability to perform intraoral scanning in practice in line with these learnings.

DEC506	BASIC IMMUNOLOGY AND VACCINE STRATEGIES	4	CENK SERHAN ÖZVEREL	Online	70
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In this class, you will be reminded the basic principles of immunology and you will focus on how it interferes with current vaccination strategies.