

FACULTY OF DENTISTRY 2023 - 2024 SPRING SEMESTER ELECTIVE COURSE LIST

Dear Students,

You can find the list of the Faculty of Dentistry 2023-2024 Spring Semester elective courses and the short descriptions of the courses in this list. You will first choose the courses you want to register on the UZEBİM portal before the quota is full; You will then select it on the Genius portal and submit it to your advisor for approval. Course selections will be made from February 2024, 7th. You should only choose from the courses specified for your class, otherwise the course you take will be deemed invalid. Our second year students will take 2 elective courses in the spring semester and one of the courses will be from Group A and the other from Group B. The courses chosen from the same group will be deemed invalid. You should act quickly to register for the courses where the quotas are limited.

We wish you a successful and healthy education term.

YEAR 1 ENGLISH PROGRAM / Every Thursday from 14.00 to 15.50

Course Code	Course Name	ECTS	Lecturer	Medium of Instruction	Quota
EMC101	English Media Club	4	Rahimahan İbragimova	Online	50
RUS101	Russian I	4	Iryna Alpcan	Online	30
FRE101	French	4	Özde Demirel	Online	30

YEAR 2 ENGLISH PROGRAM

Group A - Every Monday from 10.00 to 11.50

Course Code	Course Name	ECTS	Lecturer	Medium of Instruction	Quota
GEC499	Educational Organisations and Design	4	Fatma Köprülü	Online	45
GEC264	Mindfulness	4	Ayşe Öztoprak	Online	45

Group B - Every Monday from 12.00 to 12.50

Course Code	Course Name	ECTS	Lecturer	Medium of Instruction	Quota
GEC306	Training Strategies and Techniques	2	Fatma Köprülü	Online	45
FRE101 B	French	2	İpek Seylan	Online	45

YEAR 4 ENGLISH PROGRAM

Course Code	Course Name	ECTS	Lecturer	Medium of Instruction	Quota
DEC410	Advancements in Prosthetic Materials	4	Özay Önöral	Flipped Learning	30
DEC418	Oral Health Assesment Methods	4	Dila Özyılkan	Online	20

YEAR 5 ENGLISH PROGRAM

Course Code	Course Name	ECTS	Lecturer	Medium of Instruction	Quota
DEC508	Digital Smile Design	4	Ammar Kayssoun	Online	20
DEC512	Pain Management in Dental Practice	4	Abdullah Sebai	Online	30
DEC516	Treatment planning and prognosis in complex endodontic cases	4	Meltem Küçük	Online	30

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YEAR 1	EMC101	ENGLISH MEDIA CLUB	RAHIMAHAN IBRAGIMOVA
	<i>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 and using examples and details to support their viewpoint.</i>		
	RUS101	RUSSIAN I	IRYNA ALPCAN
	<i>This lesson is intended for beginner students who want to learn the Russian language starting with the alphabet. The lesson is taught face to face in English. The presence of students is mandatory, mid-term and final exams are held face to face.</i>		
YEAR 2 GROUP A	FRE101	FRENCH	ÖZDE DEMİREL
	<i>The aim of the basic level French elective course is to provide students with a foundational understanding of the French language and its fundamental elements. Throughout the course, participants will focus on developing essential language skills. Emphasis will be placed on building a practical vocabulary and mastering basic grammatical structures. By the end of the course, students should feel confident in engaging in simple conversations, comprehending basic written texts, and expressing themselves in written form.</i>		
YEAR 2 GROUP A	GEC499	EDUCATIONAL ORGANISATIONS AND DESING	FATMA KÖPRÜLÜ
	<i>The main aim of this course is to familiarize learners with matters of effective educational management to help them improve their administration knowledge.</i>		
YEAR 2 GROUP B	GEC264	MINDFULNESS	AYŞE ÖZTOPRAK
	<i>This course is based on the Mindfulness Based Stress Reduction program founded by Jon Kabat-Zinn. Participants will be guided in weekly practices like meditation and yoga in order to reduce stress levels. By increasing their mindfulness, participants aim to reduce their overall emotional reactivity and gain a deeper sense of calm.</i>		
YEAR 2 GROUP B	GEC306	TRAINING STRATEGIES AND TECHNIQUES	FATMA KÖPRÜLÜ
	<i>*Promoting Innovation. *Developing critical thinking. *Managing and analyzing relevant information about organizations in a clear, sound, and explicit way.</i>		
YEAR 2 GROUP B	FRE101 B	FRENCH	İPEK SEYLAN
	<i>Introduction to oral and written French through role play and in-class use corresponding to everyday language needs. The students learn to understand and use simple language that can be transferred to the everyday situations which they meet as soon as they arrive in France. They learn to speak distinctly and begin to communicate with their professional circle. Students can understand short and simple questions and instructions. They use simple syntax and grammar forms and work on improving the thepronunciation of memorised expressions and basic vocabulary.</i>		
YEAR 4	DEC410	ADVACEMENTS IN PROSTHODONTIC MATERIALS	ÖZAY ÖNÖRAL
	<i>Impression (conventional, digital), fabrication (conventional, CAD-CAM) and cementation constitute the paramount stages of the science of prosthetic dentistry. Knowing the usage characteristics of different materials that can be preferred at these stages plays a key role in the long-term success of prosthetic restoration. Preferring impression material with correct structural properties helps in accurate mapping of oral tissues. Optically, mechanically, and biologically correct restorative material (titanium, Co-Cr, Ni-Cr, feldspathic porcelain, lithium disilicate, alumina, zirconia, monolithic zirconia, PEEK, PEKK, translucent and ultra-translucent zirconia, cubic zirconia, fibers, nanoceramics, resin-matrix ceramics etc.) is important in terms of meeting the patient's expectations in terms of both aesthetic, phonetic, and functional aspects. The cementation process, which is carried out by following the right steps and using the right cement, ensures long-term clinical success by preventing the biological and mechanical complications of the prosthetic restoration. This elective course aims to overview the usage properties of different materials that can be preferred in the above-mentioned stages in the field of prosthetic dentistry, to observe the materials and to strengthen the obtained material knowledge with laboratory applications.</i>		
	DEC418	ORAL HEALTH ASSESSMENT METHODS	DİLA ÖZYILKAN
<i>Explaining different oral and dental health assessment methods and having them practiced.</i>			
YEAR 5	DEC508	DIGITAL SMILE DESIGN	AMMAR KAYSSOUN
	<i>Explore the world of Digital Smile Design (DSD) and how the multipurpose tool is transforming the future of modern dentistry. DSD course presents explanation for how the patients can enables to visualise their smile before proceeding with any dental procedure, alongside many other remarkable advantages for both the patient and dentist.</i>		
	DEC512	PAIN MANAGEMENT IN DENTAL PRACTICE	ABDULLAH SEBAI
	<i>The management of pain in dentistry encompasses a number of procedural issues, including the delivery of anesthetic and the management of postprocedural pain, as well as pain diagnosis, management strategies for orofacial conditions that cause pain in the face and head, and the management of pain in special populations. Given the extensive nature of the topic, in this course we will review pain definitions and mechanisms, acute versus chronic pain, and focuses on management strategies related to anesthetic delivery and the control of pain following dental procedures.</i>		
YEAR 5	DEC516	TREATMENT PLANNING AND PROGNOSIS IN COMPLEX ENDODONTIC CASES	MELTEM KÜÇÜK
	<i>Evaluation of complex endodontic cases is crucial in treatment planning and prognosis. This includes complicated dental trauma, dental anomalies, persistent apical infection, diseases that mimic endodontic lesions, teeth with complicated root canal anatomy, tooth resorption, broken instrument cases, endodontic surgery, and paresthesia cases associated with endodontic treatment. Each case requires careful consideration and a tailored approach to ensure successful outcomes. This lecture aims to teach students the complexities of endodontic cases to avoid during treatment and refer the patient to a specialist if needed.</i>		