

## COURSE DESCRIPTION

**Code:** 3KLV/BASLOV1ER/11**Course title:** Basic Slovak**Field of study:** preschool and elementary education, special education**Guarantor:** PhDr. Alexandra Brestovičová, PhD.**Lectured by:** Department of Communicative and Literary Education  
PhDr. Alexandra Brestovičová, PhD.**Semester:**  
WT, ST**Contact lessons:** Lecture, Seminar**Recommended course load (in lessons):****Weekly:** 1/1**Per course:** 13,13**Number of  
ECTS credits:** 4**Prerequisite(s):****Course assessment and completion:****Continuous assessment:**

CONTINUOUS EVALUATION:

Practical Testing of acquired communicative skills

Linguistic Projects: Comparing Languages

**Final assessment:**

FINAL EVALUATION:

Testing of basic communicative skills (spoken interaction, spoken production, listening reading, writing), testing of basic vocabulary a basic grammatical rules in Slovak.

**Course objective:**

To acquire language skills and competences within the basic Slovak at the level A1 according to Common European Framework.

**Course content:**

1. Slovak as a Foreign Language. Slovak as a one of the least widely used languages across Europe: Genetic, Area, Typological Aspects. Communicative Competence in Foreign Language Teaching/Learning. Modelling of Special Speech Act Components in Foreign Language Teaching/Learning.
2. Communicative situations: greeting and meeting people, day-to-day communication, everyday living, study, university, traveling etc.
3. Spoken interaction:  
Basic communication phrases and intentions: greeting and meeting people, contact people, acquire of information, exchange of information etc.
4. Spoken production:  
Using simple sentences and phrases to introduce myself. Basic rules of Slovak pronunciation.
5. Listening comprehension:  
The understanding of very simple dialogues and very short notices and texts. To recognise of communicative intention and key information in simple text.
6. Reading comprehension:  
Reading and understanding of very short, simple sentences, notices and texts. To recognise of communicative intention and key information in simple text.
7. Writing:  
Writing of short, simple text. Filling in forms with personal details. Basic rules of Slovak orthography.
8. Vocabulary:  
Basic Slovak vocabulary and phrases related to the frequent topics and situations. The using of lexical relations as hyperonymy – hyponymy, antonymy and word-formation motivation.
9. Grammar:  
Simple grammatical structures and sentence patterns. Basic structure of the Slovak sentence (S – V – O). Basic forms of the words classes (nouns, verbs, adjectives, adverbs, numerals).
10. Sociolinguistic and sociocultural competence:  
Communicative norms in Slovak, politeness conventions. Slovak culture, traditions, habits. Host university, host town, host country.

**Textbooks and references:**

Böhmerová, A.: Slovak for you. Perfekt, 2006.

Dratva, T. – Buznová, V.: Slovenčina pre cudzincov. 4. vyd. Bratislava: SPN, 2007.

Križom krážom. Slovenčina A1. Bratislava: Univerzita Komenského, 2007 (učebnica, cvičebnica, CD).

Križom krážom. Slovenčina A2. Bratislava: Univerzita Komenského, 2009 (učebnica, cvičebnica).

Liptáková, L.: Študijný kurz Slovenčina ako cudzí jazyk. Dostupné na: <http://opal.unipo.sk/pf/moodle/>Online kurz slovenčiny. Dostupné na: <http://slovakie.eu/sk/>Slavic network. Dostupné na: [www.slavic-net.us.edu.pl](http://www.slavic-net.us.edu.pl)**Language of instruction:**

Slovak, English