

<b>Russian I</b>	
Course number	8441
Lecturer	Mr Lips
ECTS	2.5
Number of semester hours	2
Workload	75 h
Type	Elective
Duration	1 Term
Prerequisites	No previous knowledge required.
Type of exam	Written exam (90 min.)
Objectives	The aim of courses one to four is the development of basic Russian language skills in writing, grammar, vocabulary and pronunciation. In addition to the 90-minute course, preparation and revision time (including homework) should be around 2 hours a week. By the end of the four courses, the participants will be able to understand basic texts, use effective speech patterns and understand the gist of original texts with the use of a dictionary.
Content	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Cyrillic alphabet, spelling and pronunciation practice</li> <li>• Introduction to basic grammar structures and development of basic lexical resources</li> <li>• Aim: approximately 150 words during first semester</li> <li>• Grammar focus on declension of nouns with corresponding prepositions, conjugation of verbs</li> <li>• Course content will be supplemented with practical exercises</li> </ul>
Bibliography	Materials will be agreed upon with the students
Forms of instruction	Lecture + practice
Language of instruction	As far as possible, instruction in all language electives will be held in the target language including supplementing explanations in German and/or English.
Availability	Every summer and winter term