COURSE INFORMATION		
EUPeace Alliance University		Justus Liebig University Giessen
Course Title		History of English Language (Group A)
Department and/or Faculty		Faculty 05: Language, Literature, Culture
		Fachbereich 05: Sprache, Literatur, Kultur
Course Code		Pending
Course Type		Course Modality
Curricular	Online	
Non-curricular	Synchro	nous Asynchronous Lecture Laboratory
	Both (A/	S)ynchronous
Date		04/22/2025-07/25/2025
		Tuesday, 3-4 pm (CEST)
Language(s) of Instruction		English (B2)
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TARGET AUDIENCE		
Suitable as Pre-Service Teacher Training Course		
Pre-primary Primary Secondary Lower Secondary Upper Tertiary		
Suitable as In-Service Professional Development Course		
Pre-primary Primary Secondary Lower Secondary Upper Tertiary		
Suitable for non-student body		
Administrative staff Other		
TYPE – WORKLOAD – RECOGNITION		
Number of hours	90	
ECTS Credits	3	
Certificate		
COURSE DESCRIPTION (EN/L1 [if taught in L1])		
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Content

The study of the history of the English language offers highly relevant insights into how we ended up with the English language as it is structured and as it functions all around the world today. In this lecture, we will pay particular attention to the different periods in the history of the English language, i.e. Old English, Middle English, Early Modern English, Late Modern English and Presentday English, in order to follow the structural changes on the levels of phonology, lexis, syntax and semantics that have led to the English language as we use it today. We will also consider various areas of linguistic study that include a historical component, e.g. historical text linguistics, historical sociolinguistics, historical corpus linguistics, etc.

Competences & Learning Objectives





LINK to Course Details

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