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A. Required Textbooks

Persian of Iran today (<u>http://www.laits.utexas.edu/persian teaching resources</u>/). This is an online resource. However, students are required to print off a copy of units 1-10 and bring it to class with them.

B. Course Description and Objectives

Persian 1030 is an elementary course for students who have never studied Persian or do not have the prerequisite knowledge for Intermediate Persian. There is no prerequisite for this course. This course is not open to native speakers. Heritage learners of Persian must consult with the Department.

The course is designed to enable students to learn the basic vocabulary and grammatical structures of written and oral Persian in order to permit the learner to communicate with PersiarQ.

This course requires a minimum of one hour homework for every class hour.

- computer work (OWL/SAKAI)
- prepare and study at a regular pace the alphabet, vocabulary and grammar
- daily homework (alphabet, grammar, vocabulary, preparation of activities for the classroom, written exercises and formative compositions)
- read assigned texts
- preparation for quizzes and tests (oral and written)
- preparing oral presentations
- written compositions
- self-correction

F. Class Management

 Students are expected to come to class regularly and attendance will be strictly monitored. Points are not given for mere attendance but for your participation and for showing progress (see *Participation* below). All absences will affect the participation grade; students with more than 4 absences per semester will get 0 on the participation grade.

Because attendance is so important in language courses, any student who, in the opinion of the course coordinator, is absent too frequently from class periods in any course, will be reported to the Dean (after due warning has0.2 (t) 0.p6.5 3.5 (-0.2 (

• Participation

protect a writer against the possible charge of plagiarism. This also applies to work facilitated or written for students by third parties. The University of Western Ontario uses a plagiarism-checking site called <u>Turnitin.com</u>. Students are allowed to use their laptops and iPads during class lectures, but they are not allowed to use any electronic device during exam sessions. Ringers must be turned off and laptops, tablets, or other technology must only be used for class purposes. Unauthorized recording or photographing of the class, its members, community partners, and/or the people they serve is prohibited.

Support Services

Registrarial Services is <u>http://www.registrar.uwo.ca</u> Student Support Services is <u>https://studentservices.uwo.ca</u> (including the services provided by the USC listed here: <u>http://westernusc.ca/services/</u>). The Student Development Services can also be reached at

26 Unit 2	28 Unit 2- Quiz 1

October

November

December

January

9 Unit 7	11 Unit 7
16 Unit 7	18 Unit 7
23 Unit 8- Quiz 3	25 Unit 8
30 Unit 8	

February		
Tuesday	Thursday	
	1 Unit 8	
6 Unit 9 - Term Test 3	8 Unit 9	
13 Unit 9	15 Unit 9	
20 Reading Week	22 Reading week	
27 Unit 10		

Tuesday	Thursday
	1 Unit 10- Quiz 4
6 Unit 10	8 Unit 10
13 Term Test 4	15 Practicing communicational skills (Speaking, Reading and Writing)
20 Practicing communicational skills (Speaking, Reading and Writing)	22 Practicing communicational skills (Speaking, Reading and Writing) - Composition 2
27 Practicing communicational skills (Speaking, Reading and Writing)	29 Practicing communicational skills (Speaking, Reading and Writing)

April		
Tuesday	Thursday	

3 Practicing communicational skills (Speaking, Reading and Writing)- Oral Presentation 2	5 Practicing communicational skills (Speaking, Reading and Writing)
10 Revision	

^{NB} CAVEAT

This syllabus is not etched in stone, and any information on this syllabus is subject to change at any time. Although we try to minimize change as much as possible, we may need to make some necessary adjustments (not, however, test, or assignment dates). Any changes will be announced 2(s) -0.20.2 (.2 (e) 0.2 (a) n.2 (t) 0.2)]TJ(If2 (s) -0.02) 0.2 (s).2 (s) -0.2.33333 0.2 (s) -0.2 (w) -(