



Subject card

Subject name and code		Technical German I, PG_00063174						
Field of study		Mechanical Engineering						
Date of commencement of studies		October 2023	Academic year of realisation of subject			2023/2024		
Education level		first-cycle studies	Subject group					
Mode of study		Full-time studies	Mode of delivery			at the university		
Year of study		1	Language of instruction			German		
Semester of study		1	ECTS credits			2.0		
Learning profile		general academic profile	Assessment form			assessment		
Conducting unit		Language Center -> Vice-Rector for Education						
Name and surname of lecturer (lecturers)		Subject supervisor		mgr Anna Soczyńska				
		Teachers						
Lesson types and methods of instruction		Lesson type	Lecture	Tutorial	Laboratory	Project	Seminar	SUM
		Number of study hours	0.0	30.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	30
		E-learning hours included: 0.0						
Learning activity and number of study hours		Learning activity	Participation in didactic classes included in study plan	Participation in consultation hours		Self-study		SUM
		Number of study hours	30	0.0		0.0		30
Subject objectives		Development and consolidation of German language command, including reading, speaking, writing and translation in a technical environment.						
Learning outcomes		Course outcome		Subject outcome		Method of verification		
		[K6_U81] is able to communicate appropriately in foreign language at B2 level of the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages (CEFR) in everyday life, in academic and professional environments		Successful communication in daily life and in an academic and professional environment.		[SU3] Assessment of ability to use knowledge gained from the subject [SU1] Assessment of task fulfilment		
		[K6_K81] is able to cooperate in international team		Ability to communicate and cooperate in teams.		[SK1] Assessment of group work skills [SK4] Assessment of communication skills, including language correctness		
		[K6_W81] has knowledge of grammatical structures and lexical resources needed to communicate in foreign language in terms of general and specialist language related to field of study		Understanding of various texts, including technical and specialist literature. Translation of short technical texts. Preparation of short presentations. Writing formal letters, CVs, covering letters and summaries of specialist texts.		[SW2] Assessment of knowledge contained in presentation [SW1] Assessment of factual knowledge		
		[K6_U82] is able to obtain and process information related to field of study and academic environment in foreign language at B2 level of the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages (CEFR)		Ability to prepare a description of a process, a diagram, a figure, an instruction and so on.		[SU3] Assessment of ability to use knowledge gained from the subject [SU1] Assessment of task fulfilment		
		[K6_K82] is equipped to participate in lectures, seminars and laboratory classes conducted in foreign language		Successful communication in an academic environment. Understanding of speeches and lectures.		[SK2] Assessment of progress of work [SK4] Assessment of communication skills, including language correctness		

Subject contents	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Talking about learning foreign languages; discussing health and happiness; describing processes • Future forms; • Conditionals; debating; the language of emotion; talking about quantity and amount • Accepting and rejecting ideas; predicting; justifying opinions; relative clauses • Describing charts and graphs; writing reports; describing visual information; compound nouns • Language of advertisements; modals (future); for and against arguments; describing uses • Collocations; discussing safety; compound adjectives; agent nouns • Comparison and contrast; modals (past); emphatic structures; shapes, measurements and descriptions of objects • Introduction to presentations; persuading; discussing hypothetical ideas; descriptions of objects • Writing a formal letter; describing information; talking about differences and similarities; reading complex texts; giving definitions • Business terms and expressions; expressing opinions; discussing technological advances; explaining safety procedures • Past forms and narrative tenses; word sets; articles and the use of the passive; describing emergency procedures • Talking about success; idioms; asking about the way and giving directions • Making offers and bargaining; talking about needs and expectations; conceding points; obtaining information asking questions <p>Negotiating a contract; writing e-mails and leaflets; improving listening and dictionary skills; talking about properties of materials</p>														
Prerequisites and co-requisites	Before joining a language group at a particular level, the student must first attain the preceding level, i.e. A1 before joining an A2 group, A2 before joining B1, B1 before joining B2, B2 before joining C1 and C1 before joining C2.														
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Example issues/ example questions/ tasks being completed	<p>Write a CV and a cover letter.</p> <p>Make a presentation.</p> <p>Describe a process.</p>														
Work placement	Not applicable														

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