

Subject card

Subject name and code	Lexicography classes, PG_00137871						
Field of study	English Studies						
Date of commencement of studies	October 2025		Academic year of realisation of subject		2026/2027		
Education level	Master's studies		Subject group		Obligatory subject group in the field of study Optional subject group Subject group related to scientific research in the field of study		
Mode of study	full-time studies		Mode of delivery		at the university		
Year of study	2		Language of instruction		English some examples may come from Polish-language dictionaries		
Semester of study	3		ECTS credits		3.0		
Learning profile	academic		Assessment form		credit		
Conducting unit	Institute of English and American Studies -> Faculty of Languages -> Rector						
Name and surname of lecturer (lecturers)	Subject supervisor		dr Maciej Rataj				
	Teachers						
Lesson types	Lesson type	Lecture	Tutorial	Laboratory	Project	Seminar	SUM
	Number of study hours	0.0	15.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	15
	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	15		1.0		59.0	75
Subject objectives	The aim of the course is to familiarize students with issues related to the theory and practice of lexicography, in particular the macro- and microstructure of dictionaries and the practice of lexicography						

Learning outcomes	Course outcome	Subject outcome	Method of verification
	[FAMU2_U01] Can innovatively perform analytical and interpretative tasks, formulate and solve complex and unusual problems, and set and test simple research hypotheses in the field of English linguistics and research into English literature, using the acquired subject knowledge and linguistic and literary methodological and theoretical approaches.	Is able to use the acquired subject knowledge appropriately in order to formulate and solve research problems and innovatively perform tasks in the field of lexicography, selecting and applying appropriate methods and tools, including advanced information and communication technology (ICT)	[SU1] oral statement/conversation/discussion [SU4] test/exam - oral or written
	[FAMU2_U07] Can lead a debate on linguistics and literature within the framework of English Philology, present and evaluate various opinions and positions, and discuss them in English and Polish.	Able to debate, especially on topics related to lexicography.	[SU1] oral statement/conversation/discussion
	[FAMU2_K01] Is ready to critically evaluate the extent of their knowledge and skills, in particular in the field of English-language linguistics and literature and English.	The student is ready to critically evaluate his knowledge of linguistics, especially lexicography	[SK1] oral statement/conversation/discussion
	[FAMU2_W07] Knows and understands to an in-depth extent selected issues constituting advanced detailed knowledge in the field of linguistics, including, in particular, research into the English language.	Knows and understands the main developmental trends of English-language lexicography	[SW4] test/exam - oral or written [SW1] oral statement/conversation/discussion
	[FAMU2_U06] Can communicate in speech and writing in English and Polish with diverse audiences on specialized topics in the field of linguistics and literature, also using advanced specialized terminology.	potrafi komunikować się w mowie i piśmie w języku polskim i angielskim ze zróżnicowanymi kręgami odbiorców na tematy specjalistyczne z zakresu eksenografii, posługując się zaawansowaną terminologią specjalistyczną z zakresu językoznawstwa.	[SU1] oral statement/conversation/discussion [SU4] test/exam - oral or written
	[FAMU2_W03] Knows and understands in depth advanced research methodologies and theories in the field of English linguistics.	Knows in depth in Polish and English advanced terminology in the field of lexicography;	[SW4] test/exam - oral or written [SW1] oral statement/conversation/discussion
	[FAMU2_W05] Knows and understands advanced terminology in the field of linguistics, in particular those used in English language studies.	Knows in depth Polish and English advanced terminology in the field of lexicography	[SW4] test/exam - oral or written [SW1] oral statement/conversation/discussion
Subject contents	Classes devoted to the discussion on such issues in the field of lexicography as: basic concepts; objectives and research methods; types of dictionaries; the structure of dictionaries; defining words taking into account the specifics of different parts of speech.		
Prerequisites and co-requisites	Knowledge of basic concepts of linguistics Knowledge of the English language at the C1 level		
Assessment methods and criteria	Subject passing criteria	Passing threshold	Percentage of the final grade
	class assignments	51.0%	30.0%
	1 test	51.0%	70.0%

Recommended reading	Basic literature	T. McArthur: Living Words: Language, Lexicography and the Knowledge Revolution. B. A. Kipfer: Workbook on Lexicography. H. Jackson: Words and Their Meaning. (other materials prepared by the teacher)
	Supplementary literature	Crystal, D. 2005. How Language Works. New York: Avery Penguin Publishing. McArthur, T. 1986. Worlds of Reference. New York, NY: Cambridge University Press.
	eResources addresses	
Example issues/ example questions/ tasks being completed	Describing the macrostructure of a dictionary Describing the structure of a dictionary entry Describing the differences among different types of dictionaries	
Work placement	Not applicable	

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