

SYLLABUS FOR CERTIFICATE IN TURKISH (ONE-YEAR COURSE)

The course is designed to provide a basic understanding and knowledge about the Turkish language, culture and traditions. **Vocabulary** will be including the words and phrases used at the meetings; at cafes and restaurants; names of the countries, nations, relatives; main objects in classrooms; desserts and meals; numbers; professions; time expressions, days, months, seasons; habits, hobbies, talents; main parts of the house, objects in the house. The main emphasis will be on reading, writing, speaking and listening abilities of students by using Turkish in a wide variety of **situations** such as: meeting with friends or new persons; self introduction, introducing the family members or the other persons; ordering a menu, asking the price; asking the phone numbers; giving information about the work life and schedule, asking the date and time; informing about the daily life (summarizing a typical day); telling about the hobbies, likes and dislikes; describing the parts of a home and the objects in the rooms; asking the addresses.

Students will also start to practice translation of simple Turkish texts into English and English texts into Turkish with the help of a dictionary.

BOOKS PRESCRIBED:

- “Turkish for Foreigners” by a teachers’ committee of Gazi University Tomer, Ankara 2000.
- “Turkish Grammar for Foreigners” by a teacher’ committee of Gazi University TOMER, Ankara 2006.
- “Turkish - Student’s Book I”, by Tuncay Öztürk, Sezgin Akçay, Abdullah Yiğit, Ercan Taşdemir, S. Serkan Başak, Published by Dilset, Istanbul 2005.
- (Gokkushagi) “Turkish” (Work Book 1, 2) by Tuncay Ozturk, Sezgin Akcay, Abdullah Yigit, Ercan Tasdemir, S. Serkan Basak, Published by DILSET, Istanbul 2007.

HOME READING

Available in the library.

EXAMINATION	<u>Time</u>	<u>Max. marks</u>
Paper - I Grammar	3 hrs	100
Paper - II Text	3 hrs	100
Paper - III Oral Exam		100

- Reading and comprehension of a simple given text from the recommended book or a magazine (40 marks)
- General conversation in Turkish (60 marks)

Total marks: 300