

Brief Course Outline

Course Title: Intermediate Modern Hebrew

Course Number and Section

HEBREW

2200 550

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Course Description:

This course provides students who have a basic knowledge of spoken Hebrew as well as grammatical structures with a more in-depth study of the language. Students will learn to understand and produce texts in Modern Hebrew through exposure to literature, poetry, music, movies, and everyday conversations. Each lesson emphasizes all four language skills (listening comprehension, speaking, reading comprehension, and writing) so that students will become more familiar and comfortable with using their language skills.

Learning Outcomes: one outcome per entry

Reading Comprehension - understand various Hebrew text from different sources.

Written Expression - produce narrative and descriptive writing. Some examples are - a poem, essays and a book report

Oral Communication - understand main ideas in discussions on a variety of topics as well as expand and effectively use precise and varied vocabulary.

Textbooks and Course Materials:

Chayat, Hebrew From Scratch 2

Cost: \$92.25

Used copies or earlier editions of the text are acceptable for this course.

Handouts provided in class, including:

- Grammar worksheets
- Extra reading material
- Short stories
- Specific passages from other reading sources

Methods of Evaluation: one assignment per entry

Assignment	Due Date mm/dd/yy	Weight - %
Class Participation and Attendance		10%

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Quizzes		25%
Oral Assignments and Discussions		10%
Written Assignments		15%
Semester 1 in -class Exam		15%
Final Exam		25%

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For Textbooks and Course Materials (below), you are required to include the cost of each textbook or other learning material.

Note whether there are any restrictions that would prevent a student from using a second-hand copy. Here is some suggested text:

- Required textbook: [author, title, edition, publisher, date]. Cost: [insert amount].
 - Or include the weblink of the textbook’s publisher site that includes the cost information.
- Students need to purchase this edition. Second-hand or older editions will not be sufficient.
- OR Students are welcome to purchase second-hand or earlier editions of this textbook.
- This course has an optional field trip that costs [insert amount].
- This course has a required field component that costs [insert amount].

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