

Russian 101

Syllabus

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РУССКИЙ ЯЗЫК 101 ОСЕННЯЯ ЧЕТВЕРТЬ, 2000 г.

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 Кабинет: HUMANITIES-255
 Консультация: с 1:00 до 2:00 по вторникам (office hour: 1-2 on Tuesdays)
 (I'm also free directly after class on Mondays, Tuesdays, and Fridays.)

Учебник

- Треника: Grammar Textbook and Workbook

Final grade

Five chapter tests, the last held as your final exam, each count 20% of your grade. Mistakes in your turned-in homework won't count off your grade, but not turning in homework can lower your final grade.

Make-up Work

You can only learn Russian effectively if you plan to come to class every day. If you need to make up for **an occasional missed class**, I will let you turn in homework late. Also, I can let you take a test early or late if you warn me in advance (but won't allow this as a habit and won't allow late tests for those with poor attendance).

Schedule

	During today's class	Homework to prepare for the next class lecture		
	(from textbook)	Textbook	Workbook	For oral in-class practice
		Read for next class lecture	Write out to turn in next lecture	from the textbook; prepare for next lecture, don't write out
Week 1				
	Introduction, pp. 1-11	1.1-1.4	pp. 1-4, ex. 1-6	The alphabet, (Written homework is

					listed under "Workbook" and should be done AFTER the day's class by which it is listed and turned in <u>the next class day.</u>)
		Introductions, Yes-no questions, pp. 14-15	1.3, 1.5	pp. 4-10, ex. 1-6	ex. 1-3
Week 2					
		Describing people with adjectives of quality and nationality, pp. 15-16	1.6-1-7	pp. 11-13, ex. 1-4	ex. 4-9
		Asking someone's name, pp. 17-20	1.8-1.9	pp. 13-14, ex. 5-7	ex. 10-12
		Asking about professions, pp. 20-21	1.10	p. 15, ex. 8	ex. 13-15
		Greeting people, pp. 21-23	-	pp. 16-19, ex. 9-14	ex. 16-18 and 20-22, ex. 1-9 (for Monday's in-class practice)
Week 3					
		Chapter review, p. 23			In class: pp. 20-2, ex. 1-9
		Kontrolnaq rabota po pejrvomu uro;ku (Control work on lesson 1)			
		LESSON 2: Describing foreign lang. skills, pp. 34-36	2.1-2.6	pp. 23-24, ex. 1-4	ex. 1-5
		Foreign language skills	2.1-2.6	pp. 25-26, ex. 5-6	ex. 6-11
Week 4					
		Introducing family members, pp. 38-40	2.7	pp. 26-27, ex. 7-9	ex. 12-14
		Introducing family members, pp. 40-42	2.7	pp. 28-30, ex. 10-12	ex. 15-18
		Introducing friends and teachers, Making compliments, pp. 42-47	2.8-2.9	pp. 32-33, ex. 13-17	ex. 19-23
		Introductions, compliments	2.8-2.9	pp. 32-33, ex. 18-19	ex. 24-26; 36-36, ex. 1-6 (for Monday's in-class

				practice)
Week 5				
		Chapter review, pp. 46-47		In class: pp. 36-36, ex. 1-6
		Kontro;l;naq rabo;ta po vtoro;mu uro;ku		
		LESSON 3 Naming things; describing things w/ adjectives	3.1-3.3	pp. 37-38, ex. 1-5 ex. 1-4; pp. 60-62
		Using adjectives, pp. 62-65	3.4	pp. 39-41, ex. 6-10 ex. 5-12
Week 6				
		Using adjectives, pp. 62-65	3.4	pp. 41-44, ex. 6-10 ex. 13-16
		Xeluv;in (The American holiday derives from pre-Christian Irish tradition; in Russia the traditional day for trick-or-treating, as well as caroling, was Orthodox Christmas Eve, sohe;l;nik , which is now on January 6; Russians stopped this after 1917.)	3.5-3.7	pp. 45-48, ex. 17-20 ex. 17-20
		Talking about possessions, pp. 66-68	3.7-3.8	pp. 48-50, ex. 21-23 ex. 21-23
		Describing family size, pp. 68-69	-	pp. 50-52, ex. 21-24 ex. 24-25; 52-54, ex 1-5 (for Monday's in-class practice)
Week 7				
		Chapter review, pp. 69-70		In class: pp. 52-54, ex 1-5
		Kontro;l;naq rabota po tre;t;emu uro;ku Den; vy;borov (Day of votes) Russia has free elections nowadays too! But not necessarily in November.		Trivial pursuit: Kto prezide;nt Rossi;i* Who is Russia 's president? otve;t:
		LESSON 4 Describing your city, asking directions, pp. 84-86	4.1	pp. 55-58, ex. 1-8 ex. 1-4
		Asking directions, pp. 86-88	4.1-4.3	pp. 59-63, ex. 9-12 ex. 5-10
Week 8				
		Expressing location, pp. 88-89		

			4.4	pp. 64-65, ex. 13-14	ex. 11-13
		Describing things in the plural, pp. 89-90	4.5	pp. 65-66, ex. 15-16	ex. 14-16
		Describing things in the plural, pp. 90-93	4.6	pp. 67-70, ex. 17-21	ex.
		Describing your house or apt., pp. 94-98	4.7	pp. 70-74, ex. 22-33	ex. 21-28; 75-76, ex. 1-3 (for Monday's in-class practice)
Week 9					
		Chapter review, pp. 98-99			In class: pp. 75-76, ex. 1-3
		Kontrol; naq rabota po hetvrtomu uroku			
		Vyxodno;j den; (Off day). Den; Blagoda;rnosti (Day of gratitude) Russia has no equivalent.			
		Vyxodno;j den;. Den; Blagoda;rnosti.			
Week 10					
		Lesson 5: Geography, pp. 112-113	5.1	pp. 77-79, ex. 1-6	ex. 1-3
		Points of compass	5.1	p. 80, ex. 7-9	ex. 4-5
		Making comparisons	5.2	pp. 81-82, ex. 10-12	ex. 6-7
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Week 11					
		Political geography	5.4	pp. 85-88, ex. 16-21	ex. 9-13
		Telling where you live	6.4-5.6	pp. 87-88, ex. 19-21	ex. 11-13
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		Chapter review, pp. 126-127			Also in class: p. 96, ex. 1-3