

**LINGUISTICS 1**  
**- INTRODUCTORY LINGUISTICS -**

6 Steele  
MWF 12:30 – 1:35  
x-hour: Tue 1 – 1:50

**OFFICE HOURS**

Wed 4 – 5 or by appointment  
308 Reed Hall  
6-3403

**TEACHING ASSISTANTS**

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**TEXTBOOK**

O'Grady, Archibald, Aronoff, Rees-Miller  
*Contemporary Linguistics: An Introduction*  
5<sup>th</sup> edition

at Wheelock Books

**WEEK**

March 26  
March 28

Introduction  
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March 31  
April 2  
April 4

Morphology  
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April 7  
April 9

Morphophonemics, allomorphy  
Phonetics

April 11

Phonetics

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April 14  
April 16  
April 18

Phonetics  
Phonetics  
Phonology

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April 21  
April 23

Phonology  
Phonology

**READINGS, ASSIGNMENTS**

ch. 1

ch. 4 (4.1-4.3)  
ch. 4.4-4.5

ch. 4.6  
ch. 2 (2.1 – 2.7)  
(*assign. 1 due in class today*)  
ch. 2.8 – 2.10

***Phonetics quiz***  
ch. 3 (3.1 – 3.2)  
(*assign. 2 due in class today –  
allomorphy*)

ch. 3.3 – 3.4  
ch. 3.5 (up to page 89), 3.6

April 25	Syntax	ch. 5 (5.1-5.2) <i>(assign. 3 due in class today – phonology)</i>
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April 28	Syntax	5.3
April 30	Syntax	5.4-5.5 (up to page 186)
<b>May 2</b>	<b>Midterm exam in class</b>	
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May 5	Language and music: Same structures or not?	reading TBA
May 7	Language evolution	read chapter 17 on animals
May 9	Semantics	ch. 6 (6.1 – 6.3 up to page 225) <i>(assign. 4 due in class today – syntax)</i>
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May 12	Semantics and discourse	6.4
May 14	Language acquisition	ch. 11
May 16	Classification of languages	ch. 8
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May 19	Historical linguistics	ch. 7 (7.1 – 7.4)
May 21	Historical linguistics	ch. 7 (7.5 – 7.6)
May 23	Language in social contexts	15.2 <i>(assign. 5 due in class today – historical linguistics)</i>
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May 26	- Memorial Day -	
May 28	Linguistic analysis – workshop Practice for the final exam	

**GRADING**

Assignments (5)	50%
Quiz	10%
Mid-term	20%
Final exam	20%

**Given the size of the class, late assignments cannot be accepted**