

POLISH PREPARATORY SCHOOL PROGRAM OF STUDY

Number of hours: 600 (300 hours per semester) – Warsaw

Number of hours: 500 (250 hours per semester) – Poznań

A1	A2	B1	B2	C1
Grammar	Grammar	Grammar	Grammar	Grammar
The verb “to be” Conjugation of verbs Cases Pronouns: subject/ object/ possessive Prepositions of place and time Present tense Adverbs of frequency Ordinal numerals 1-24 (time) Articles Past tense Irregular verbs Countable/ uncountable nouns Quantifiers and modifiers Verbs: to know, to be able Future tense	Tenses: consolidation Question forms Time markers with past tenses Perfective and non-perfective verbs. Verb: to wish... Tenses-summary Relative clauses Can I/ please ...perfective verbs, Adverbial expressions with different cases Comparatives and superlatives Modal verbs Used to for past habits Pronouns: every, everybody/all	Conditionals Cardinal and ordinal numerals in dates. Past tense: perfective and non-perfective aspect (revision) Present and Past tenses in context Different ways of expressing future Gerund, impersonal forms of a verb in present and past tense Superlative adverbs Modal verbs for speculation and deduction Passive Voice Reported speech: reporting statements and questions	Question forms Narrative tenses Definite/ indefinite articles Adverbs and adverbial phrases Different ways of comparing things (as...as etc). Order of adjectives More gerunds and infinitives Impersonal expression Declinations of names and surnames Vocative Diminutives Participles Prefix verbs	Linking words Phrasal verbs Contrasting tenses in context: present and past Word formation: adjectives, verbs, nouns More modal verbs for deducing Inversion Verbs with objects and gerunds/ infinitives Consolidation More reporting verbs Declination of numerals Transformations Acronyms
Vocabulary, functions and skills	Vocabulary, functions and skills	Vocabulary, functions and skills	Vocabulary, functions and skills	Vocabulary, functions and skills

Days of the week	Common verb phrases	Talking about eating habits	Working out meaning in context	Idiomatic expressions
Numbers	Describing people:	Discussing plans	Health and illnesses	Commenting
Dates	appearance and personality	Complaining	Fashion industry	Debating
Family	At the airport	Money and charities	Crime and punishment	Persuading
Classroom language	Housework	Psychology	Verbs often confused	Writing a film/ book review
Colours	Shopping	Asking for help	Sleep and sleeping habits	Talking about cuisine
Adjectives	Describing towns	Transport	Media	Preparing recipes
On the phone	Giving instructions	Travelling	Science	Holidays and holiday destinations
Weather	Health and body	Writing informal emails	Business	Recommending places
Talking about abilities	Word building: nouns	Lies and cheating	Advertising	Banking problems
House and buildings	Confusing words	Looking for a job	Essay writing-for/ against	University life
Food/ in the restaurant		Writing a CV and a cover letter	Opinion essay rules	Critical thinking
On the internet				Problem-solution essays

At the end of the semester, the participants have the final exam to assess whether their Polish competency meets the proficiency level required to enter a university program at SWPS University.

It is a two-part exam, including:

- A written grammar, vocabulary, reading, listening, and writing skills test
- An oral exam to assess speaking proficiency, where participants must be able to talk about a selected topic or issue.

The examination panel for the oral exam consists of teachers other than those teaching the course.

The program closes with an official Graduation Ceremony.