

# **RUSS2010**

# I Russian Studies 3

Session 1, Online-flexible 2022

Department of Media, Communications, Creative Arts, Language and Literature

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### **General Information**

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Credit points

10

Prerequisites

RSN155 or RUSS1020 or RSN160 or RUSS1030

Corequisites

Co-badged status

Unit description

This is an intermediate Russian unit, which is designed for students with the knowledge of Russian that is equivalent to one year of studying the language at university level. The unit seeks to further develop students' skills in reading, writing, comprehension and speaking in Russian, as well as to expand students' knowledge of contemporary Russian culture. Students are encouraged to use their language skills to communicate in a variety of situations and contexts.

### Important Academic Dates

Information about important academic dates including deadlines for withdrawing from units are available at https://www.mq.edu.au/study/calendar-of-dates

# **Learning Outcomes**

On successful completion of this unit, you will be able to:

**ULO1:** Develop intermediate level skills in reading, writing, listening and speaking in the Russian language.

**ULO2:** Identify, describe and evaluate many aspects of Russian-speaking cultures and societies.

**ULO3:** Identify, evaluate and deploy the grammatical structures of Russian at intermediate level.

**ULO4:** Apply relevant language conventions to create meaningful intercultural encounters.

**ULO5:** Demonstrate a refined awareness of language and language use, in both Russian and in English.

#### **General Assessment Information**

Rubrics and indicative samples are provided in iLearn as additional guidance on standards of achievement for different assessment types.

All assessment tasks are compulsory and must be submitted on time. Assignment tasks handed in early will not be marked and returned before the due date.

# Late Assessment Penalty

Unless a **Special Consideration** request has been submitted and approved, (a) a penalty for lateness will apply – 10 marks out of 100 credit will be deducted per day for assignments submitted after the due date – and (b) no assignment will be accepted seven days (incl. weekends) after the original submission deadline.

No late submissions will be accepted for timed assessments – e.g. quizzes, online tests.

#### **Assessment Tasks**

Name	Weighting	Hurdle	Due
Written test	20%	No	23:59 2/05/22
Final online test	25%	No	13:10 27/05/22
Oral test	45%	No	13:00 3/06/22
Participation	10%	No	Ongoing

### Written test

Assessment Type 1: Quiz/Test Indicative Time on Task 2: 0 hours

Due: **23:59 2/05/22** Weighting: **20%** 

The purpose of the test is to check students' knowledge of all aspects of grammar and vocabulary that they learn throughout the session. This will be held as a part of regular class time.

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#### Final online test

Assessment Type 1: Quiz/Test Indicative Time on Task 2: 0 hours

Due: **13:10 27/05/22** Weighting: **25%** 

Students have to demonstrate their knowledge and engagement with material explained during the session. This will be a part of regular seminar time and preparation time.

On successful completion you will be able to:

- Develop intermediate level skills in reading, writing, listening and speaking in the Russian language.
- Identify, evaluate and deploy the grammatical structures of Russian at intermediate level.
- Demonstrate a refined awareness of language and language use, in both Russian and in English.

#### Oral test

Assessment Type 1: Presentation Indicative Time on Task 2: 0 hours

Due: **13:00 3/06/22** Weighting: **45**%

For the oral test, students have to prepare a short talk on a topic of their choice. Students will be assessed on their presentation, as well as their ability to answer follow-up questions. This will be held as a part of regular seminar time and online students will do this activity via Zoom.

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### **Participation**

Assessment Type 1: Participatory task Indicative Time on Task 2: 0 hours

Due: **Ongoing** Weighting: **10%** 

Students have to demonstrate their knowledge and engagement with material explained during the session. Students are expected to spend time on daily review of grammar and vocabulary. Students should be familiar with and feel comfortable with each week's content before starting a new week. Class preparation time also includes time to study, revise seminar content and prepare for the guizzes and tests.

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- the academic teaching staff in your unit for guidance in understanding or completing this type of assessment
- · the Writing Centre for academic skills support.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> If you need help with your assignment, please contact:

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Indicative time-on-task is an estimate of the time required for completion of the assessment task and is subject to individual variation

# **Delivery and Resources**

**Delivery:** Fully online

Login is via: https://ilearn.mq.edu.au/

**Is my unit in iLearn?:** <a href="http://help.ilearn.mq.edu.au/unitsonline/">http://help.ilearn.mq.edu.au/unitsonline/</a> to check when your online unit will become available.

#### **Technology**

Students are required to have regular access to a computer and the internet. Mobile devices alone are not sufficient. The preferred operating system is Windows 10.

- For technical support go to: http://mq.edu.au/about\_us/offices\_and\_units/informatics/help
- For student quick guides on the use of iLearn go to: <a href="https://students.mq.edu.au/support/">https://students.mq.edu.au/support/</a> study/tools-and-resources/ilearn/ilearn-quick-guides-for-students

Students are required to access the online unit in iLearn by the end of Week 1 and follow any relevant instructions and links for downloads that may be required.

#### **Policies and Procedures**

Macquarie University policies and procedures are accessible from Policy Central (https://policies.mq.edu.au). Students should be aware of the following policies in particular with regard to Learning and Teaching:

- Academic Appeals Policy
- Academic Integrity Policy
- Academic Progression Policy
- Assessment Policy
- Fitness to Practice Procedure
- · Assessment Procedure
- Complaints Resolution Procedure for Students and Members of the Public
- Special Consideration Policy

Students seeking more policy resources can visit Student Policies (https://students.mq.edu.au/support/study/policies). It is your one-stop-shop for the key policies you need to know about throughout your undergraduate student journey.

To find other policies relating to Teaching and Learning, visit Policy Central (https://policies.mq.e du.au) and use the search tool.

#### **Student Code of Conduct**

Macquarie University students have a responsibility to be familiar with the Student Code of Conduct: https://students.mq.edu.au/admin/other-resources/student-conduct

#### Results

Results published on platform other than <a href="mailto:eStudent">eStudent</a>, (eg. iLearn, Coursera etc.) or released directly by your Unit Convenor, are not confirmed as they are subject to final approval by the University. Once approved, final results will be sent to your student email address and will be made available in <a href="mailto:eStudent">eStudent</a>. For more information visit <a href="mailto:ask.mq.edu.au">ask.mq.edu.au</a> or if you are a Global MBA student contact <a href="mailto:globalmba.support@mq.edu.au">globalmba.support@mq.edu.au</a>

# Academic Integrity

At Macquarie, we believe <u>academic integrity</u> – honesty, respect, trust, responsibility, fairness and courage – is at the core of learning, teaching and research. We recognise that meeting the expectations required to complete your assessments can be challenging. So, we offer you a range of resources and services to help you reach your potential, including free <u>online writing and maths support</u>, academic skills development and wellbeing consultations.

# Student Support

Macquarie University provides a range of support services for students. For details, visit <a href="http://students.mq.edu.au/support/">http://students.mq.edu.au/support/</a>

#### **The Writing Centre**

The Writing Centre provides resources to develop your English language proficiency, academic writing, and communication skills.

- Workshops
- · Chat with a WriteWISE peer writing leader
- Access StudyWISE
- Upload an assignment to Studiosity
- Complete the Academic Integrity Module

The Library provides online and face to face support to help you find and use relevant information resources.

- Subject and Research Guides
- Ask a Librarian

### Student Services and Support

Macquarie University offers a range of Student Support Services including:

- IT Support
- · Accessibility and disability support with study
- Mental health support
- <u>Safety support</u> to respond to bullying, harassment, sexual harassment and sexual assault

· Social support including information about finances, tenancy and legal issues

# Student Enquiries

Got a question? Ask us via AskMQ, or contact Service Connect.

# IT Help

For help with University computer systems and technology, visit <a href="http://www.mq.edu.au/about\_us/">http://www.mq.edu.au/about\_us/</a> offices\_and\_units/information\_technology/help/.

When using the University's IT, you must adhere to the <u>Acceptable Use of IT Resources Policy</u>. The policy applies to all who connect to the MQ network including students.