Course description

Course code and name	**SFB12802** **Norsk som fremmedspråk I** **Norwegian as a foreign language I, (for international students only)**
ECTS credits	5 ECTS credits (40 h language course + 10h lectures/visits on society & culture in the autumn semester.)
Compulsory/Optional	Valgfag/Optional
Prerequisites	Fair knowledge of English
Period	Autumn semester
Language	Norwegian and English
Objective	The course will give the students basic knowledge of spoken Norwegian, with the aim of understanding and using the language in everyday situations. Pronunciation and oral exercises are given priority. It is expected that students will work on their own with the tapes and grammar exercises. In addition to the language course some lectures on Norwegian culture and society will be given in English, followed by relevant local visits/study trips.
Content	Family and home Eating Shopping Visiting friends Celebrating Travelling
Course type	Lectures
Bibliography	Å.B. Strandskogen, R.Strandskogen *Norsk for utlendinger I*, Kapitel 1-9, Gyldendal 1991 Å.B. Strandskogen, R.Strandskogen *Arbeidsbok for Norsk for utlendinger I*, Gyldendal 1997 *Bridges to Norway*, SiU 1998 Other distributed material
Requirements for exam	A written short essay handed-in during the semester
Assessment	A written test at the end of the semester.
Lecturer	Wenche Høidal
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