



Erasmus Module  
**English Language**  
 Description

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Country BULGARIA	Institution Vasil Levski National Military University	Module <b>English Language</b>	ECTS <b>6.0</b>
Service <b>All</b> Languages <b>English</b>	Minimum Qualification for Lecturers <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>English:</b> Common European Framework of Reference for Languages (CEFR) Level C2 or NATO STANAG 6001 Level 3.</li> <li>• Adequate pedagogical competences.</li> <li>• Thorough knowledge of the topics taught.</li> </ul>		
Requirements for international participants:  English: Common European Framework of Reference for Languages (CEFR) Level B1 or NATO STANAG Level 2. The end of the 1st year of national (military) higher education.		Goal of the Module: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Improving the English language proficiency of the participants</li> <li>• Focus on the enhancement of the speaking and writing skills of the participants with the purpose of assisting them to achieve higher STANAG 6001 level</li> <li>• Enriching the participants' work-related and specialized vocabulary</li> <li>• Improving the participants' inter-cultural awareness.</li> </ul>	

Learning outcomes	Knowledge	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Topic-related vocabulary and terminology</li> <li>• Cultural differences</li> <li>• Presentation techniques</li> <li>• Briefing structure</li> <li>• Written communication</li> <li>• Complex English grammar</li> </ul>
	Skills	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Delivering presentations</li> <li>• Giving briefings</li> <li>• Writing essays</li> <li>• Writing formal and informal letters and emails</li> <li>• Using adequate functional language in oral and written form</li> </ul>
	Competences	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Capacity to present facts, decisions and opinions</li> <li>• Capacity to defend decisions and opinions</li> <li>• Capacity to respond adequately in various formal, informal and professional situations</li> <li>• Capacity to discuss various professional and social topics</li> <li>• Capacity to comprehend the language of various professional and social areas</li> <li>• Capacity to produce various written documents</li> </ul>



Verification of learning outcomes

- Observation: Throughout the Module students are to accomplish different practical tasks individually or in teams. During these tasks students are to be evaluated to verify their competences at the end of the training.
- Test: At the end of the Module the students have to accomplish specific practical tasks given by the examining committee:
  - delivering a presentation / briefing;
  - writing an essay on a given topic.

Module Details

Main Topic	Recommended WH	Details
<b>Part I</b>		
General English Topics	28	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Technologies</li> <li>• Environmental issues</li> <li>• Education</li> <li>• Briefings</li> <li>• Presentations</li> </ul>
<b>Part II</b>		
Cultural Awareness	6	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Traditions and cultural differences</li> <li>• Presentations of own culture</li> </ul>
<b>Part III</b>		
Writing	10	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Writing formal and informal letters and emails</li> <li>• Essays</li> </ul>
<b>Part IV</b>		
STANAG Awareness and Language Practice	31	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Familiarization with STANAG descriptors and the test format</li> <li>• Practical test tasks – descriptions, instructions, directions, narration</li> <li>• Complex grammar practice.</li> </ul>
Total	75	