

## **Language, Culture and Communication in Sweden, 7,5 HE credits**

*Språk, kultur och kommunikation i Sverige, 7,5 hp*

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Established by: Department for Social and Behavioural Studies

Applies from: H18

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### **Learning outcomes**

The course aims at introducing basic cultural concepts and theories, focusing on relationships between language, culture and communication.

### **Specific goals of the course**

Upon completion of the course, the student should be able to:

1. describe how language use embodies cultural values
2. evaluate how communication constructs identity
3. discuss how language use is culturally situated
4. use simple spoken Swedish for daily life communication

### **Entry requirements**

General entry requirements

### **The forms of assessment of student performance**

- individually prepared seminars and assignments (objective 2)
- individually prepared oral group presentations and assignments (objectives 1, 3 and 4)
- individual assignments to be handed in during course (objective 4)
- take-home examination (objectives 1, 2, and 3)

### **Other regulations**

Course grading: F/Fx/E/D/C/B/A - Insufficient, Insufficient- more work required before the credit can be awarded, Sufficient, Satisfactory, Good, Very Good, Excellent

Course language: The teaching is conducted in English.

General rules pertaining to examination at University West are available at [www.hv.se](http://www.hv.se).

If the student has a decision/recommendation on special support due to disability, the examiner has the right to examine the student in a customized examination form.

### **Cycle**

First cycle

**Progressive specialization**

G1N - first cycle, has only upper-secondary level entry requirements