

Baptist Ministerial Seminary

A Teaching Ministry of Countryside Baptist Church, Pasig City

Course Code and Title: THEO 627 – English Grammar for the Theologian **Level:** M.A. Year 1, 2

Course Credit: 1 unit **Pre-requisite:** none

Course Resources: Lecture Notes on English Grammar for the Theologian (with Video Supplements)

LEARNING UNIT 1

Lecture 1	Terminology	Lecture 6	Prepositions
Lecture 2	Nouns (common, proper, collective)	Lecture 7	Conjunctions
Lecture 3	Verbs (compound, transitive, linking. . .)	Lecture 8	Subjects (simple, complete), Predicates
Lecture 4	Adjectives and Adverbs	Lecture 9	Objects (direct, indirect, of a preposition)
Lecture 5	Pronouns	Lecture 10	Exam Review

Review 1: Words, phrases, sentences and verses written in **RED** font are potentially testable items.

Exam 1: When ready, ask the Quiz Code from the tutor. Submit answers in 2 hours.

LEARNING UNIT 2

Lecture 12	Sentence Types	Lecture 15	Phrases (gerund, prepositional. . .)
Lecture 13	Sentence Structures	Lecture 16	Clauses (noun, adjective, adverb. . .)
Lecture 14	Phrases (noun, verb, adjective, adverb)	Lecture 17	Exam Review

Review 2: Words, phrases, sentences and verses written in **RED** font are potentially testable items.

Exam 2: When ready, ask the Quiz Code from the tutor. Submit answers in 2 hours.

LEARNING UNIT 3

Lecture 19	Plurals	Lecture 22	Punctuation 2
Lecture 20	Possessives	Lecture 23	Confusable Words, Common Errors
Lecture 21	Punctuation 1		

Review 3: Words, phrases, sentences and verses written in **RED** font are potentially testable items.

Comprehensive Final Exam: When ready, ask the Quiz Code from the tutor. Submit answers in 2 hours.

Course Requirements:

Exams / Readings: 70%

Paper: 30%

Note: Submit a 5,000-word paper using Turabian format which must be typed, one inch margins, double-spaced, including bibliography. Student has to create his/her own outline from the lecture notes, and develop his content and argument discussing with the ideas from the same lecture notes as stating its strength and weakness of the paper.

Course Computations:

Exam Grade = $\left[\frac{\text{Your Score}}{\text{Total Items}} \times 50 \right] + 50$; **Course Grade** = 0.7 (Average Exam Grade) + 0.3 (Paper Grade)

Grading System:

A+ = 97-100%; A = 93-96%; A- = 90-92%; B+ = 87-89%; B = 83-86%; B- = 80-82%; C+ = 77-79%; C = 75-76%; Failed = 0-74%; P = Passed; INC = Incomplete; W = Withdrawn; UW = Unauthorized Withdrawal