

# **LEXICOLOGY 2019**

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# Course includes:

- 9 lectures
- 9 practical classes

# Form of Assessment

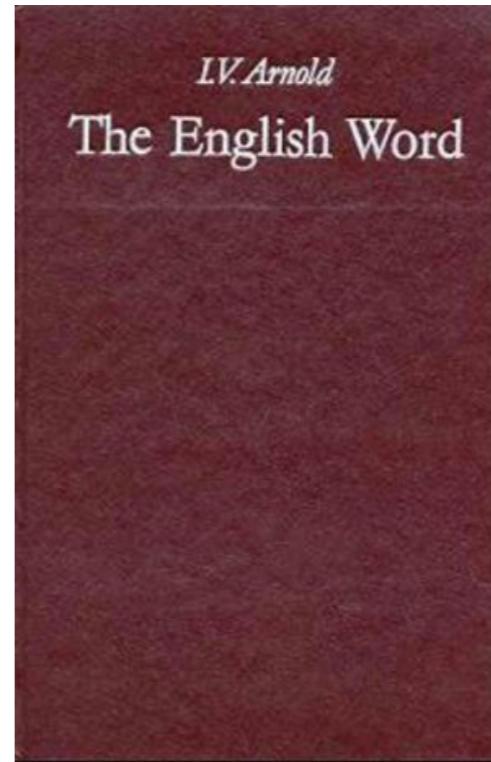
- Exam
- 2 tests of 30 questions (multiple choice and open answers)

# Course requirements

- Level of English B2
- 100% attendance and participation
- Telephone sound off
- NO late-comers (wont be allowed in)

# to have on you

- a properly charged gadget
- the textbook by I V Arnold 1986



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- Арнольд И. В. Семантика, стилистика,



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# the textbook to help a lot

R. S. Ginzburg, S. S. Khidekel,  
G. Y. Knyazeva, A. A. Sankin

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# Background questions:

- What is language?
- What are the levels of the language and the corresponding units of the language?
- How do synchronic and diachronic approaches differ? What are they?
- What is vocabulary?
- What is a word?

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**satnav**  
**instagram**  
**hype**  
**rofl**  
**nanoSIM**  
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**eye candy**  
**low-key**  
**miss the boat**  
**bark on the wrong tree**  
**enchilada**  
**faucet**  
**oppa**  
**vvvvvv like u**  
**f...**  
**beggar**  
**wikipedia**

# What does LEXICOLOGY study?

## Branches of lexicology

- Lexicology. General notes.
- Semantics. Theory of meaning
- Semiotics.Properties of the linguistic sign.
- Change of meaning.
- Wordformation in English.
- Native and borrowed words in English.
- Phraseological units.
- Polysemy and homonymy.
- Synonymy and antonymy.

# Topics to study by yourselves

- Lexicography
- Variants and dialects of Modern English
- Layers of Vocabulary
- Semantic fields

# Questions to know by heart

- } Where does the word “lexicology come from”?
- } Give the definition of lexicology.
- } What are the main objects of lexicological studies?
- } What two approaches can we apply to studying of linguistic phenomena?
- } Why isn’t it correct to study words only from synchronic point of view? (beggar)
- } What is vocabulary?
- } What are lexical layers?
- } Why is lexicology closely connected with sociolinguistics?
- } What are spoonerisms?
- } What is lexicalisation of grammatical meaning?
- } What does paralinguistic study?
- } What is pragmalinguistics?